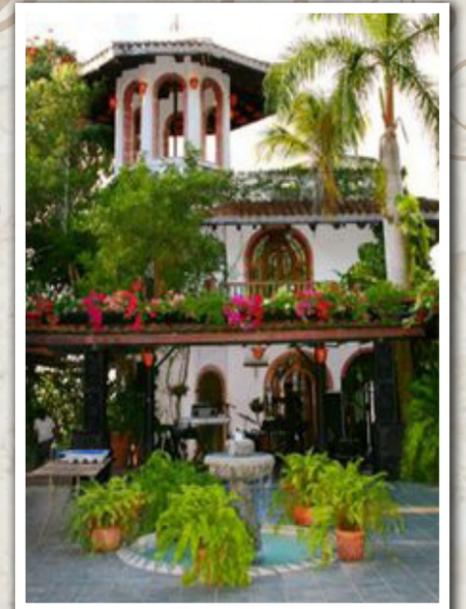
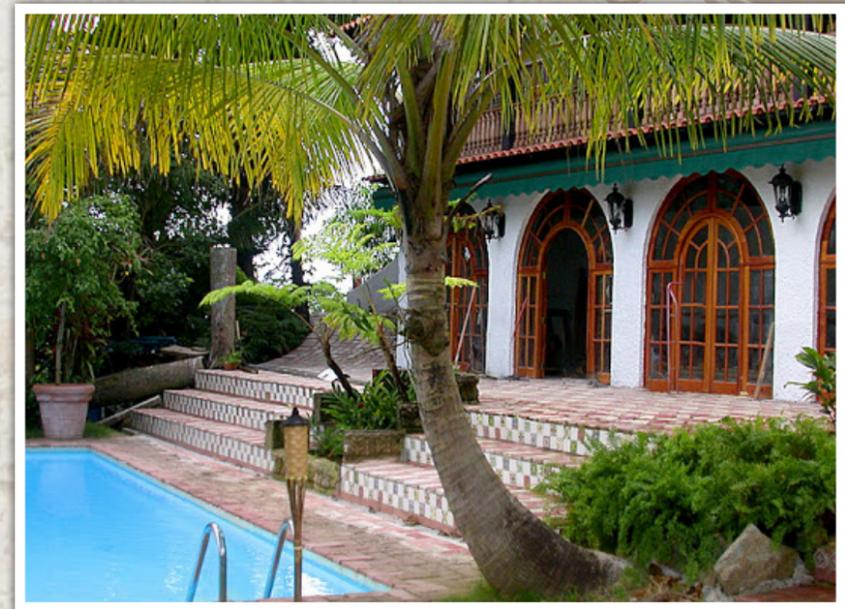


Hacienda Alegre Inn



A Hidden Treasure

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If you're searching for that "special place", you will find it tucked away in the foothills of the El Yunque rainforest in Rio Grande. Hacienda Alegre Inn is one of Puerto Rico's hidden treasures. This is one and only offers superb service with attention to detail and so much more.

This unique Inn sits on the grounds of Hacienda Siesta Alegre thoroughbred farm which is a favorite venue for weddings and private parties. It is also home to proprietors, Greg and Linda Jackson.

If you are searching for that special place, Hacienda Alegre is calling your name. Let's take a tour.

Driving up the private lane to the Hacienda, you will pass beautiful horses in the white fenced pastures, a well groomed training track, duck pond, and immaculate barns. All nestled in a lush, tropical setting. A serene feeling is already washing over you.

The Hacienda sits perched at the top of the hill above

the rest of the farm. This beautiful Spanish Colonial home is filled with detail of the period and a sprinkle of whimsy. It has an open air design concept for all the main living areas. This design offers gorgeous, uninterrupted views of the mountains, rainforest and the farm below while inviting in the soothing

comfort of the easterly trade winds.

Enjoy your morning coffee while listening to the sounds of nature. Linger over a your delicious breakfast while watching an early morning rain roll in from the mountains. Shortly after, watch the warm sunshine chase it away.

You can wander the tropical gardens and pathways or find a private spot to lull away the hours reading. Take a dip in the pool then soak up the sun.

Relaxing hammocks and hammock chairs can be found throughout the property on the many covered terraces, in front of the guest rooms and at the Pond House.



Ahhh! the Pond House , one of my favorite places and a new addition to the grounds. The Pond House is a lovely covered deck that looks down on the tranquil Aquaponics pond complete with hammock chairs and hammocks to relax in while listening to the water running over the rocks. While relaxing you can enjoy a cool drink or a cup of coffee from the honor bar and coffee station. No stress allowed!

Another new addition can be found perched above the track and duck pond down at the equestrian facility. It's a wonderful deck that is purposed for viewing training sessions and horse shows. A bar and grill will be added shortly so you can enjoy refreshments or lunch while watching the horses.

Each guest room has its own unique charm. The Tree

House guest room comes with two deep soaking tubs tucked away on it's very private deck, but every room has its own special magic.

The Hacienda is approximately 35 minutes east of San Juan and in close proximity to an array of activities from zip-lining, hiking, cycling, beaching, boating, scuba, snorkeling, fishing, day tours, shopping and wonderful restaurants that serve up local and international cuisine. There is never of shortage of things to do if you can manage to tear yourself away.

Hacienda Alegre Inn will strike a chord with the romantic or the traveler seeking to relax and rejuvenate. It is that "special place".