



Above Left and Left: Niharn Beach before and after the tsunami. Some of the beach and vegetation and of course the furniture has disappeared; **Above:** Kata Beach, as pristine as you are ever likely to see it. It reminds us of the early 80's when even Club Med was still to be built; **Below:** Right on the beach at Karon, this restaurant is back in business within a few days, but the sign tells the story, Phuket is suffering from a staff shortage; **Below Right:** A lone tourist on the beach at Karon soaking up the stunning sunset; **Below Left:** What is left of the Gourmet Restaurant on Kamala Beach; **Bottom Left:** Phi Phi under water; **Below Right:** Yah Nui Beach (our cover photo last issue) before and after. This beautiful beach was severely damaged by the tsunami.

