



BEWITCHED

TARA CROSER ESCAPES TO THE MOUNTAINS FOR AN ENCHANTING WEEKEND RETREAT.

WHEN WE ARRIVED at Mt Tamborine's enchanting Witches Falls Cottages the owners, David and Daniela, were not there for a very good reason. Instead they were at the Brisbane Convention Centre's 2010 Queensland Tourism Awards receiving the gong for Best Hosted Accommodation. And after spending two nights there it was easy to see why.

Less than a one-hour drive from Brisbane, Witches Falls Cottages is a couples-only retreat tucked away on Tamborine Mountain among towering gums and tranquil gardens. The cosy split level stone gable cottages are simply adorable, featuring a bullnose verandah, polished timber floors, fireplace, reverse cycle air-conditioning and a kitchenette.

A selection of sumptuous breakfast hampers are available and delivered each morning to enjoy in the comfort of your cottage or outside in your secluded private courtyard. We opted for the delectable luxury champagne breakfast, which includes David and Daniela's signature homemade brown bread, smoked salmon, caviar, capers, sour creme, sliced onions, boiled eggs, fruits and juice. This was perfectly accompanied by a bottle of local Witches Falls Moscato.

If you want to experience all that Tamborine Mountain has to offer, Witches Falls Cottages is just a short distance from wineries, walking trails, lookouts, restaurants and the village. But, if you'd rather unwind in your cottage, there's no better way than in the intimate double spa bath surrounded by glass walls and roof looking out to the picturesque greenery. In fact, there's really no need to leave the premises at all thanks to cheese platters and barbecue dinner hampers available on request, along with a number of popular movie titles to enjoy while snuggled up in your bathrobes.

During your stay, you must not forget to make use of the colouring pencils to leave a personalised note or drawing in the iconic art book in your room. If you have a flick through the pages, you'll find a number of comments from other couples who have previously stayed in the cottage.

Witches Falls Cottages is an idyllic location for a romantic getaway, whether you want a little adventure or a few sublime days of complete indulgence. Contact David and Daniela to find out about their exclusive accommodation packages and gift vouchers. Prices start from \$245 per night.

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