



The Steve Manick Family
Presents:

What We Did on Our Summer Vacation

Hawaii, 2011



We first went to Kauai and stayed at the Grand Hyatt.



The sprawling grounds are so beautiful.



We are definitely not in Kansas anymore.



The evenings were my favorite time...



... warm with lots of water and scenery.



We saw many Hawaiian rituals...



... and even some unexpected action!



We all had such a good time.



We saw the blowhole and Waimea Canyon in the west...



... and the Wailua River and Opaeka'a Falls in the east.



The island is so green and beautiful.



And the ocean is filled with wonder.



There is much more to do in Kauai than 30 years ago.



We all had such a great time on the Garden Isle.



Next we went to Ka'anapali Beach on Maui.



The Hyatt Regency Resort is amazing.



We had a nice ocean view room.



And there was plenty of wildlife on the grounds.



Well, it wasn't really that wild.



The sunsets on Maui are the best.



Every night is a unique surprise.



And they seem to get better every night.



It was almost as if there was a sunset every night.



And every view seemed exotic.



There was great scenery everywhere...



... and many good photo opportunities...



...even involving your own family.



We even went to the island of Lana'i on a catamaran.



We snorkeled in the reef...



...and toured the island.



The voyage there and back was special in itself.

Except that Julia was
very sick on each way...



...but she recovered
just in time for an
early birthday treat.



And most important... we all had a great time.



Aloha!