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## \*Best Rest in Key West\*

[House](#) - Private room · Venetia St, Key West, FL 33040, United States

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We suggest that you contact the host to confirm availability

First a very important fact that everyone needs to be aware of when reading this listing.

There is another listing that looks identical to this on and i want to ensure you that it nor this one is a scam we just happen to be neighbors and have the exact same house. That being said it also makes a great opportunity for groups of four to use both of our homes to their advantage when booking.

and rates before submitting a reservation request. This large (10' X 10') private room has dark hardwood floors, ceiling fan, queen bed (brand new in November 2012) with 1800 thread count Egyptian Cotton sheets and a large closet. The house is cleaned all the time because I like things clean too. The house is located 3 blocks from the largest beach in Key West (Smathers Beach) and a short bike ride to the world famous Duval Street but far enough away to get some sleep with out the noise. The home is only a year old and features a fully equipped kitchen (no microwave because fresh cooked food is way better). Every room has a nice ceiling fan to help the AC keep the place nice and cool. The Bathroom is large and features a very large shower to accommodate two at a time if needed.

The house is a conch style bungalow with a fenced in yard in a quiet neighborhood. The famous roosters roam through the streets and at some point will crow in the morning. The house is open and airy with 10ft ceilings, throughout the house, with large windows to bring in plenty of natural light. The living room has a 36" T.V. and cable with over 150 channels and plenty food for delivery if you just want to stay in and recover from the last night on duval. There are a few bars and restaurants around but you will most likely want to head down to Duval Street which is about a mile away. You can also have access to the beautiful city pool free of charge or you may want a bit more action, in that case may I suggest Dante's Pool Bar.

There are laundry facilities so you can pack light and do a load or two while you are here. I will even supply the detergent and Downy:)

The house is a short walk to two beaches both have volleyball courts and one has para-sailing available. While you walk the beach you will find Salute which is a great place to get some food as well as your daily cocktail.

Smoking is allowed out side only.

Wi-Fi is also available here.

I have plenty of knowledge about the island such as where the best happy hours are; or how to get a discount on attractions.

I also run LaidBackKeyWest com a boat charter company if you want to get out on the water. All my charters are available to my guests at a 20% discounted rate.

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FAQ:

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-There is no private entrance to your room.

-I can help you with all sorts of activities including fishing and kayaking or even snorkeling and being a beach bum.

-Yes, there is a gas grill to use at the house.

-The bed is a brand new queen bed and is very comfortable with 1800 thread count Egyptian Cotton sheets.

-Shower and beach towels are provided.

-I do have a job! I am the owner/operator of Laid Back Key West and i also help run the Yankee Freedom III out to Fort Jefferson and the Dry Tortugas.

Room type: Private room

Bed type: Real Bed

Accommodates: 2

Bedrooms: 1

Bathrooms: 1

Extra people: No Charge

Check In: 11:00 AM

Check Out: 10:00 AM

Country: [United States](#)

City: [Key West](#)

Cancellation: [Strict](#)

- Smoking Allowed
- Pets Allowed

- TV
- Cable TV
- Internet
- Wireless Internet
- Air Conditioning
- Heating
  
- Elevator in Building
- Handicap Accessible
- Pool
- Kitchen
- Free parking on premise
- Doorman
- Gym
- Hot Tub
  
- Indoor Fireplace
- Buzzer/Wireless Intercom
- Breakfast
- Family/Kid Friendly
- Suitable for Events
- Washer
- Dryer

- ~ No Smoking Inside
- ~ Shoes off at the door
- ~ Clean up after yourself
- ~ Do not lock the dead bolt
- ~ Be respectful to my home
- ~ Leave like you found it!

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### Overall Guest Satisfaction

- Accuracy
- Cleanliness
- Check In
  
- Communication
- Location
- Value

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[Angela](#)

Eric is an awesome host and very helpful in suggesting ideas for dining and activities. He's a very laid back guy and we got along great. His clean and comfortable place made us feel right at home. We would like to stay at Eric's place if we visited Key West again.

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[Joe](#)

Great stay! Eric's place is neat and clean. He is very accommodating, even left us breakfast ready the next morning. We had to book at the last minute and it was easy. Very laid back in the best sense you can imagine.



Sarah

Eric's Apartment ist klein, aber hübsch und sauber. Die Lage ist echt gut (nur wenige Blocks zum sehr schönen Smathers Beach) und mit den zur Verfügung stehenden Fahrrädern ist auch die Duval Street in wenigen Minuten zu erreichen. Wir hatten zum Glück das ganze Apartment für uns, weil Eric verreist war. Das hat auf jeden Fall noch mehr dafür gesorgt, dass wir uns wie zu Hause gefühlt haben. Ansonsten hätte es möglicherweise doch etwas „eng“ werden können... Trotzdem können wir die Wohnung weiterempfehlen und kommen bestimmt noch mal wieder, wenn wir noch mal nach Key West fahren.

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Eric's apartment is cozy and clean. It's well located (close to Smathers Beach) and when you take the bikes, you reach Duval Street within a few minutes. We had the whole apartment to ourselves, because Eric was out of town. We really felt like home. We can recommend the apartment and will definitely come back, if we return to Key West.



Marc

This place is just perfect for a stay on the Keys.

Eric gave us all the check in details (as he was away when we were to arrive) and when we arrived we were shocked how big and charming his home was!



There was everything we needed, the shower was HUGE and everything was so clean and explained in a folder full of info and recommendations from Eric himself. the aircon was well needed because it is so humid there and it was a relief to get indoors at times. Parking is easy right outside and the walk to the beach took us a leisurely 15 minutes through wonderful settings. So many wild iguanas and strangely chickens walking around everywhere, we later found that the chickens are protected in Key West and have free roam of the islands!

Couldnt recommend staying here enough, it truly was a pleasure and ideal for anyone with a few days in Key West.



Nicolas Xavier

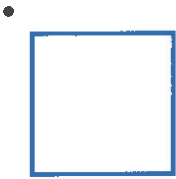
Well I don't have so much to say about Eric : we never met !  
we stayed 2 nights but he was at work or out each time we came in and out.  
His house is a tiny but comfortable house, with everything you need.  
One good thing is that he always answer you within a day maximum if you ask something by mail, and that's convenient when you book at the last minute as we did !



Daniel

We had a great time at Eric's home and as we are not the biggest party animals the distance to the key west hot spots was no big deal for us.  
ERIC himself was out for work early every day, but when we met we had pleasant conversations and he is a really nice guy (and the combo together with his neighbour todd is unbeatable).

If you are looking for a nice spot to stay on your key west vacation, trust me, you'll find it here!



[Debra](#)

Room was very clean and quiet. Bed was super comfortable. We didn't get to meet Eric, but he was quite pleasant in our communications and quick to respond when messaged. Location was a little far from old town. I would suggest renting or bringing bikes to avoid taxi costs which can get a bit pricey.



[Maria Liana](#)

It was my first experience with Airbnb and it's been very positive. The apartment was clean and the room spacious and well organized. Eric's is a great host, he makes sure you get all the information you need to feel comfortable during your stay. He's welcoming and very friendly. We stayed two nights and had the chance to meet him only the evening before leaving, but we shared a nice bottle of wine and enjoyed engaging in an interesting and long conversation! Thank you very much Eric, ciao



[Pierre-Fabien](#)

Une perle! Éric est un des meilleurs hôte que j'ai rencontré! La maison est d'une propreté impeccable. Éric nous a accueilli avec une bouteille ce vin et à pris beaucoup de temps pour nous faire partager ses bons plans à Key West. En plus, il nous a prêté ses vélos, ce qui est très pratique dans cette ville.



[Barry](#)

Eric was a great host -- knowledgeable (including tons of local/insider tips), friendly, and accommodating. If you plan to visit Dry Tortugas during your visit to Key West, be sure to ask him for advice as he works on the ferry crew!

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[Eric](#)

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- **Work:** Laid Back Key West
- **About:** I'm a fairly fit individual who loves to eat. I can cook but prefer to be served so i find myself eating out all the time. I really enjoy sitting on the couch watching movies or reading a book with a glass of wine. Cruising out on the waters of Key West with many options of entertainment is also another great way to spend my day. I'm a very clean person and like to keep my house quiet and relaxing.