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## Royal-Standard Romance

Nestled on the island of One Million Palms – an island known for its outstanding natural beauty and serenity – the recently-opened Raffles Al Areen Palace Bahrain has positioned itself as a property that sets a new standard for luxurious romantic escapes in the kingdom. Promising guests unrivalled exclusivity and privacy, it boasts 78 private pool hideaways for a discreet getaway surrounded by views of the property's tropical gardens. Couples are encouraged to savour sweet treats at the in-house Parisian patisserie, learn about Bahrain's pearl diving past through the resort's architecture (which was inspired by the country's history), or take advantage of the private butler service that can accommodate them with practically anything they wish. The service can involve the setup of romantic decorations, or tailored meal options including floating breakfasts, in-villa private chef barbeques, farm-to-table organic garden tastings, and more. For active folk looking to make new activity-led memories, experiences including date harvesting, garden rituals, herbal workshops, tree planting, basket weaving, and garden cooking can be arranged. When it's time to unwind, the Wellness Villa is ready to welcome guests as a private oasis replete with water features, lush greenery, a spa bath, an outdoor deck for yoga and meditation, couples treatments rooms, and more – so they can truly disconnect from the noise of everyday life, and reconnect with each other instead.

IMAGE: RAFFLES AL AREEN PALACE BAHRAIN