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China Town

Duration: 13.10 minutes

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Transcript of China Town group

Scene 1

Place : Old pictures of China Town

Name of speaker : Nalintip (MC)

Dialog : History of China Town, King Rama V had given the area from Krong-Wung-Sam to Krong-Neur-Sumpeng to Chinese people for settlement that cause the biggest migration of Chinese people. King Rama V had made an order to establish Yaowarat road in 1891 for Chinese people called “China town”. China Town is one of the oldest business center that first dealt with Chinese then it has gradually developed until these days.

Scene 2

Place : Area around China Town

Name of speakers : People around China Town

Dialog : What do you think about Bangkok ChinaTown?

Scene 3

Place : China gate

Name of speaker : Nalintip (MC)

Dialog : Sawasdee ka. I am a representative of China Town group. China Town is located on Yaowarat road. In this area, there are many Chinese and Thai-Chinese people lived in. The place where I am standing is the center not only for commercial but also for travelling. As you can imagine, the figure of Yaowarat road is similar to a dragon body. In comparison, China town gate seems to be a head of dragon; old market seems to be liked a stomach of dragon and the end of the road seems to be liked a tail of dragon.¹

¹ Wikipedia contributors. “ถนนเยาวราช.” *Wikipedia, The free Encyclopydia*. 10 Oct. 2011.<<http://th.m.wikipedia.org/wiki/ถนนเยาวราช>>

Scene 4

Place : Sight seeing around China Town

Name of speaker : Nalintip (MC)

Dialog : Now we are here at Yaowarat Road, the center of China town. Today we will be a guide to take you to keep an experience from visiting, eating, and shopping in china town. So let's go.

Scene 5

Place : China gate

Name of speaker : Nalintip (MC)

Dialog : Chinese people collaborated to build the china gate to celebrate the king's birthday and show their loyalty, and respect to King Rama IX on 5 December 1999.² Moreover, the design of china gate shows a strong relationship between Thailand and China.

Scene 6

Place : Yaowarat road

Name of speaker : Nalintip (MC)

Dialog : Since China town become a crowded area, parking space is scarce. So the best way to reach China town is by the public transportation³. By public transit or MRT the nearest station is Hua Lamphong or you can go by bus which are no. 7,40,73 and 501 but if you want to avoid traffic jam, you can come by boat and get off at Ratchawong Pier.

Scene 7

Place : Leng Buai Ia Shrine

Name of speaker : Nalintip (MC)

² Great Wall Tour contributors. "China Town (Yaowarat Road)-." Great Wall Tour.<
http://www.greatwall.biz/en/travel_info/country/thailand/bangkok/china-town-yaowarat-road>

³ "Bangkok China Town Festival." *ClaudeMonet.net*.
<<http://www.tothailand.com/yaowarat/chinatown.php>>

Dialog : Leng Buai Ia is a Chinese shrine which is located on China Town in Samphanthawong district, Bangkok. It is the oldest shrine in Thailand which built in 1658. This more than three-hundred-year-old shrine also features some significant ancient objects such as three ancient plaques written in the reign of Emperor Kwang Si of the Ching Dynasty. Leng Buai Ia Shrine was built in Chinese architectural style. Its roof is made of glazed, colored tiles. And there are two dragons facing each other on the rooftop for decoration. Many people especially Chinese businessmen came to this place for worship their belief. They wanted to ask for the prosperity and the success of their business. In the center of the shrine, there are Leng Buai Ia and his wife ⁴.

Scene 8

Place : Lo-ka-nu-khor temple and Leng-nei-yee temple

Speaker : Nalintip (MC)

Dialog : Traveling in China Town, there is one thing that you should not miss. That is visiting Chinese temples. In Chinatown, there are many Chinese temples which have interesting history. But not all of the temples became popular. There are two popular temples which named Leng-nei-yee temple and Lo-ka-nu-khor temple. The temples especially Leng-nei-yee temple are so crowded in the Chinese festival. So this can be another field that can make you have a good time for traveling in Chinatown.

Scene 9

Place : China Town association

Speaker : Mr. Thanakrit Angsupalee

Dialog : Talking about China Town, you can visit here 24 hours a day. First, you can go shopping at Sampeng lane since 3 or 4 a.m. You can find literally everything such as grocery and giftshop. In late morning, you should go to the market. China Town is well known as the largest Chinese market

⁴ Wikipedia contributors. "Leng Buai Ia Shrine." *Wikipedia, The Free Encyclopedia*. 10 Oct. 2011. <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Leng_Buai_Ia_Shrine>

in Thailand. Selling all different kinds of food from soy sauce to expensive shark fin. At the night time, you can come to enjoy Chinese food along two sides of the street. And then go shopping at 3 a.m. again in the next day. So I can say that China Town is 24 hours open.

Scene 10

Place : China Town

Speaker : Nalintip (MC)

Dialog : In China Town, it might be said that everything you want you could find here. Here there are many shops that also sell second-hand items at low prices, Shoes, clothing, souvenirs, herbal Chinese medicines and Chinese funeral items.⁵

Scene 11

Place : In front of the old market

Speaker : Nalintip (MC)

Dialog : Now we are at old market. Old market is a small lane in China town. It is full of sellers who sell many kinds of ingredient used for cooking. You can come here since 5 a.m. till 6 p.m. It used to be prosper but now it has less consumers but it still have Chinese culture and resist Chinese shop structure.

Now the old market moved to the new location and change the name called new market but people still call it old market.

Scene 12

Place : Old market

Speaker : Nalintip (MC)

Dialog : Now we are in old market and we will show you what's going on now a days.

⁵ Suzanne Nam. "Bangkok's Chinatown." *Suzanne Nam*. Retrieved October 24, 2011, from <http://gothailand.about.com/od/shoppinginthailand/p/chinatownshopping.htm>

Here you will find the shops that sell many kinds of foods all along two sides of the street. It could be easily say that any kind of Chinese food could be found here. Even sometimes the food might change depending on the festival. The common food that you are going to see in any seasons are dry fish maw, dry shark fin, dry fruit, pickled vegetables, dried & crispy pork, mushroom, tea, herb, many kinds of snacks including imported snacks from China, Chinese traditional dessert, you can also find seasonal fruits and Chinese dishes. Moreover, not only food you are going to find from the old market. But you can also find Chinese accessories and clothes in some of the shops here. This place might be over hundred years old and many things from here would now be found in ordinary shops and in the department store.⁶ However, the fact does not make this place any less interesting.

Scene 13

Place : Hua-Seng-Heng shop

Speaker : Mr. Rattawong Possawong

Dialog : For the reason why many gold shops are located on Yaowarat road. I will briefly explain that most gold shop owners are Chinese since my grandfather generation and Chinese community in Bangkok started here. The first gold shop was opened at Yaowarat road. This is the reason why many gold shops are located on Yaowarat road and the symbol that when people want to buy gold, they will go to Yaowarat road because there are many shops here.

Scene 14

Place : Hua-Seng-Heng shop

Speaker : Nalintip (MC)

Dialog : The reason why Yaowarat road has been called 'Golden Road' is because there are more than 130 gold shops along the street and have been gold trading center for a couple of centuries.

⁶ Thaifly contributors. "Bangkok Chinatown tours: Yaowarat. Things to do & Travel guide." Thaifly Travel with style. < <http://www.thaifly.com/EN/guide/thailand-tour/bangkok-chinatown-yaowarat-tours.php> >

The difference that make Yaowarat's gold distinct from the others is all golds are made by hand. So don't be surprised if you find gold with high quality and reasonable prices here!⁷

Scene 15

Place : Yaowarat road

Speaker : Nalintip (MC)

Dialog : When referring to a cuisine, it can be said that Chinese cooking isn't inferior to any nation in the world. So it isn't surprise if china town was known to be the source of the extremely yummy and various Chinese foods in Thailand. Along Yaowarat road, most of high-end restaurants are very well known with good taste, high quality and affordable prices.⁸ The both sidewalks of Yaowarat road are still full with many food vendors. So you can enjoy the local foods here like Birds Nest, Shark Fin Soup, Dim Sum, roast duck, Goose webs, sea cucumber, various single noodle, and roasted Cantonese meats⁹

Scene 16

Place : Yaowarat road

Speaker : Nalintip (MC)

Dialog : During the Chinese festivals, there are the special and interesting activities in china town such as performing the lion puppet and dragon parade on Chinese New Year Festival, Vegetarian Festival, Chinese Sart Festival and Chinese Lunar Moon Festival which attracting people to come and make Yaowarat road become more crowded.¹⁰

⁷ Virtual Tourist. "Chinatown, Bangkok." *Virtual Tourist*. Retrieved October 24, 2011, from http://www.virtualltourist.com/travel/Asia/Thailand/Central_Eastern_Thailand/Bangkok1445238/Things_To_Do-Bangkok-Chinatown-BR-1.html

⁸ Asiawebdirect. "Chinatown Restaurants." *Asia web direct*. Retrieved October 24, 2011, from <http://www.bangkok.com/chinatown/where-to-eat.htm>

⁹ Voyage99.com. "Chinatown Bangkok." *Voyage99*. Retrieved October 24, 2011, from <http://bangkok.voyage99.com/tourist-attractions/chinatown.html>

¹⁰ "Chinatown Bangkok." *Bangkok Hotels, Tours, Shopping, Nightlife and Travel Information Guide*. 10 Oct. 2011. <<http://www.bangkok.com/chinatown>>

Scene 17

Place : Restaurant in China Town

Speaker : Nalintip (MC)

Dialog : China Town one of the oldest area in Bangkok. The place that you can feel the antique tradition of Thai-Chinese people and various kinds of food especially in China Town food street at night. Moreover, there are old temples for people who want to worship god and pray for their lives. So, this is a suitable place and worthy to be one of your destination.