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**Glenn Ostle – Caribbean Reef Squid – Roatan, Honduras**

Discovered during a night dive off Roatan, this Caribbean Reef Squid quickly and dramatically changed the color and texture of its body. The island of Roatan is encircled by fringing reefs in which at least 44 species of coral have been recorded. Because of the island's increasing popularity with tourists, efforts to protect the marine resources have been spearheaded by the local community and an unofficial marine reserve has been set up around West End and Sandy Bay.

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<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b> <small>FULL MOON 20:34 u.t.</small>  <small>Vesak (BIRTH &amp; ENLIGHTENMENT OF BUDDHA)</small>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>  <small>Fête de la Vierge (France)</small>
<b>9</b>  <small>Mother's Day (U.S., CANADA, AUSTRALIA, NEW ZEALAND)</small>	<b>10</b>  <small>Día de la Madre (Mexico)</small>	<b>11</b> <small>3rd QM 11:05 u.t.</small>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b> <small>NEW MOON 4:53 u.t.</small>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>
<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>  <small>Victoria Day (Canada)</small>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>
<b>30</b> <small>Pentecost Pentecôte Pentecostés</small>	<b>31</b> <small>Memorial Day (U.S., observe) Bank Holiday (U.K.)</small>	<small>African Freedom Day Shavuot begins at sundown</small>				



**Rudy Whitworth – Soft corals and Anthias – Thailand**

Anthias and other reef fish swim amongst the beautiful soft corals and sea fans on a reef in Thailand. Scenes like this attract large numbers of tourists and consequently, tourism has become one of the most significant uses of the reefs. The Thailand Department of Fisheries has been running a coral reef management program since 1995 focused on training and public education. Efforts are continuing to establish mooring buoys at dive sites to lessen anchor damage.

