

Thailand Snake Journal – Caught Reticulated Python

We were eating on some floating huts on a river -and I thought – this would make an ideal place for a snake to hang out... cool, thatched bamboo huts floating on a river in sunny Isaan Thailand.

I inspected all the huts – and at the last one – bang – a prize... a 1 meter long reticulated Python (*Malayopython reticulatus*). I put him in my snake bag and played with him a bit – watched him swim in the shallow river and got some great video of that – Pythons love the water. I'll post that video at <http://www.youtube.com/user/thailandsnakes> sometime when i have good internet. I didn't take any photos – just video.

That's the first snake I saw in Thailand's chilly northeast. It's super cold here – I'd be hibernating too.