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BANG LUMPHU

One of the oldest districts in Bangkok, Banglumphu was originally settle by Thai farmers and produce merchants from Ayuthaya who followed the transfer of the royal court to Bangkok in the late 18th century. The name means 'place of Lumphu', a reference to the lumphu tree [Duabanga grandiflora] once prevalent in the area. By the time of King Rama IV (1851-68), Banglumphu had developed into a thriving district by day, and an entertainment spot by

night

BANG LUMPHU and
BANTANAO
SHOPHOUSES



the last lumphuu tree

Nowadays, people remember “Bang lumphu” as a popular place for tourists. This area offers various inexpensive items, especially ready made clothes, handbags, men’s and lady’s shoes, cosmetics and curios.

All kinds of goods and foods are being sold here by all the types of traders ranging from street vendors, hawkers, stall, and retailers to department stores.



Bargaining is recommended. Also Bang Lumphu is a place where the parents can shop the school uniform for their Childs because here is offering many famous school uniform shops.



BANTANAO SHOPHOUSES [BANG LUMPHU AREA]

Tanao or Thanan Road was built in the reign of King Chulalongkorn [V] in 1863-1864. At the beginning Tanao Road was a part of Ferng-sak Road and its name “Tanao Road” or sometime called “Bang Tanao” was given by the King, according to there were many

Tanaosri people were moved from the southern of Thailand to settle down in this area.



Tanao Road begins from Bumrung Muang Road to See-gruk sao chin-cha, strength to Rajadamnoen avenue across Kok Wun intersection, the end of the Tanao road at Bovon Nivet Road, Sib Sam Hang Road, and Tanee Road are connected



Old shop houses on Ban Tanao Road in Bangkok. The area was assumed to be built not earlier than during the Fifth reign [1868-1910] because of their western-influenced architectural details. The shop houses have firewalls at two or three units. Original features of shop houses are found at the upper floor while the ground floor parts have been changed and redecorated to fit with current commercial activities.

Nowadays, Tanao Road is a very well-known place to buy wedding dresses, especially silvers and body jewelry. Here is the biggest silver retail market of

Thailand. So that on both sides along the road, you will see many wedding boutiques and silver shops.

