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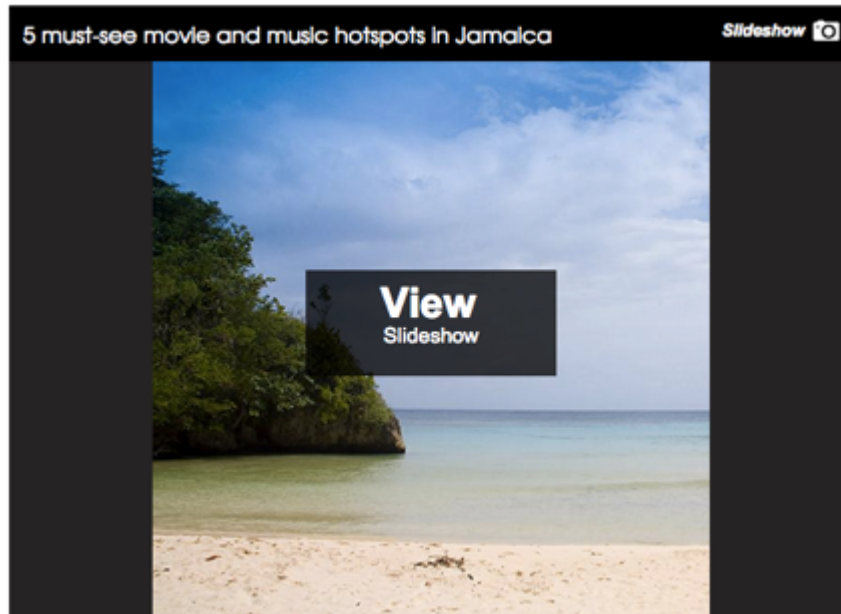
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5 must-see movie and music hotspots in Jamaica

Beyond James Bond, there's plenty for movie buffs and music geeks to explore on this island.

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Geejam Hotel

The musicians: Drake, Florence and the Machine and Gwen Stefani

The location: With all the movies shot in Jamaica, there can be such a thing as too much set-jetting. For a change of pace, do some song-setting instead by visiting the recording studio at Geejam Hotel, where Drake, Florence and the Machine and Gwen Stefani have all laid down tracks.

Why I loved it: Because I got to catch the hotel's weekly Friday night show: a performance by the Jolly Boys, Jamaica's oldest and most famous calypso band.

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Trident Castle

The album: *Reflektor* by Arcade Fire, 2013

The location: Arcade Fire rented out the Disney-princess-worthy Trident Castle and turned one of the bedrooms into a recording studio. The Canadian band even filmed the video for "You Already Know" in the master suite.

Why I loved it: Because every room in the castle was a jewel box waiting to be opened. I let my imagination run wild as I descended the spiral staircase into the opulent red dining room and out into the oceanfront courtyard, feeling very much like an eccentric baroness.

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