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\$10 OLD FASHIONEDS
CHOOSE YOUR BOURBON OR RYE BELOW

Angel's Envy • Basil Hayden® • Buffalo Trace Small Batch

Bulliet Rye • Castle & Key Small Batch

Castle & Key Restoration Rye • Elijah Craig Small Batch

James E. Pepper 1776 Small Batch

James E. Pepper 1776 Rye • Four Roses Small Batch

Makers Mark • Michter's US•1 Small Batch Bourbon

Michter's US•1 Single Barrel Kentucky Straight Rye

Pinhook Rye • Woodford Reserve

August COCKTAIL FEATURE



CUCUMBER CHAMOY SOUR

Cucumber Infused Stoli Chamoy Vodka, Triple Sec, and our house made sour mix, garnished with a cucumber ribbon and Tajín and salt rim

13

Please notify us of any food allergies- not every ingredient is listed and your well-being is important to us.

*State food code requires us to inform you consuming raw or uncooked meats and seafood may increase your risk of food-borne illness



It's Bloody Mary Time

'The Bloody Mary' dates back over 100 years to Paris, France

Our Bloody Mary's are served with our house garnish of candied bacon, shrimp*, olives, celery, pepper jack cheese, pepperoncini, and a seasoned rim

VODKA MARY

Tito's Handmade Vodka with our house-made Bloody Mary mix 13

GIN MARY

New Amsterdam Gin infused in house with black peppercorns and pimentos, the Bitter Truth Cucumber Bitters with our house-made Bloody Mary mix 13

BOURBON MARY

Four Roses 80 Proof with our house-made Bloody Mary mix 13

TEQUILA MARY

Camarena Reposado infused in house with fresh ginger and Serrano peppers, with our house-made Bloody Mary mix 13

HOT PEPPER MARY

Jeptha Creed Hot Pepper Vodka with our house-made Bloody Mary mix, topped with a sweet pepper added to our signature skewer 13



Carson's House Cocktails

Cocktails were invented by a Bartender in 1806 in New York City

CARSON'S OLD FASHIONED

Pinhook Straight Rye, the Bitter Truth Aromatic and Orange Bitters, simple syrup and a cocktail cherry stirred together and served on the rocks; garnished with a lemon and orange twist 13

FRENCH 75

New Amsterdam Gin, fresh squeezed lemon juice, and simple syrup topped with La Marca Prosecco; served in a champagne flute with a lemon twist 10

CARSON'S ESPRESSO MARTINI

Three Olives Espresso Vodka, Borghetti Espresso Liqueur, and the Bitter Truth Chocolate Bitters shaken and strained into a chilled martini glass and layered with half & half foam; garnished with shaved chocolate 14

KIR ROYALE

Black Raspberry Liqueur topped with California Champagne and garnished with a blackberry 10

ROGER'S MARGARITA

Camerena Reposado Tequila infused in-house with fresh ginger and serrano peppers, mixed with triple sec, and fresh squeezed sweet and sour; lightly shaken and served on the rocks with a partially salted rim and a wedge of lime 12

BLACK MANHATTAN

Michter's US 1 Single Barrel Kentucky Straight Rye, Foro Amaro Speciale Originate Liqueur, and dashes of the Bitter Truth Orange and Aromatic Bitters, stirred together on ice and served up or on the rocks; garnished with a cocktail cherry and an orange twist 14

BLUEBERRY LEMON DROP

Jeptha Creed Blueberry Vodka, Crop Lemon Vodka, triple sec, Reäl Blueberry Syrup, and fresh squeezed lemon juice served in a chilled martini glass with a sugared rim 13

WATERMELON MARTINI

Stoli® Cucumber™ Vodka, fresh squeezed lime juice, watermelon purée, and simple syrup shaken over ice and strained into a chilled martini glass; garnished with a cucumber slice 13

CARSON'S WHISKEY SOUR

Fonseca Bin 27 Port floated on top of Four Roses 80 Proof, and fresh squeezed sweet and sour; served on the rocks with a cocktail cherry garnish 11



Mocktails

*21+ • The following cocktails include "alcohol-removed" products (which contain trace amounts of alcohol)

- ♦ **ICED VANILLA COLD BREW** cold brew coffee and french vanilla syrup shaken over ice with half & half and garnished with whipped cream and a chocolate Pocky cookie 9
- ♦ **JALAPEÑO WATERMELON MARGARITA** watermelon purée, simple syrup, fresh squeezed orange and lime juice shaken with muddled jalapeno slices. Strained over ice and garnished with a salted rim and lime wedge 9
- ♦ **VIRGIN BLOODY MARY** our house-made Bloody Mary mix served with our house garnish of candied bacon, shrimp, olives, celery, pepper jack cheese, pepperoncini and seasoned rim 10
- ♦ **MOCK-MOSA** fresh squeezed orange juice topped with *Freixinet Sparkling white wine (Non-Alcoholic) 10
- ♦ **BELLINI** passion fruit, mango, watermelon, or peach purée topped with *Freixinet Sparkling White Wine (Non-Alcoholic) 10
- ♦ **WHITE SANGRIA** muddled fruit, fresh squeezed orange juice and *Stella Rosa Naturals Sparkling Peach Wine (Non-Alcoholic); topped with Sprite 10
- ♦ **RED SANGRIA** muddled fruit, fresh squeezed orange juice, blackberry purée and *Stella Rosa Naturals Sparkling Red Wine (Non-Alcoholic); topped with ginger ale 10



Draught Beer & Cider

There are over 90 Craft Breweries operating here in Kentucky

Stout - Guinness Stout	16oz. • 6.75
American Blonde Ale – Country Boy, Cougar Bait (Lexington, KY)	16oz. • 6.75
Blonde Ale – Mirror Twin, White Girl Wasted (Lexington, KY)	16oz. • 6.75
Mexican Amber Lager - Burl Brew, Burl Amber (Lexington, KY)	16oz. • 6.75
Cider - Ciderboys Rotating (Please Ask About Today's Selection)	16oz. • 6.75
Hefeweizen - Blue Stallion Hefeweizen (Lexington, KY)	20oz. • 6.75
IPA - West 6th IPA (Lexington, KY)	16oz. • 6.75
IPA - Rhinegeist Truth (Cincinnati, OH)	16oz. • 6.75
Lager - Country Boy Brewing, Country Light (Georgetown, KY)	16oz. • 6.75
Hazy IPA - Ethereal, Fadtastic (Lexington, KY)	16oz. • 6.75



Bottled Beer & Cider

Glass bottles hold their carbonation longer than cans or plastic bottles

Kentucky Bourbon Barrel Ale	9.75	Heineken	6.25
Heineken 0.0 (NON ALCOHOLIC)	6.25	Miller Lite	4.75
Corona	6.25	Bud Light	4.75
Stella Artois	6.25	Budweiser	4.75
Blue Moon	6.25	Michelob Ultra	4.75
Angry Orchard	6.25	Coors Light	4.75



Tequila

"True" tequila must be at least 51% true blue agave

Paladar Blanco	16	Casa Maestri Reposado	18
Paladar Reposado	18	Casa Maestri Añejo	21
Tequila Ocho Single Estate Blanco	12	Don Fulano Blanco	15
Tequila Ocho Single Estate Reposado	14	Don Fulano Reposado	18
Corazón Blanco	9	Patrón Silver	12
Corazón Reposado	10	Don Julio Blanco	14
Casa Maestri Blanco	15	La Gritona Reposado	12



Cognac

All cognac is brandy, but not all brandy is cognac

Hennessy VS 12

Hennessy VSOP 14



Ports

Perfectly paired with dessert and good conversation

Glass

Taylor Fladgate 'Late Bottle Vintage' Porto
Vila Nove De Gaia, Portugal

12

Fonseca 10 Year Tawny Port
Portugal

15

Taylor Fladgate 20 Year Tawny Port
Vila Nove De Gaia, Portugal

18



Scotch

In order to be 'Real Scotch Whiskey', it MUST come from Scotland

Dewar's	10	Glenmorangie 10 Year	11
Glenfiddich 12 Year	12	Glenmorangie Very Rare 18 Year	38
Glenfiddich 18 Year	35	Lagavulin	25
Glenlivet 12 Year	12	The Macallan 12 Year	18
Glenlivet 14 Year	19		



Allocated Bourbon, Rye, & Whiskey

Hard to find & easy to drink; a true experience

PLEASE ASK YOUR SERVER FOR OUR LIST*

Our list of limited availability Bourbons, Ryes, & Whiskeys has been specifically curated to include those elusively delicious selections you've been dying to get your hands on!

*Our list is always changing & updating and may be different from your last visit

Some of our selections may have limited availability



Bourbon, Rye, & Whiskey

So many choices, so little time... you'll probably have to come back again!

MAKE IT A FLIGHT

Your choice of any 3 bourbons, ryes, or scotches below*, served with Carson's candied bacon • Price determined by HIGHEST PRICED selection

*Must be THREE SEPARATE selections

1792 Small Batch	11	Knob Creek Rye	11
Angel's Envy	12	Maker's Mark®	10
Angel's Envy Rye	18	Maker's Mark 46® Bourbon	11
Bardstown Origin Series High Wheat	12	Maker's Mark® 'Cask Strength'	13
Basil Hayden® Bourbon	13	Michter's US1 Small Batch Bourbon	11
Blackwood Toasted Rye	25	Michter's US1 Single Barrel Rye	11
Bluegrass Distillers 'Toasted Barrel'	14	Never Say Die Small Batch Bourbon	16
Buffalo Trace Small Batch	11	Never Say Die Rye Whiskey	22
Bulleit	11	Noah's Mill	15
Bulleit Rye	11	Old Forester	11
Castle & Key Small Batch	11	Old Forester Rye	11
Castle & Key Restoration Rye	11	Old Forester 1870 'Original Batch'	12
Club Blue "Team White"	11	Old Forester 1897 'Bottled in Bond'	13
Elijah Craig Small Batch	11	Old Forester 1910 'Old Fine Whiskey'	14
Elijah Craig Rye	11	Old Forester 1920 'Prohibition Style'	15
Four Roses Single Barrel	12	Pinhook	10
Four Roses Small Batch	11	Pinkhook Straight Rye	11
Four Roses Carson's Barrel Strength Private Select	22	Rowan's Creek	11
Horse Soldier Reserve	19	Sazarac Rye	11
Horse Soldier Signature	17	Stonestreet Small Batch	17
Horse Soldier Premium	12	Town Branch	10
James E. Pepper 1776 Rye	10	Town Branch Rye	11
James E. Pepper 1776 'Small Batch'	10	WhistlePig 10-Year-Old Straight Rye	22
Jefferson's Reserve 'Very Small Batch'	16	Willet Pot Still	14
Jefferson's Ocean 'Aged at Sea'	20	Woodford Reserve	12
Jeptha Creed Bottled in Bond	14	Woodford Reserve Rye Whiskey	12
Jeptha Creed Red, White, & Blue	18	Woodford Reserve Double Oaked	16
Jim Beam	10	2XO - Oak Series: French Oak	12
Knob Creek Small Batch	11	2XO - Oak Series: American Oak Blend	12
		2XO - Oak Series: White Oak Rye	12





Carson's Wine Selections (1/2)

Life is too short to drink bad wine

Sparkling & Champagne

	Glass	Bottle
La Marca Extra Dry, Prosecco • Vento, Italy	12	48
Veuve Clicquot Yellow Label Reserve Cuvée • Champagne, France		98
Taittinger Brut "La Française" Champagne • Champagne, France		150

Pinot Grigio

	Glass	Bottle
Benvolio Friuli Venezia Giulia, Italy	11	44
Santa Margarita Region of Alto Adige, Italy	15	60

Rosé

	Glass	Bottle
La Crema Sonoma, California	13	52
Calvet Sparkling Brut • Bordeaux, France	14	56

Sauvignon Blanc

	Glass	Bottle
La Crema Sonoma, California	13	52
Stoneleigh South Island, Marlborough, New Zealand	13	52

Chardonnay

	Glass	Bottle
Kendall-Jackson "Vintner's Reserve" Sonoma, California	12	48
Sonoma-Cutrer "Russian River Ranches" Russian River Valley, California	15	60
Flowers Sonoma Coast, California		75
Stonestreet "Estate Vineyards" Alexander Valley, California		95



Featured Wine Selections

Time in the spotlight for some extra special wines

PLEASE ASK YOUR SERVER FOR OUR FEATURED WINE LIST

*Our selection(s) is always changing and items may be different or unavailable from your last visit



Carson's Wine Selections (2/2)

Life is too short to drink bad wine (so true we said it twice)

Interesting Reds & Whites

	Glass	Bottle
Cavit Collection Moscato	11	44
Moscato • Trevenezie IGT, Lombardy, Italy		
Relax	12	48
Reisling • Germany		
Conundrum "Red Blend"	12	48
Zinfandel - Petite Sirah - Cabernet • California		
Les Cadrans de Lassegue		78
St. Émilion, Gran Cru • Bordeaux, France		

Pinot Noir

	Glass	Bottle
Murphy Goode	12	48
California		
Inscription by "King Estate"	14	56
Willamette Valley, Oregon		
Cambria "Julia's Vineyard"		60
Santa Maria Valley, California		
Belle Glos "Dairyman"		85
Russian River Valley, Sonoma County, California		
Hartford Court 'Land's Edge'		110
Sonoma Coast		

Merlot

	Glass	Bottle
Decoy by Duckhorn	12	48
St. Helena, California		
Oberon		68
Napa Valley, California		

Cabernet Sauvignon

	Glass	Bottle
Mark West	12	48
California		
Bootleg	15	60
Paso Robles, California		
Daou Reserve	20	80
Paso Robles, California		
Austin Hope 1L Bottle	22	88
Paso Robles, California		
Stags' Leap		115
Napa Valley, California		
Silver Oak		170
Alexander Valley, California		
Vérité La Joie - Cabernet Blend		300
74% Cabernet Sauvignon - 10% Cabernet Franc		
7% Merlot - 6% Petit Verdot - 3% Malbec		
Somoma County, California		
Cardinale 2014 - Cabernet Blend		400
88% Cabernet Sauvignon - 12% Merlot		
Napa Valley, California		



After Dinner Cocktails

Sure. These may be cocktails, but they taste like dessert

- ◆ **THE KENTUCKY DUDE** Bird Dog Peanut Butter Whiskey, KAHLÚA Coffee Liqueur, and the Bitter Truth Chocolate Bitters topped with half & half cream; served over ice and garnished with a chocolate Pocky stick cookie 11
- ◆ **CHOCOLATE MARTINI** Dorda Double Chocolate Liqueur, Stoli® Vanilla™ Vodka, dark crème de cacao and half & half shaken and strained into a chocolate syrup swirled martini glass 14
- ◆ **CARSON'S ESPRESSO MARTINI** Three Olives Espresso Vodka, Borghetti Espresso Liqueur, and the Bitter Truth Chocolate Bitters, shaken and strained into a chilled martini glass and layered with half & half foam; garnished with shaved chocolate 14



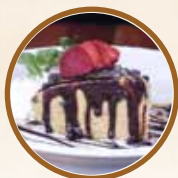
Desserts

Don't worry; You have room!

- ◆ **BANANA BOURBON BREAD PUDDING** bananas sautéed in banana liqueur, bourbon, and caramel, topped with whipped cream and powdered sugar 9
- ◆ **KERN'S KITCHEN® DERBY PIE** drizzled with caramel and chocolate and served warm with vanilla bean ice cream 9
- ◆ **CARSON'S CARROT CAKE** with layers of butter cream frosting, candied pecans, caramel sauce, whipped cream dusted with powdered sugar 9
- ◆ **ICE CREAM SUNDAE MARTINI** vanilla bean ice cream, with chocolate & caramel drizzle, topped with whipped cream, powdered sugar, mint, and candied pecans 9
- ◆ **TRIPLE LAYER CHOCOLATE CAKE** served warm with seasonal berries, vanilla bean ice cream, and topped with a raspberry and chocolate drizzle, powdered sugar and a mint leaf 9
- ◆ **FRIED KERN'S KITCHEN® DERBY PIE BITES** drizzled with caramel and chocolate and served warm with vanilla bean ice cream 9
- ◆ **NEW YORK CHEESECAKE** served with raspberry sauce, fresh strawberries, whipped cream, powdered sugar, and fresh mint 9
- ◆ **PEANUT BUTTER PIE** crispy graham cracker crust with our house-made peanut butter pie filling. Drizzled with chocolate and caramel and topped with mini chocolate chips, powdered sugar, whipped cream, and a fresh strawberry 9
- ◆ **DEEP FRIED CINNAMON BISCUIT SUNDAE** a deep-fried cinnamon sugar biscuit topped with vanilla bean ice cream, whipped cream, caramel & chocolate sauce, and finished with candied pecans 9
- ◆ **CHOCOLATE TORTE** (gluten free) with chocolate and raspberry drizzle; finished with shaved chocolate and a fresh strawberry 9



"Life is short. Eat dessert first."



Brunch Cocktails

AVAILABLE ALL THE TIME!

Brunch Cocktails

WATERMELON MARTINI Stoli® Cucumber™ Vodka, fresh squeezed lime juice, watermelon purée, and simple syrup shaken over ice and strained into a chilled martini glass; garnished with a cucumber slice 13

THE BASIL BLUSH Rock Town Vodka, Eldee Elderflower Liqueur, simple syrup and fresh squeezed grapefruit juice lightly shaken with fresh basil and strained into a chilled cocktail glass; garnished with a fresh basil leaf 12

BRUNCH PUNCH Castle & Key Gin and RumHaven Coconut Rum mixed with pineapple, cranberry, fresh squeezed orange juice, and sliced fruit; finished with a splash of soda water and garnished with seasonal berries and an edible orchid 13

MIMOSA California champagne with fresh squeezed orange juice 8

BOURBON COLD BREW cold brew coffee, Four Roses 80 Proof, Faretti Biscotti Liqueur, half and half, a dash of the Bitter Truth Chocolate Bitters poured over ice topped with whipped cream and a chocolate Pocky cookie 13

CARSON'S ESPRESSO MARTINI Three Olives Espresso Vodka, Borghetti Espresso Liqueur, and the Bitter Truth Chocolate Bitters, shaken and strained into a chilled martini glass and layered with half & half foam; garnished with shaved chocolate 14

KIR ROYAL Black Raspberry Liqueur topped with California Champagne and garnished with a blackberry 10

FRENCH 75 New Amsterdam Gin, fresh squeezed lemon juice, and simple syrup topped with La Marca Prosecco; served in a champagne flute with a lemon twist 10

RED SANGRIA hand crafted with muddled fruit, Pinot Noir, and triple sec, topped with ginger ale & a garnish of fresh blackberries 10

WHITE SANGRIA hand crafted with muddled fruit, Riesling, triple sec, and peach schnapps, topped with Sprite & fresh blackberries 10

Bellinis Bellinis were invented by Giuseppe Cupriani at Harry's Bar in Venice, Italy.

PASSION FRUIT • MANGO • WATERMELON • PEACH 9

California champagne mixed with your favorite fruit purée selection

Its Bloody Mary Time

Served with our house garnish of candied bacon, shrimp*, olives, celery, pepper jack cheese, pepperoncini and seasoned rim

GIN MARY New Amsterdam Gin infused in house with black peppercorns and pimentos, the Bitter Truth Cucumber Bitters with our house-made Bloody Mary mix 13

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