

Restaurant Review: Take In Soft Jazz & Creole Eats at Arnaud's



By [Bonnie Griffin](#)

In this [restaurant review](#), Arnaud's in New Orleans serves classic Creole Cuisine in the heart of the French Quarter. Arnaud's has been serving people since 1918. With an award-winning bar, great food, and dinner with Jazz music, you can't go wrong if you're looking for a great meal or romantic date night dinner for two.

Restaurant Review: Arnaud's offers a supreme New Orleans dining experience!



Arnaud's signature dish, Shrimp Arnaud. Photo: Yelp.com

Looking for a romantic dinner date that is bound to impress. Arnaud's offers two main dining areas that are sure to meet your needs. Looking for beautiful elegance, then book your reservation in the main dining room. How about a little music to liven up the night? Reserve dinner in the Jazz Bistro room and enjoy your classic Creole dish with a little pizzazz with some live Dixieland Jazz.



Arnaud's Filet Mignon. Photo: Instagram/@arnaudsnola

This [popular restaurant](#) has a delicious Creole menu that is sure to keep you wanting to come back for more. They offer wonderful signature dishes like Shrimp Arnaud, Smoked Pompano, and Filet Mignon au Poivre. Everything is elegant from the rooms and decore, to the staff's attire and the guest dress code which recommends jackets for gentlemen in the Main Dining Room. You won't catch anyone wearing shorts and flip flops in this restaurant.



Arnaud's Fine Dining. Photo: Instagram/@arnaudsnola

Arnaud's is great for a sophisticated taste of the French Corner located only steps away from Bourbon Street. Want an elegant night out? Reserve dinner in the Main Dining Room. Or, if you're looking to add a little spice to [date night](#), you can enjoy live Jazz music in the Jazz Bistro, all while eating some of the best Creole Cuisine that New Orleans has to offer. You can find more about Arnaud's and make reservations online at <https://www.arnaudsrestaurant.com/>, or through social media on [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#).

Restaurant Review: Enjoy

Haute Creole Cuisine at Commander's Palace



By [Bonnie Griffin](#)

In this [restaurant review](#), Commander's Palace in New Orleans has been voted one of the best restaurants in the South by *Southern Living*. Commander's Palace is known for award-winning food and a lively atmosphere full of history, giving visitors an enjoyable glimpse into New Orleans history while enjoying Haute Creole cuisine.

Restaurant Review: Commander's

Palace is the go-to for Haute Creole cuisine!



Outside view of Commanders Palace in New Orleans. Photo: Facebook/@Andrew Schuld

It is no wonder that Commander's Palace has won seven James Beard Foundation Awards. The restaurant has had numerous renowned chefs working there, preparing delicious cuisine from Emeril Lagasse, to Tory McPhail.



Commander's Palace Turtle Soup. Photo: Yelp.com

Thanks to the owner's pride in the restaurant and these famous chefs, Commander's Palace is a world-class restaurant you'll be dying to try if you make a trip to New Orleans.



Commanders Palace Pecan Crusted Gulf Fish. Photo: Yelp.com

If you're looking for a great place to eat on [date night](#) and wanting to dress up for your partner, look no further than Commander's Palace. This [popular restaurant](#) has a strictly enforced dress code, and the restaurant is all about fine dining with elegant white tablecloths and crystal chandeliers. It will be sure to impress your date. You can enjoy one of the chef's innovative meals like pecan-crusted gulf fish, turtle soup, or gumbo du jour. Top it all off with a glass of wine from their award-winning wine list.



Commanders Palace Wine. Photo: Instagram/@commanderspalace

Commander's Palace is great for date night, or dinner anytime. Although many patrons are from out of town the atmosphere is elegant and welcoming with an air of sophistication. You can enjoy award-winning food and wine while receiving top-notch service. You can find them on their website at

<https://www.commanderspalace.com/>, or through social media on [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#).

New York Restaurants: Hidden Gems for Sushi Lovers



By [Emily Green](#)

New York City is a city full of things you wouldn't expect. Almost anything you can think of you can find in NYC; you just have to know where to look. Are you a sushi fan? The City is full of [famous restaurants](#) with absolutely amazing sushi, even if it doesn't look like it from the outside.

Finding a good place with even better sushi can be hard to find, what are the best New York restaurants for sushi?

Sushi isn't for everyone, but for those who are sushi lovers, it can be hard to find places with quality food. Here are some of Cupid's hidden gem sushi restaurants in New York City:

1. Odo: Located on 17 West 20th St, NYC, Odo is in the back of an all day cafe and cocktail bar. The restaurant has only 14 seats, so you and your party will partake in a 9 course dinner filled with a variety of types of sushi. The chef used to run one of New York's most celebrated vegan restaurants, and will not disappoint his customers in their dining experience.

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2. HŪSO: Operating out of Marky's on Madison, you and your party can enjoy a seven course meal for up to \$200. From sushi to king crab, you can enjoy any type of seafood in this small 12 seated restaurant.

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3. The Hidden Pearl: Tucked away in a residential neighborhood, this restaurant can be hard to find. Decorated based on hues from Okinawa, Japan, this secluded restaurant will leave you full and relaxed until your heart's content.

4. Resident: Let's start off by saying, this isn't your typical restaurant. Resident does not occupy one space, but instead, several spaces in a variety of condo locations. With a variety of courses, Resident brings you that homey feel even when you aren't home.

5. TAO Downtown: If you're looking for a classic place to either host a party or simply go out to dinner, TAO Downtown is the perfect place. From having live entertainment to a wide variety of courses, you will not leave hungry, that's for sure.

What are some of your favorite sushi places in New York City? Let us know in the comments below!

Restaurant Review: SUR Restaurant & Lounge in LA Is a One-of-a-Kind Dining Experience





By Bre Gajewski

In West Hollywood, just a block off of Melrose Avenue lies SUR Restaurant & Lounge, a beautifully designed space with several unique rooms, a charming wait-staff and delicious food.

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[Restaurant](#) is serving up delectable Southern European cuisine, making you feel like you have traveled abroad without leaving LA.



An elegant dining area at SUR

SUR is owned by two couples: Guillermo Zapata (the original owner) and his wife Natalie alongside Lisa Vanderpump and Ken Todd, whom you may know from hit reality TV show *Real Housewives of Beverly Hills* and *Vanderpump Rules*. In fact, the latter show follows the employees at SUR as they build their futures.



The owners of SUR restaurant: Ken Todd, Lisa Vanderpump, Guillermo Zapata and Nathalie Zapata

Lori Bizzoco, Founder and Executive Editor of Cupid's Pulse, recently had the opportunity to not only meet Guillermo and the staff at SUR, but also to enjoy a meal when she was in Los Angeles last week. "What you see on the show does not depict the politeness and attentiveness of the staff," said Bizzoco. "We were definitely expecting to see some more drama but everyone we met were so sweet."



Lori Bizzoco, Guillermo Zapata and Tonia DeCosimo at SUR

It turns out that the ambiance at SUR truly stands up to its name: Sexy Unique Restaurant. Each smaller room in this large venue creates an intimate dining setting. Along with its indoor dining, SUR also has a romantic outdoor patio and a chic private-party room. "It was beautifully decorated with fresh flowers everywhere," Bizzoco mused. "It felt like I was in an old mansion or walking through a Victorian maze. There was room after room, each one more elegant than the last."



One of the many dining rooms at SUR

Outside of the ambiance, the food is what makes this restaurant stand out. Bizzoco had the opportunity to try out various items from the SUR menu. She started out with the Chicken Steamed Dumplings and Fried Goat Cheese appetizers, which were both delicious.

Bizzoco also tried the Shrimp Risotto, which she described as “incredible” in addition to the Jumbo Shrimp Fettuccine. “The shrimp melted in your mouth, and the fettuccine was so creamy and smooth,” she said.



Roasted Salmon Dish

That being said, Bizzoco's favorite dish was the Roasted Natural Salmon depicted above. "It was amazing," she said. "Beautifully seared on the outside and so moist on the inside that it melted right in my mouth."

With its beautiful ambiance, seasoned wait-staff, and delicious menu, SUR definitely stands up to its self-description as being on the "cutting-edge of style and cuisine." Dining at SUR (or even just stopping in for drinks) is an experience unlike any other.

Check out their [website](#) for more information and don't forget to follow them on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) and [Instagram](#) to fill your timeline with mouth-watering food.

Date Idea: Go To a Turkey Shoot



By [Carly Horowitz](#) and Kristin Mattern

If you can't wait for Thanksgiving and dreams of pumpkin pie and mashed potatoes are already filling your head, it's time to get into the holiday spirit! This weekend, take your significant other to a turkey shoot. Don't worry, no turkeys are harmed during this event! Take aim at love as you and your partner shoot at targets 30 feet away in this long-standing traditional competition. Whoever hits the center of the targets, or just gets the closest, wins a frozen turkey as a prize! It'll be the perfect addition to your Thanksgiving table.

Take part in this traditional [date idea](#) during this season of thanks!

Get in the mood for this date by wearing flannel shirts and horseback riding boots. If you're a skilled shooter, impress your babe with your marksmanship. And if you're a little gun shy (pun intended), a good tip to remember is to move with the recoil as the gun hits your shoulder to avoid bruising or discomfort. Always wear safety goggles and practice safe shooting. Don't point your rifle anywhere but the target and follow all the instructions provided by the event coordinators to ensure a fun and safe time.

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When your turkey shoot is over, it's time to head back for a romantic home-cooked meal. Cooking is a fun activity that you can enjoy together. Grow closer with your sweetheart while swapping recipes or researching some new ones. For something simple, make a dish like pasta with red sauce and turkey meatballs. During your [date night](#) time in the kitchen, discover each other's favorite foods and types of cuisine. If you don't feel like cooking, order in! Opt for cheesy pizza or spicy Thai food, whatever the two of you are craving after your big day. Look into some [famous restaurants](#) near you and see if they offer take-out as well.

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After dinner, make Thanksgiving-themed drinks like hot apple cider or cranberry and vodka and watch a Thanksgiving movie. You and your honey will laugh until it hurts watching a classic like *Trains, Planes and Automobiles*. Then, get a little sentimental and relive your childhood with *A Charlie Brown Thanksgiving*. Build a fire in the fireplace and really get cozy with the one you love as you prep for the upcoming

holiday.

This date idea could be you and your sweetheart's new November tradition!

Ever been on a Turkey Shoot? Tell about your experience in the comments below!

5 Must-Visit Locations for Book Loving Couples



By [Marissa Donovan](#)

Reading can be an activity enjoyed by you and your partner.

Although the hobby might not be every couple's cup of tea, it's something some bookworm partners truly bond over. There are many locations to visit for couples who love to read! From hotels to museums to bars, check out these hot spots across the United States!

Travel away to these book lover locations with your partner!

1. Portsmouth Book & Bar in Portsmouth, New Hampshire: This New England nook gives a cozy feeling to book lovers who love to eat. Watch live performances or get beer on tap with a fresh sandwich. You can also buy books right off the shelves. You will feel at home at this New Hampshire hot spot.



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2. Chumley's in New York, New York: This historic New York location was the stomping grounds for authors such as Ernest Hemingway, F Scott Fitzgerald, and Zelda Fitzgerald. Many famous authors have photos hanging on the walls of this location. The delicious restaurant serves many [food](#) dishes worth ordering and might be a great spot for your next [date](#)

[night.](#)



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3. The Beat Museum in San Francisco, California: Learn more about the minds behind the Beat Generation in this museum made for fans of Jack Kerouac, Allen Ginsberg, and other authors. Book loving couple will enjoy the North Beach walking and museum tour the location has to offer their visitors.



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4. The Library Hotel in New York, New York: Bookworms can rest easy in this creative New York hotel. The hotel has many shelves full of books to browse before walking the city streets. Book reservations for a honeymoon or anniversary date that you will not forget!



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5. Carousel Piano Bar & Lounge in New Orleans, Louisiana: This is one of the coolest bars you will ever visit in your life if you and your book loving partner stop at this famous Louisiana hot spot. Many famous authors such as Tennessee Williams and Truman Capote have had drinks at this location. Besides having famous guests, the bar is literally styled like a carousel that you can drink at!



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Will you be visiting one of these locations soon? Let us know in the comments!

Famous Restaurants: Have a Scary Good Time in NYC





By [Marissa Donovan](#)

Calling all Tim Burton fans and Halloween lovers! Cupid has found the perfect treat for having a scary good time. Whether you are going out with your friends or planning a date night for Halloween, Beetle House in New York City is the place to be! This themed eatery is decorated top to bottom in everything Tim Burton and happens to be open year round. Not only does this movie themed hot spot have a creative food menu, but it also has also a unique drink menu.

Check out just a few of the many drink options you can order at this [famous restaurant](#).

Edward's Lemonade: Have Edward Scissorhands help make his tasty lemonade just for you! This citrus sweet drink is made old fashion style with Orange bitters. Beetle House makes sure that you can enjoy summer lemonade and the feeling Halloween at the same time!

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This Is Halloween: Have a glass of pure fright! This drink is a mix of Pumpkin Liqueur, sour apple pucker, apple cider, and fireball. This drink will surprise you with all it's fall flavors.



This is Halloween drink.
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Big Fish Bowl: This drink is big enough to share with friends or your partner! Beetle Juice offers this bar favorite with Malibu rum, Blue Curacao liqueur, Vodka, sprite, sweet-and-sour mix, Nerds candy, and of course Swedish fish candies! Dive in to this drink and maybe have Beetlejuice serve you.

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The Jack Skellington: Toast to the King of Halloween with this cold refreshing drink! This beverage is a mix of creme de coconut, orange blossom, Bacardi Rum, and lime juice. It's also topped off with crushed ice and orange zest to keep you chilled to the bone!



The Jack Skellington drink. Photo: Beetle House/Facebook.com

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The Chocolate Factory Martini: Try a sip of rich and creamy drink that will make you feel like a kid again! This remake of a kid-like treat is mixed with Dorda chocolate liqueur, creme de cocoa, cream, and Vanilla vodka. It's not purely your imagination, this drink is delicious as it looks!



The Chocolate Factory Martini. Photo: Beetle House/Facebook.com

Have you visited this famous restaurants before? Tell us your experience in the comments!

Famous Restaurants: Top Places Celebrities Go for Date Night



By [Melissa Lee](#)

Celebs are always dining at the most decadent restaurants, and date night is no exception. If anything, it's an excuse to go all out in the most romantic way possible, complete with the

best food imaginable. If you and your sweetheart are in the mood to treat yourselves to dinner at a famous restaurant fit for the stars, check out some of the top places celebs go on their [date nights](#)!

Lucky for you, Cupid has compiled a list of famous restaurants that your fave celeb couples hit up on date night!

1. Rosie's, NYC: [Jessica Simpson](#) and her husband, Eric Johnson, have hit up this authentic Mexican spot on multiple occasions. They've been spotted there both on a date night and with a group of friends. Located in the East Village, Rosie's is known for their amazing Mexican food. Plus, in such a popular neighborhood, you and your partner can head out to a bar for a fun night out!

2. Sant Ambroeus, NYC: This NYC-based restaurant has hosted a slew of celeb couples, some of which include Beyonce and [Jay-Z](#)! Sant Ambroeus serves incredible Italian food, and they're famous for their delightful desserts. This cozy spot has five locations, all of which are spread throughout different neighborhoods of the city, giving each restaurant a completely new experience.

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3. Serendipity 3, NYC: Serendipity is a New York treasure, so it's no wonder why celebs adore heading to this spot. It's an extremely popular restaurant located on the Upper East Side that serves all the desserts you could ever imagine. [Ryan Reynolds](#) and wife [Blake Lively](#) along with John Travolta and Kelly Preston are only some of the couples that have been spotted here, enjoying variations of chocolate delicacies on

their date nights.

4. Soho House, LA: This elite restaurant meets club is a celebrity hotspot – it's where former couple Robert Pattinson and [Kristen Stewart](#) first made their appearance together. This private members club serves food and drinks all day. Soho House is especially known for their club within a club, where they serve late-night drinks and food.

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5. Tower Bar at Sunset Tower Hotel, LA: The romantic restaurant/bar hosted [Jennifer Aniston](#) and Justin Theroux after they got engaged, treating them to a celeb-approved dinner. Tower Bar is actually recognized as a place that celebrity couples frequent on date night, mainly due to their elaborate menu and complimentary wine list.

What are your favorite date night restaurants? Leave your thoughts below.

5 Famous Restaurants from Movies You Have to Visit in Real Life





By [Marissa Donovan](#)

Have you been searching for cool hot spots for your next vacation? Are you ready to try out a new eating destination in your area? As you may already know, New York and California are the two most common places for movie locations. Cupid has found five famous restaurants that are perfect for your next [date night](#) or [getaway](#)!

Have an unforgettable dining experience at these famous restaurants from movie locations!

1. Serendipity 3 from *Serendipity*: Order their famous frozen hot chocolate like John Cusack and [Kate Beckinsale](#) did in the film! The restaurant's menu has a wide variety of desserts you can choose from. If you plan on having a winter getaway in New York, make sure to visit this movie magic place.



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2. Il Cielo from *Legally Blonde*: This Italian restaurant is fantastic for any relationship milestone! Their outdoor and indoor seating is romantic for an intimate date as the tables can sometimes be covered in rose petals. Even though [Reese Witherspoon's](#) character had her heartbroken here, that doesn't mean you can't have the perfect date night!



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Hills, CA 90211, USA
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3. House of Pies from *No Strings Attached*: Order a sweet treat and coffee at this little slice of heaven! This restaurant was the location where [Ashton Kutcher](#) and Natalie Portman shot their breakfast scene together. The food is so delicious, you might make people thinking you eat like a baby dinosaur!



1869 N Vermont Ave, Los Angeles, CA 90027, USA

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4. The Lighthouse Cafe from *La La Land*: Listen to live music and have some drinks at this jazz club! Miles Davis and Chet Baker have played at this venue. The club serves brunch, dinner, and a wide variety of beers. It's a great place for music lovers and fans of the award winning film!



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5. Larry's Lounge from 27 Dresses: Sing your heart out to "Bennie and The Jets" at this dive bar. If you plan on visiting Pawtucket, RI, this is a must stop! The bar has comedians and a friendly staff. It might even be a fun place to have a bachelorette party.



140 Dexter St Pawtucket, RI
02860, USA Photo: Andrew
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Have you visited these movie locations? Let us know about your experiences in the comments!

Famous Restaurants: Hottest Happy Hours in NYC





By [Noelle Downey](#)

Whether you're prepping for a Tinder date and you're not sure where to go or you're in desperate need of a night out with friends for a few drinks, happy hour is a great way to have a ton of fun and keep your bill at the end of the night under budget. However, especially if you're in a busy city like NYC, the amount of restaurants that offer happy hours can feel overwhelming. So, to make your next night out on the town in the Big Apple feel a little less hectic, here are five of the hottest happy hours in NYC that will win you over with their low-priced drinks and great food in a New York minute.

There's nothing happier than happy hour, so get ready to put all of these top five famous restaurants at the top of your list for your

next night out on the town!

1. Dutch Kills: This Long Island City restaurant is a great place to head when you're looking for a cocktail and a great happy hour deal. From 4-7 PM on Sunday through Thursday you can choose from a list of hand-selected cocktails to sip for just eight dollars apiece. This is the perfect place to head for a night out with the girls because it's busy and bustling; get there early or you'll find the bar packed and the seating arrangements strictly standing room only!

2. Mess Hall: If you're looking for an NYC location with a little more of a rustic vibe, look no further than the Mess Hall, a pub in Harlem that focuses on the natural side of things, with taxidermied animals styled next to romantic string lights for a mix of woodsy and sexy. Every day from 4-8 PM the Mess Hall happy hour features wine, beer and shots for just six dollars and certain drafts for just five dollars. Sip a sensational drink for a reasonable price and enjoy the décor and a fun night out at this Harlem location.

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3. Shorty's: Want to head out for some fun drinks and laughs, but also craving a large, delicious meal? Never fear, Shorty's Upper East Side location has just what you're looking for with not one but *two* daily happy hours Monday through Friday from 4-6 PM and 10 PM to closing. Chug a beer for only five dollars or sip a well drink for six while also enjoying one of Shorty's specialty cheesesteaks for a hearty and satisfying dinner that will leave you ready to take the city night life by storm.

4. Fresh Salt: If you're strolling across Brooklyn Bridge on a hot [date night](#) and feel the need for a little nightcap, look no further than Fresh Salt, a short walk away. Although the

sign may look a bit weathered, this famous restaurant offers classic ambience and great deals, with a happy hour from 4-8 PM daily that offers six dollar glasses of delicious wine and five dollar draft beers and well drinks. Keep things fresh at Fresh Salt whether you're visiting with a potential new love interest, a friend from work, or all your BFF's.

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5. Bubby's: If you're craving more variety when it comes to happy hour drinks and are also feeling the need for some great burgers or jerk chicken, try Bubby's, a great hotspot with colorful chairs outside and a fun and funky feel on the inside. Happy hour comes every Monday through Friday from 4-7 PM and features a variety of lower-priced drinks, including alcoholic punch, 50/50 martinis and sparkling wines, all for just seven dollars apiece. Sip a drink and enjoy the relaxed and fun environment at this famous NY restaurant bustling with all the energy of the big city.

Will you be visiting any of these establishments the next time you want to enjoy a drink during happy hour? What are some of your favorite drinks when you're out with your friends? Let us know in the comments!

Popular Restaurants: Best Bagels in NYC





By [Noelle Downey](#)

Whether you're looking for a snack to tide you over until your next meal, a delicious breakfast, or a salty and savory sandwich for lunch, NYC bagels are famous for fulfilling New Yorker's cravings and keeping them on their feet as they rush through their busy and fulfilling lives in the big city. The best bagel shops in NYC are therefore hotly contested, but whether you're looking for a brunch experience, an authentic hole-in-the-wall vibe, or an internet sensation come to life, we here at Cupid's Pulse have complied a list of the most famous restaurants to visit when you're craving a bagel in the Big Apple.

Everyone loves a good bagel, particularly in New York City! Here are the most popular restaurants where you can head to experience an

authentic and vital New York bagel experience.

1. The Bagel Store: With a tagline on their website that claims that their special rainbow bagels “broke the internet,” this quirky little bagel shop in Brooklyn boasts one of the premier spots for tourists to swing by and taste a delicious and colorful version of a classic NYC food staple. Have your bagel with a funky rainbow twist or a splash of glitter for an Instagram-worthy snack or keep it classic with their take on age-old standbys like the everything or sesame seed bagels. Not in NYC? Don’t worry, this popular restaurant ships their famous rainbow bagels worldwide! But hurry up and place your order – there’s a waitlist for these famous treats!

2. H&H Midtown Bagels East: If you’re a bagels fanatic or an NYC native, you’re probably aware of the famous NY restaurant spot for tasty bagels, H&H, that closed its doors in 2011. While H&H Midtown Bagels East isn’t officially affiliated with its bagel-selling predecessor, it’s definitely the answer to the question thousands of New Yorkers had on the tip of their tongue when H&H closed for business: “Where will we get our bagels now?” H&H Midtown Bagels East has a whopping 20 different varieties of bagels, all of them created with a recipe that’s a clear homage to the original H&H, which lends itself to the perfect bite that’s both nostalgic and revitalized. Mix and match with their 15 different spreads and try each combination until you find your favorites at this newly classic bagel shop.

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3. Bagel Hole: If you’re looking for something classic with an authentic “hole in the wall” NYC feel, look no further than Bagel Hole, a bagel shop that sells old-fashioned favorites that are wildly popular with true New Yorkers. With a

carefully crafted recipe that uses malt instead of an overpowering sugar, these bagels are made fresh every day with a remarkably unique and inviting taste. Smear your tasty snack with some of their featured fillings, like tuna salad, housemade lox, or a variety of flavored cream cheeses that will have your mouth watering for more.

4. Sadelle's: Are bagels your favorite part of any complete brunch? Than stop by Sadelle's and enjoy their shining dining room, complete with three-tiered fish towers offered for the table and a vintage bistro flair that will make you feel right at home. Their old favorites are made to taste like brand new concoctions with traditional bagels made with a fun twist. Enjoy their mixed up their flavor profiles that keep you guessing as you munch and crunch at this famous NYC restaurant that's perfect to visit for a bit of bagel-y goodness.

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5. Bagel Pub: For a healthier take on your old favorite, visit the Bagel Pub for a fun experience that couples as a cheerful reminder that even foods that are really good for you can also taste great. This Park Slope bagel shop features friendly staff and a variety of bagels served with some delicious (and healthy!) fillings. Try their Garden Omelet, a delicious bagel and egg sandwich served with fresh ingredients like kale, feta, onions, and peppers. If you're looking to looking to go a little more traditional, never fear! They also have a variety of fish and cream cheese options to adorn their sweet and tender bagels, perfect for both a breakfast snack and a hearty and healthy lunch.

Will you be giving any of these locations a try the next time you have a free minute in the Big Apple? Let us know in the comments!

Famous Restaurants: Crazy Milkshakes in NYC



By [Delaney Gilbride](#)

Nothing has been taking the internet by storm quite like New York's latest trend of crazy, over the top milkshakes! It's nearly impossible to scroll through Instagram without laying eyes upon mountainous milkshakes literally *overflowing* with sweets ranging from heaps of savory chocolate cake to decadent donuts. This delicious [food trend](#) in NYC has people flocking to the Big Apple in order to satisfy their sweet tooth cravings.

Looking for some [relationship advice](#) from Cupid? Take a trip to NYC and visit one (or all) of the three most [famous restaurants](#) serving up ultimately outrageous milkshakes:

1. [Black Tap](#) (529 Broome St, New York, NY 10013): This restaurant is the cream of the crop when it comes to the perfect milkshake, so end your [date night](#) the right way by stopping at Black Tap on Broome Street! Thankfully, you don't have to worry about cutting your night short in order to indulge in their artfully designed milkshakes. Black Tap is open until 12:00 AM during weekdays and are also open until 1:00 AM Thursday through Saturday. These \$15, foot-tall milkshakes launched this past November and have spread like wildfire over social media. One of their fan favorite milkshakes include the Sweet N' Salty Peanut Butter Shake: chocolate frosted rim with chocolate gems and PB cups topped with a sugar daddy, pretzel rods, chocolate covered pretzel, whipped cream and chocolate drizzle – what else could you ever want in a milkshake? So, if you and your boo are ever in the New York area, make sure to check out this Insta-famous eatery!

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2. [Sugar Factory](#) (835 Washington St, New York, NY 10014): In case you miss Black Tap's 1:00 AM weekend cut off point, don't fret! The Sugar Factory, located on Washington Street, is open weeknights until 1:00 AM and 2:00 AM on weekends. The Sugar Factory prides themselves on their delicious sweets in and on their shakes. Celebrities such as [Kylie Jenner](#), who appeared

at the chains Ocean Drive opening, can't seem to get enough! Although the Sugar Factory has dessert options such as their \$99 King King, which includes 24 scoops of ice cream, and their \$1,000 chocolate fondue served with a bottle of Dom Perignon, you don't have to spend a fortune to get a great shake. Their most popular \$20 shake called the Caramel Sugar Daddy Cheesecake milkshake serves your typical vanilla milkshake in a mug coated with chocolate icing drizzled with caramel sauce and whipped cream. You thought that was the last of it? The shake also comes with a huge slice of cheesecake paired with their famous rainbow lollipop right on top. Get your fix by visiting the Sugar Factory!

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3. [Buns Bar](#) (263 W 19th St, New York, NY 10011): This restaurant known specifically for their decorated milkshakes is the perfect [date idea](#) for you and your love if you're looking to be a bit nostalgic during your date night. Buns Bar located on West 19th Street decorates their milkshakes with everyone's favorite childhood characters such as SpongeBob, the Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles, and Spiderman. Anything you can think of, they make it! After coating their glasses with thick layers of icing, the artists at Buns Bar carefully place sprinkles, marshmallows, and cereal on the outside of the glass to create your favorite characters. Looking for something a bit more "adult"? No worries – Buns Bar lives up to their name. You can order some of their famous milkshakes with a splash (or more) or your favorite liquor! People are obsessed with their famous Cinnabon Milkshake. Typically priced at \$15 dollars a shake, for an extra \$5 you can add shots of RumChata liqueur to enhance the savory Cinnabon shake. Keep your night going by checking out Buns Bar!

Are you from the New York area and know other places to find over the top milkshakes? Share some of your favorites with us by commenting below!

Famous Restaurants: Best Diners, Drive-Ins, and Dives in Rhode Island



By [Delaney Gilbride](#)

If you're looking into booking a [romantic getaway](#) with your love this coming summer, we suggest looking into Rhode Island. Not only is this historic state surrounded by sandy beaches, scenic bike trails, and weekly outdoor concerts, but Rhode Island has some of the best diners, drive-ins, and dives. Just ask celebrity chef Guy Fieri! The creator of the ever popular Food Network show [Diners, Drive-Ins, and Dives](#) continues to go

back to Rhode Island time and time again to devour the absolute best food that the ocean state has to offer. If you and your boo are foodies that love romantic walks along the coastline, Rhode Island is the place for you!

Enjoy [date nights](#) at four of the best diners, drive-ins, and dives in Rhode Island featured on The Food Network by one of America's favorite [celebrity chefs](#) – Guy Fieri:

1. Evelyn's Drive-In (Tiverton, RI): Nothing is better than seafood with a view, which is why Evelyn's Drive-In landed the top spot on Guy Fieri's list of must-haves in Rhode Island. Located at 2335 Main Road in Tiverton, Rhode Island, Evelyn's is *the* place to be as summer comes into full swing. Their quirky menu and breathtaking view of the ocean continues to attract foodies from all over, especially after their debut on *Diners, Drive-Ins, and Dives*! Evelyn's is known for their fresh seafood including dishes such as Rhode Island chowder, clam cakes, lobster chow mein, and fried clams. Customers love soaking up the sun in their outdoor patio while sipping on cold refreshments and munching on delicious seafood. They truly have the taste and feel of summertime in New England – what could be better than that?

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2. Louie's Restaurant (Providence, RI): If you're looking for a reliable diner with delicious, affordable meals, Louie's Restaurant is the place for you. This famous family-owned diner has been open for more than 62 years and resides in the

heart of Rhode Island at 286 Brook Street in Providence. Louie's is known as the place where you can get literally anything at any time. You want homemade lasagna at 5AM? Done. You want their famous granola pancakes at 2PM? Done and done. Guy Fieri dubbed Louie's BBQ chicken ravioli "off the hook" during one of his many visits to Providence – definitely intriguing! Although Louie's is known to be "the place to be" for college students around the area, they're welcoming people from far and wide to sit down and enjoy great food with reasonable prices.

3. Angelo's Civita Farnese (Providence, RI): Coming up on 100 years of service, Angelo's Civita Farnese continues to serve authentic Italian-American cuisine resembling that homemade taste you'd get in moms kitchen. Angelo's is located in the "Little Italy" of Rhode Island at 141 Atwells Avenue in Providence and their customers can't seem to get enough. While filming Diners, Drive-Ins, and Dives at Angelo's, customers explained that they can't help but come back time and time again for their fresh Italian food. Their signature dish, Braciola, continues to be a fan favorite served over homemade, authentic Italian noodles. This family restaurant does it right when it comes to genuine Italian food.

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4. Aunt Carrie's Restaurant (Narragansett, RI): Last but absolutely not least, you and your boo cannot go to Rhode Island without checking out Aunt Carrie's Restaurant. The eatery known for their clam cakes is located at 1240 Ocean Road in Narragansett, Rhode Island and you'll be missing out if you don't stop by! Their star attraction, the clam cakes, are made with the freshest clams. The fan favorite for the past 90 years is made in a heavy duty cement mixer which is then fried to the customers fancy. Enjoy the cakes to the fullest by dipping them in Carrie's homemade clam chowder and – voila! A perfect combination of seafood to enjoy April

through September.

Are you a Rhode Island foodie? Comment below with your favorite diners, drive-ins, and dives in the area!

Top 10 Essential NYC Restaurants for 2017



By [Cortney Moore](#)

New York City is known for its restaurants, but with over 24,000 to choose from, it can be overwhelming to decide on where to dine. This is especially true if you're looking for a

unique [date idea](#). However, with the new year upon us, it's a perfect time to try out some [popular restaurants](#). Take a look at these ten essential restaurants in NYC for your next [date night](#).

Excellent NYC restaurants that are sure to satisfy your tummy this year!

1. Arabesque: Enjoy a meal inside this lovely, ornamental restaurant. Arabesque features Moor-inspired architecture and decor, along with a delicious North African, Middle Eastern and Mediterranean menu. Visit on a weekend, and you might be treated to live music and belly dance performances.

2. Aquavit: A modern New York hotspot that brings Nordic food to the forefront. Inspired by Swedish culinary traditions, Aquavit will treat you to yummy seafood, meat, and wild fruits and vegetables. Since this restaurant is extremely popular, it might be worth it make a reservation ahead of time.

3. Blue Smoke: Jazzy music and southern cuisine, what else could you ask for? Blue Smoke is a New York staple that offers soulful barbecue classics and fine cocktails. Luckily there are two locations, so you have options while you're traveling through lower Manhattan. If you're a fan of music, then the flatiron location is right for you with it's basement jazz club!

4. Churrascaria Plataforma: Do you know someone who is a carnivore at heart? This all-you-can-eat Brazilian steakhouse is just what they need. If meat isn't your thing, Churrascaria Plataforma also features a gourmet salad bar and, delicious side dishes like fried bananas and polenta. Another perk... dessert is included!

5. Di Fara Pizza: You can't have New York City without pizza. Di Fara Pizza is one of Brooklyn's best pizzerias. It's an old school spot that has been making quality pizza pies since 1965. Pizza legend and owner Domenico De Marco has received acclaim from Zagat, *Serious Eats* and Anthony Bourdain! So you know you're in the right hands when you visit Di Fara.

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6. Duane Park: If you're a fan of burlesque, then Duane Park is the place for you. It's so much more than a burlesque club though, Duane Park features an impressive and luxurious menu, such as Nova Scotia Salmon and Pan-Roasted Organic Chicken. With so much to enjoy, Duane Park might be a great spot to have a fun date night or private party.

7. Enoteca Maria: Grandmas make the best food, right? Well Enoteca Maria agrees with that too. At this Staten Island restaurant, Italian grandmothers cook delicious homemade meals. Most recently, Enoteca has gained popularity for its "Nonnas of The World," which includes famous dishes made by grandmothers from all over the world!

8. Gabriel Kreuther: Started by a world-renowned chef, Gabriel Kreuther offers sophisticated French and Alsatian cuisine. Overlooking Bryant Park, you're sure to enjoy lovely sights along with culinary delights. It's a perfect spot for a variety of occasions: birthdays, anniversaries, dinner parties and more.

9. Ninja New York: Experience adventure while you dine at Ninja New York. Guests are treated to scrumptious Japanese dishes in this ninja-themed restaurant. It's like hibachi, but taken to another level. Don't forget to tip your ninja waiter though, you don't want them coming after you.

10. Yaya Tea Garden: Are you a fan of bubble tea, rice balls and Asian snacks? Yaya Tea Garden has got you covered! From noodles, to green tea KitKats, Yaya's has it all. You can also

leave your mark at Yaya's by creating your own tea blend that can be added to their menu.

Are there any NYC restaurants we missed? Share your favorites in the comments below!

How to Campaign for a Better Relationship



By Tanni Deb and Kayla Garritano

With Election Day in recent history, the best time to campaign for a better relationship is now. Whether that means leaning

to the left with a liberal approach or moving toward the right with a more conservative one, you deserve the best relationship. For future [date nights](#) with your partner, let's make sure you can get their vote towards a better relationship.

This [relationship advice](#) may win a vote from that special someone:

1. Figure out what you want in a partner: Knowing exactly what you want in a partner will help you narrow down your choices, just as you would with a candidate in an election. Otherwise, you'll settle for anyone. You can make a list of pros and cons, or just make a mental note, anything to help you make the right moves.

2. Figure out what issues/things you can compromise: Figure out what things you're willing to let go, such as finding a mate who doesn't have certain features or doesn't meet your height requirement. Although compromising is important for a healthy relationship, and this will help you prepare for compromises with your partner in the future, never do it for major issues. For instance, if you want a family in the future, don't make a life with someone who doesn't like children.

3. Search: You'll probably need to search in a variety of places before you find your perfect partner. Dating sites, clubs or even attending a party at your friend's house can lead you to your ideal mate. You usually end up finding your perfect partner where you least expect it!

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4. Communicate: Communication is the key to every successful relationship. It helps avoid misunderstandings, fixes problems, and aids in understanding each other in order to

improve your relationship. Ask your partner how their day was, if they have any new interests, and other common questions like that. You should also show that you appreciate your partner by complimenting him or her once in a while.

5. Listen: Just like communication, listening is another major factor in a successful relationship. Your interest and focus is important to your partner, and when you show that they have your full attention, it means the world to them. It will also build a sense of respect and trust between both of you.

6. Think positively: When you concentrate on the negative aspects, it'll cause tension in your relationship. The next time you have a negative thought about your significant other's actions, come up with a more reasonable explanation for his or her act and then discuss it. If an argument arises, control your tone and figure out what the major issue is or the message your partner is trying to communicate. Lastly, remind yourself frequently of the good times you've spent together.

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7. Common goals: Having similar ambitions in life makes your relationship stronger. Figure out what both of you want and where you both want to be in the future. Find common goals and talk about how to achieve them together.

8. Find time for each other: Work is important, but for relationships to flourish, it's essential to have time for your significant other. Instead of taking things too seriously, spend time with your sweetheart, have fun and just relax. Whether it's a movie night in, an impromptu [romantic getaway](#), or a date at a [famous restaurant](#), make sure you get your time together.

9. Get to know him/her: After you've found the person you think is "The One," date seriously for a while. If you find that the person has way too many red flags or your feelings

for him or her aren't strong enough, it's best to end the relationship so you don't drag it out for four more years, or even the rest of your life.

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10. Marriage: Talk about settling down and moving onto the next step in your relationship if you can see yourself married for the rest of your life. Unfortunately with relationships, it's not quite as easy as electing a new candidate whenever you hit a rough patch.

What methods did you use to find the perfect partner or help change the relationship you're in? Let us know in a comment below!

10 Holiday Gift Ideas Your Special Someone Will Love Just in Time for Date Night





By Linda Guma and Kayla Garritano

The start of the holiday season means the inevitability of shopping for the perfect gifts for all of your loved ones. And with the holidays comes the romance. If you get to spend the holidays with that special someone, make sure it's one to remember. The more consideration you put into your present, the more meaningful it'll be. So, when you're on [date night](#) with your partner for a special holiday treat, make sure they open a present they'll be sure to love.

If you're looking for gift ideas that don't involve the usual or traditional ugly Christmas sweater for your partner this year, Cupid is here with some relationship advice and ideas:

1. Personalized compilation: Make a personalized CD or playlist for your partner by putting together his or her favorite tracks. Don't forget to include any romantic tunes that remind you of special moments you experienced together, such as your first slow dance. And, of course, mix it up with some holiday numbers, to celebrate with the joyous spirit.

2. Customized calendar: Nothing says "I care about you" more than something home made. With a new year fast approaching, a calendar can come in handy. Select 12 photos of you and your partner and paste them on the pages for each month. Circle important dates, and write headers for your anniversary, among other special occasions.

3. Matching wrist watches: This is a great way to punch up your style, as well as a guilt-free way of pampering yourself with a present. Buy matching watches and ask your jeweler to engrave a message on the back, such as your names and the words "forever" and "always."

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4. Tickets to your favorite show: If you're really not into personalized gifts, you can always find a thoughtful way to experience something together. Buy two tickets to a show that you and your partner both love, whether it's a movie, a concert or a ballet performance of *The Nutcracker*. Surprise your partner to a dinner at a [famous restaurant](#), followed by their favorite show.

5. Photo frame collection: It's a simple idea, but a classic way to keep the loved ones close at hand. Buy your significant other a silver-plated frame, and insert a photo of the two of you. To make it extra mushy, inscribe "I love you," or a love sonnet by your partner's favorite poet.

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6. Massage coupons: A thoughtful way to express your love this holiday season is to create some free massage coupons. Your partner will surely appreciate them after a stressful day and finally get the chance to relax a little with you.

7. Breakfast-in-bed tray: You don't have to rise and shine for this celebration. Treat yourselves to a bed tray and the luxury of having breakfast in bed together. Maybe pop in a movie and just cuddle under the covers!

8. Vacation getaway: Be spontaneous! Organize a weekend trip for two. Choose a tropical place to escape the winter chill or simply tour a neighboring town you've never visited. Your partner will appreciate your effort to plan the holiday trip. It's a great way to get away from your daily routines and reconnect with your honey.

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9. Get-out-of-chores passes: Get your arts-and-crafts on by making some paper passes to let your partner skip out on their chores. You'll have to take over the cooking or cleaning probably, but it's a great way to show your love, and it can be a fun, goofy way to get out of something, all in good fun!

10. Lovers pillowcases: Get some personalized pillowcases to touch up your bed. For instance, you can get some signs embroidered that say "His" and "Her," or "Mr. Right" and "Mrs. Right." If you want to keep with the holiday theme, decorate it with some snowflakes and mistletoe. It's a different take on putting your face on a mug or a t-shirt. Make it your own!

Got any creative ideas for what to get your partner this Christmas? Share your ideas below.

Have a Sweetened Date Night with Your Sweetheart at Sugar Factory



By [Josh Ringle](#)

New York City is truly full of unique restaurants and different ways to enjoy a meal. Some add a cultural experience, and others add an unusual twist. That is what perhaps makes Sugar Factory such a special and delicious place to eat. Whether you are in the City with your loved one for a [date night](#), or are looking for a different place to go for your next birthday celebration, Sugar Factory has everything you'll need to have a sweet time!

Sugar Factory, one of New York City's popular restaurants, is a great place for a date night that will force you to not skip dessert!

Sugar Factory could also be called *Celebrity Factory* for all the celebrity sightings that have happened at this popular restaurant! From Drake to Kylie Jenner, who knows who you might dine next to? While celebrity sightings may not be the only reason to dine at this restaurant, the menu adds another reason to get there as soon as you can!

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Before we talk about the signature goblets, the menu has plenty to offer! From breakfast options like crepes and french toast to burgers and pasta, Sugar Factory covers it all. If you want the date night to be extra sweet, go for a breakfast option! If you want a sugary drink, but a traditional meal, Sugar Factory has that, too! Perhaps one of the best parts of this unique restaurant is that while it may have its funky flavors, it also has those traditional options for those who don't want to be adventurous!

But, here's our [dating advice](#): be adventurous and try something new! That's where Sugar Factory's huge drink menu comes in! The goblet drinks are huge sugary treats, served freezing cold, yet amazing. From "Lollipop Passion" to "Ocean Blue," each of these specially designed treats will hit your sweet tooth and make you feel like a kid in a candy store again! There are also martinis and cocktails, and the best part about all of these drinks are that they can be made non-alcoholic so you can enjoy them at any age!

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One of Sugar Factory's locations is in the Meatpacking District, and that area is full of fun date ideas, like the Highline and other romantic places. It is definitely worth checking out, especially for the price! You won't be disappointed, and you'll have a great night at one of New York's most popular restaurants. It will be a sugar rush for sure!

Have you visited the Sugar Factory? Let us know what drink you had in the comments below!

Enjoy Cultural Infusion and Delicious Food on a Date Night to Oiji in NYC





By [Josh Ringler](#)

It is not every day that a [famous restaurant](#) gives you a unique cultural experience. However, not every restaurant is like Oiji, a new restaurant in Manhattan. A great piece of [dating advice](#) is to go on a lot of date nights, and a great date idea is definitely this cultural cuisine masterpiece in NYC's East Village.

Oiji should be on your list for future date nights, a cultural experience with unique, but yummy food!

Oiji was originally a collective thought in the minds of Brian Kim and Tae Kyung Ku, the co-chefs and co-owners of this popular restaurant. Their goal was to bring the food of Korea, where they both grew up, in a modernized fashion to new tasters. They both attended the Culinary Institute of America,

and were roommates. Oiji was their dream, and now you can enjoy that with your dream partner!

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Located in the East Village, this popular restaurant will excite your date night. The website for Oiji describes the seating area as intimate, but stylish and is full of unique features. An open kitchen, reclaimed wood, and large windows set the scene for your delicious trip.

The menu at Oiji is meant to be shared, a perfect place for a date night! The menu offers many traditional Korean dishes like handmade dumplings, Jang-jo-rim, and more. The dishes are priced between \$8 and \$29, but a ssam platter for two is only \$38.

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A flight to Korea will certainly cost you more than \$20 a person, so Cupid definitely recommends trying this Korean masterpiece. It is not every day that you can try authentically traditional Korean food, but that is one of the many great things Manhattan has to offer. Your stomach won't be disappointed, and a good meal will make the two of you happy! Try the honey butter chips for dessert to end the night on a sweet note.

Have you tried Oiji or a similar authentic cultural experience? Let us know in the comments below!

Fill Your Tastebuds on a Romantic Date Night at Dovetail NYC



By [Josh Ringle](#)

New York City is full of date ideas, whether it be the brilliance that is Broadway or the scenes of Central Park. The city also offers delicious [famous restaurants](#) that will leave you with a smile on your face. A great piece of [dating advice](#) is to go on romantic dates with your loved one, and to try and change up where you go instead of getting into a rut and going to the same places over and over. Without further ado, Cupid recommends your next date night be at Dovetail NYC.

Dovetail is a great NYC restaurant for a romantic date with delicious food!

Located on 77th Street, Dovetail's menu is full of culinary marvels that will certainly excite the tongue. The main chef is John Fraser, who opened the restaurant back in 2007. The beautiful interior of the restaurant only seats 82 people, so reservations are definitely a good idea!

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Rustic artwork and white walls meet large wooden columns in a romantic setting, surrounded by perfect two-person tables that are just calling your name! With the pre-theatre menu, a quick über or taxi ride up to West 77th St. will certainly be worth the trip and will make your [date night](#) more amazing. That menu offers three courses for \$58 and includes an appetizer, entree, and dessert.

For vegetarians, Monday should be date night as there is a special menu that is served for vegetarians! However, Dovetail offers vegetarian options every night.

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The regular menu includes a tasting option for \$120 and then a three or four course option, \$85 and \$95 respectively. While the prices are a little high, the food is definitely worth it! You will not go home disappointed! For those looking for a more affordable option, the Sunday Suppa will excite your tastebuds for the same price and has a relatively similar menu as the pre-theatre option. Get the tasting if you are into trying different things, and do not skip out on dessert. You won't want to miss it!

Have you visited Dovetail NYC recently? Let us know about your experience below!

Celebrity Chef Richard Blais Makes a Five Star Team with BLACK+DECKER and George Foreman



By [Josh Ringler](#)

Celebrity chef and TV personality, Richard Blais has teamed up

with BLACK+DECKER and George Foreman to add three new products to the food-making industry, including the BLACK+DECKER Performance Convection Countertop Oven, George Foreman Grill & Broil and the BLACK+DECKER 11 Cup Dicing Digital Food Processor!

Celebrity Chef Richard Blais is here to enhance your kitchen!



NEW YORK, NY – JULY 13: Chef and TV Personality, Richard Blais, teams up with BLACK+DECKER and George Foreman to debut three new products @ the BLACK+DECKER Performance Convection Countertop Oven, George Foreman Grill & Broil and the BLACK+DECKER 11 Cup Dicing Digital Food Processor on July 13, 2016 in New York City. (Photo by Cindy Ord/Getty Images for Spectrum Brands)

At a special event, the Blais crafted some five star dishes for those in the audience! Using the brand new appliances from BLACK+DECKER and George Foreman, the celebrity

chef made Pineapple & Jicama Salsa, Onion & Goat Cheese Tarts and Turkey Steak with Cranberry Mole. The reviews were two thumbs up!

We highly recommend that you try out these new appliances at home, and we are sure you can find a great dish to make. Who knows, maybe you could even become the next celebrity chef with the dishes you create using the BLACK+DECKER Performance Convection Countertop Oven, George Foreman Grill & Broil or the BLACK+DECKER 11 Cup Dicing Digital Food Processor! These products will certainly add some versatility to your kitchen.

For the latest on famous restaurants, check out one of Cupid's newest sections, [Food](#).

Vandal: One of NYC's Coolest Famous Restaurants





By [Josh Ringle](#)

If you've been looking for new and exciting places to eat in New York City, and you've been looking for something a little different than most of the restaurants the Big Apple has to offer, Cupid has a suggestion for you! Vandal, in the heart of Lower Manhattan, could be the location for your next special date night. Plus, you can keep your eyes peeled for [celebrity couples](#)!

Vandal, one of NYC's many famous restaurants, is an amazing restaurant with great decor and food.

New York City is full of [date ideas](#), from Central Park to the Highline, Broadway to Wall Street, and so many others. Before we get into the food that makes Vandal one of the city's tastiest famous restaurants, let's start with the name, an

artistic creation on its own.

Vandal comes from the “vandals” that created art, both inside and outside the restaurant. These are internationally acclaimed vandals, including Icy Grape, Hush, and Apex. The art they created was made specifically for Vandal, and it is amazing. The murals, sculptures, and other artistic creations are just one of the ways that Vandal stands out among others.

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The art inside the restaurant is breathtaking, but with food so amazing, you won't get distracted from the great tastes. The menu is set up in an unique fashion; it's an ode to fast food, but with a much higher quality. The menu is split into four categories: Small, Medium, Large, and Extras.

Consider “Small” the appetizer section. From Sticky Rice Dumplings to Red Snapper Tostadas, the “Small” section is full of flavors and options. The plates look immaculate when served, and we can't imagine a dish that wouldn't taste good. The “Extras” section also offers some tasty vegetables to go along with your meals or appetizers.

If you are looking for more to eat, the “Medium” and “Large” sections of the menu may be the place to top things off for you and your partner. From the Heaven Spot Mini Burger to the many varieties of Street Pizza the restaurant serves, Vandal offers so many options that your mouth will be watering just looking at the menu.

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If you are looking for something very exciting and different, the Chicken Katsu + Hong Kong Egg Waffles dish is one that is exciting, unique, and unlike almost anything NYC has to offer to your taste buds. For meat lovers, there's also a delicious skirt steak option as well.

Vandal also has a lounge – the restaurant's bar area if you are looking for love! The restaurant recommends making reservations a month in advance, but the wait is sure to be worth it! While the prices are high, the ambiance that Vandal offers outweighs the cost, and your love will not be disappointed!

Have you visited Vandal and want to recommend a favorite dish? Any other perfect date night restaurant? Let us know in the comments below!