



JOAQUIN MURRIETA



The Robin Hood of El Dorado

In the winter of 1849, a sensational series of events unfolded in the midst of the California gold rush, giving rise to the tale of a gentleman outlaw bent on vengeance who robbed from the rich and gave to the poor. No man, horse, or pouch of gold was safe, and the legend of Joaquin Murrieta, hero and villain was born.

An encounter with a callous band of thieves left Murrieta whipped and beaten, his hard-earned gold stolen. Stalking the hills of the world-famous California wine country in search of his attackers, Murrieta lived life with an outlaw honour, defending the oppressed in a land of lawlessness. He was known as a square gambler and a fine dancer not averse to a glass of wine. Although no documented photos survive of this master of disguise, he was, by all accounts, a handsome man who stole as many hearts as horses.

Stories of Murrieta's ruthlessness and chivalry spread throughout the West. In 1853, a special corps of California Rangers, created specifically to catch the bandit, claimed to have killed him in a gun battle north of Los Angeles. Still, in the following years, many swore they shared a meal and a glass of port with the outlaw. Some say it was Murrieta's nephew who carried on after his death. Others maintain it was Joaquin Murrieta himself who rode with the Sundance Kid and traded stories with Mark Twain.

A century later, as the sun ripens the grapes that adorn the hills of gold he once raided, Murrieta, part man, part myth lives on. Today, at Murrieta's Bar & Grill we toast this enduring, elusive legend.

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COCKTAILS

House

PINK LEMONADE Bombay Sapphire Gin, Aperol, Rose wine, lemon	16.85
MEZCAL ESPRESSO MARTINI Casamigos Mezcal, Kahlua, cinnamon, espresso	16.85
HOT PASSION Cazadores Blanco Tequila, Casamigos Mezcal, peach, passionfruit, jalapeno, lime	16.85
CHERRY TREE SOUR Chateau Montifaud VS Cognac, Taylor Fladgate 10 Yr Port, Luxardo cherry, lemon, egg white	16.85
GINGER CRISP Bombay Sapphire Gin, Limoncello, ginger, lemon	16.85
THE REMEDY (SERVED HOT) Bacardi Dark Rum, ginger, lemon	16.85
THE JOJO'S CAPPUCINO (SERVED HOT) Grand Marnier, Irish Cream, espresso, milk	16.85
LOUISVILLE BLAZER (SERVED HOT) Four Roses Bourbon, Grand Marnier, Angostura bitters	16.85

COCKTAILS

Classic

BEE'S KNEES Bombay Sapphire Gin, honey, lemon	16.85
ESPRESSO MARTINI Tito's Vodka, Kahlua, espresso	16.85
SIDE CAR Chateau Montifaud VS Cognac, Cointreau, lemon	16.85
LAST WORD Bombay Sapphire Gin, Green Chartreuse, maraschino liqueur, lime	16.85
RUSTY NAIL Chivas Regal 12 YEAR Scotch, Drambuie, orange bitters	16.85
BRANDY FLIP Chateau Montifaud VS Cognac, Frangelico, crème de cacao, whole egg	16.85
PISCO SOUR Pisco El Gobernador, lime, egg white	16.85
VIEUX CARRE Forty Creek Whiskey, Chateau Montifaud VS Cognac, Benedictine liqueur, Peychaud's bitters	16.85

APPETIZERS

SPICY ITALIAN OLIVES 9 - served warm

CRISPY POLENTA FRIES 12 - romesco dip, grana padano

LAMB MEATBALLS 19 - roasted peperonata sauce, fennel, basil

ARANCINI 16 - parmesan, marinara

TRUFFLE PARMESAN FRIES 16 - hand cut russet fries, grana padano, truffie, aioli

TRIO OF DIPS 19 - garlic hummus, forno roasted eggplant, red pepper & feta

CHARCUTERIE 29 - cured meats, artisan cheese, pickles, crostini

PIZZAS

MARGHERITA 22 - Fior di latte, basil, San Marzano tomato

MUSHROOM 23 - roasted mushrooms, green onion, parmesan cream

PEPPERONI 23 - Calabrian chili honey, mozzarella, San Marzano

ITALIAN SAUSAGE 23 - marinated zucchini, aged balsamic,
mozzarella, San Marzano tomato

Our culinary team is committed to working with local farms and utilizing artisanal products. As such Murrieta's would like to thank our partners:

LAMB - Ewe-Nique Farms, Champion, Alberta

SEAFOOD - City Fish, Calgary, Alberta

FIOR DI LATTE - Tavolini, Alberta

GOUDA - Sylvan Star, Red Deer, Alberta

ROOTS & VEGETABLES - Galimax, Nobleford, Alberta

GELATO - Noto, Calgary, Alberta

FEATURED WINES OF CASA PALADIN

	bottle	270ml	180ml
BOSCO DEL MERLO ROSE PROSECCO 2022 85% Glera, 15% Pinot Noir. An explosion of fresh cut florals, pomegranate, and pear	60		12
PALADIN PINOT GRIGIO 2023 Intense elegant aromas of acacia flowers and pear. Dry, pleasant, fresh and balanced	50	18.75	12.50
PALADIN SALBENELLO CABERNET/MALBEC Deep red wine colour, intense notes of currants and raspberry. Soft and balanced finish	50	18.75	12.50
POGGIO PETROSO CHIANTI CLASSICO RESERVA 2018 Ruby red colour, currant, blackberry, cherry jam on the nose with spice notes. Well balanced and structured	90		
POGGIO PETROSO GOVERNO ALL'USO "SUPER TUSCAN" 2019 Blend of Sangiovese and Syrah, Ruby red colour, fruity notes of cherry, currant, mixed berries marmalade, soft, elegant and well balanced	80		

WINES BY THE GLASS

	bottle	270ml	180ml
sparkling			
BENVOLIO PROSECCO - Veneto, Italy	59		14.85
white			
MWG WHITE		15.85	9.85
MONTALTO PINOT GRIGIO - Sicily, Italy	40	15.05	10.05
LAS CUMBRES SAUVIGNON BLANC - Chile	52	19.85	13.05
GUNDERLOCH RIESLING - Rheinhessen, Germany	56	21.05	14.05
TRUE MYTH CHARDONNAY - Edna Valley, USA	73	27.05	18.05
rosé			
DOMAINE LE PIVE ROSÉ - Sable de Camargue, France	55	22.85	13.85
red			
MWG RED		15.85	9.85
TRAPICHE RESERVE MALBEC - Mendoza, Argentina	54	20.85	13.85
PETER LEHMANN THE BAROSSAN SHIRAZ - Australia	56	21.05	14.05
MAGNA TERRA CHIANTI DOCG - Tuscany, Italy	56	22.85	14.05
TRUE MYTH CABERNET SAUVIGNON - Paso Robles, USA	63	23.85	15.85
SEAN MINOR PINOT NOIR - Paso Robles, USA	68	25.85	17.85
port			
		bottle	60ml
FLADGATE TAWNY 10-YEAR-OLD		75	9.85
FLADGATE TAWNY 40-YEAR-OLD		308	35.05
dessert			
		bottle	60ml
QUADY ELYSIUM BLACK MUSCAT		38	9.85
FIELDING ESTATE WINERY RIESLING ICEWINE		85	19.85

HISTORY OF THE ALBERTA HOTEL

The Alberta Hotel, opened in 1890, is symbolically important for its central association with Calgary's pioneer-era history, being the city's pre-eminent hostelry and its oldest remaining hotel building. Occupying a corner at one of downtown's most prominent intersections, this sandstone landmark served as Calgary's most famed hotel until its closing in 1916. For most of the building's history as a hotel, it claimed the status as being the best in the city, and was a social crossroads. During this period the hotel was the preferred lodging and gathering place for well-to-do ranchers, businessmen, local personalities and remittance men earning it the status as a 'male Mecca'. Apart from the superior accommodations provided by the hotel, its other drawing cards included an excellent dining room, a favored barbershop, a pool and billiards room, a reading room and a renowned beverage room, famous for its 125 foot-long bar-supposedly the longest between Winnipeg and Vancouver. Some of the well-known cattlemen and personalities that regularly patronized the Alberta Hotel included George Lane, owner of the Bar-U Ranch; Fred Stimson, manager of the Bar-U; brewer, A.E. Cross; rancher, William Roper Hull; and meatpacking king, Pat Burns. It is reputed that the idea of the Calgary Stampede was conceived in Lane's room here in 1912. RB. Bennett, an important Calgary attorney and later Prime Minister of Canada (1930-35) lived in the hotel for 22 years and dined at the same table daily.

Architecturally, the Alberta Hotel is significant as one of the oldest structures in downtown Calgary and is distinguished by its use of local sandstone in its construction. Construction of the original portion of the building was initiated in 1888 and reflects the changes to occur to downtown building practices as a result of the 'Great Fire' that leveled Calgary's downtown two years earlier. Subsequent to the fire, and prior to World War I, much of downtown was rebuilt using local sandstone, earning Calgary the nickname, 'Sandstone City', with the Alberta Hotel being a key, remaining contributor to that characterization. While some of these buildings were simply clad or detailed in sandstone, the original portion of the Alberta Hotel is of solid sandstone construction and is among the earliest substantial buildings to be built after the fire. Andrew Kennedy, a Quebec contractor, was in charge of construction. An addition was made to the rear of the building in 1891 and a 1906 building was later annexed.

The original portion of the Alberta Hotel is unique as a superior and rare example of the Italianate style of design in Calgary. Few buildings in Calgary, especially commercial, were built in the style and even fewer remain.

- From Alberta HerMIS

BEER

draught beer

473ml

FAHR BREWING - Hefe - Turner Valley, AB	8.85
EIGHTY-EIGHT BREWING CO. - Night Gallery Hazy Pale Ale - Calgary, AB	8.85
EIGHTY-EIGHT BREWING CO. - Wavepool Hazy IPA - Calgary, AB	8.85
BANDED PEAK - Summit Seeker IPA - Calgary, AB	8.85
BANDED PEAK - Mount Crushmore Pilsner - Calgary, AB	8.85
RAILYARD - Seasonal - Calgary, AB	8.85
ORIGINAL 16 - Canadian Pale Ale - Saskatoon, SK	8.85
BORN BREWING CO. - Autumn Amber - Calgary, AB	8.85
TWO HOUSE BREWING - Yar Black Pilsner - Calgary, AB	8.85
OUTSIDER CIDER - Apple Cider - Canmore, AB	11.85
GUINNESS - Stout - Ireland	11.85
STELLA ARTOIS - European Lager - Belgium	11.85

non-alcoholic

HEINEKEN 00 LAGER - Holland	6.05
CORONA SUNBREW - Mexico	6.05
VILLAGE CRAFT PALE ALE - Calgary, AB	8.05

BEER

bottled beer

BUDWEISER LAGER - USA	8.05
BUD LIGHT LAGER - USA	8.05
CORONA LAGER - Mexico	8.05
HEINEKEN LAGER - Holland	10.05
WHISTLER BREWING - FORAGER GLUTEN FREE LAGER - Whistler, BC	11.85
BORN BREWING CO. - EARLS ALE - Calgary, AB	11.85
FERNIE BREWING - WHAT THE HUCK - Fernie, BC	11.85
NEW LEVEL BREWING - PINBALL WIZARD RASPBERRY SOUR - Calgary, AB	11.85

WHISKEY/WHISKY

SCOTLAND

Speyside

30ml

GLENFIDDICH - 12 YEAR	10.85
GLENLIVET - 12 YEAR	10.05
BALVENIE - DOUBLE WOOD - 12 YEAR	14.05
GLENROTHES - SELECT RESERVE	13.85
CRAGGANMORE - DISTILLERS EDITION	17.05

Island/Islay

JURA - 10 YEAR - Isle of Jura	10.85
BOWMORE - 12 YEAR - Islay	11.85
ARDBEG - 10 YEAR - Islay	12.85
KILCHOMAN SANAIG - Islay	15.05
ISLE OF JURA - 12 YEAR - Islands	15.05
TALISKER - 10 YEAR - Isle of Skye	17.07
LAGAVULIN - 16 YEAR - Islay	20.05

Highlands

HIGHLAND PARK - 12 YEAR - Orkney	12.05
DALMORE - 12 YEAR	15.05
GLENMORANGIE ORIGINAL - 10 YEAR	12.05
GLENMORANGIE NECTAR D'OR	14.85
GLENMORANGIE QUINTA RUBAN 14 YEAR	15.05
GLENMORANGIE LA SANTA 14 YEAR	15.05
MACALLAN - 12 YEAR - Double cask	15.05
DALMORE - 15 YEAR	15.05
OBAN - 14 YEAR	17.05
MACALLAN - 15 YEAR - Double Cask	32.05
DALMORE - 18 YEAR	50.05
MACALLAN - 18 YEAR - Double Cask 2022	50.05
MACALLAN - 18 YEAR - Triple Cask 2019	50.05
DALMORE - King Alexander III	50.05

Campbeltown

SPRINGBANK - 10 YEAR	12.05
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Lowlands

GLENKINCHIE - Distillers Edition	17.05
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WHISKEY/WHISKY

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Bourbon	30ml
FOUR ROSES	9.05
BULLEIT	9.05
BUFFALO TRACE	9.05
KNOB CREEK 9 YEAR	11.05
MAKER'S MARK	11.05
WOODFORD RESERVE	11.85
ANGEL'S ENVY PORT CASK FINISH	15.05
BLANTONS ORIGINAL	15.05
EAGLE RARE 10 YR	15.05
BLANTONS GOLD	28.05
BIB AND TUCKER 6 YEAR	28.05
E.H TAYLOR SMALL BATCH	28.05
Rye	
BULLEIT FRONTIER	9.05

CANADA

FORTY CREEK	7.85
GIBSONS RARE 12 YEAR	8.55
CROWN ROYAL	9.85
THE FORAGER	11.55

IRELAND

JAMESONS	8.55
BUSKER	9.05

BRANDY

	30ml
ST. REMY VSOP	7.85
HENNESSY VS	10.85
HENNESSY VSOP	12.05
HENNESSY XO	30.05
CHATEAU DE MONTIFAUD VS	11.85
CHATEAU DE MONTIFAUD VSOP	13.85
CHATEAU DE MONTIFAUD XO	22.05
BOULARD XO CALVADOS	11.85

VODKA

	30ml
KETEL ONE	8.85
TITO'S	8.85
STOLICHNAYA CUCUMBER	8.85
BELVEDERE	10.05
BELVEDERE SINGLE ESTATE RYE	12.05
CHOPIN	10.85
GREY GOOSE	10.85

RUM/RON/RHUM

	30ml
FLOR DE CAÑA 4 YEAR	7.55
BACARDI 4	7.55
BACARDI SPICED	7.55
BACARDI BLACK	7.55
BACARDI BLANCO	7.85
GOSLING'S BLACK SEAL	7.85
EL DORADO 12 YEAR	8.85
FLOR DE CAÑA 7 GRAN RESERVA	9.05
BACARDI 8	9.85
KRAKEN SPICED	9.85
FLOR DE CAÑA 12 YEAR	11.05
RON MILLONARIO 15 YEAR	11.85
DICTADOR 12 YEAR	14.05
ZACAPA 23 YEAR	14.55
FLOR DE CAÑA 18 YEAR	24.75
FLOR DE CAÑA 25 YEAR	35.05

GIN

	30ml
BOMBAY SAPPHIRE	7.85
BOMBAY EAST	8.05
AVIATION	8.55
ROMEO	10.55
FORD'S	10.85
THE BOTANIST	10.85
NO.3 LONDON DRY	10.85
HENDRICKS	10.85
TANQUERAY 10	10.85
SIDERIT	12.05
DRUMSHANBO GUNPOWDER	13.05

AGAVE

	30ml
EL ESPOLOÑ REPOSADO	10.85
CASA NOBLE BLANCO	15.05
PATRÓN SILVER	15.05
CASAMIGOS BLANCO	15.05
CASAMIGOS MEZCAL	15.55
CASAMIGOS RESPOSADO	16.05
CASAMIGOS AÑEJO	16.05
MILAGRO REPOSADO SPECIAL RESERVE	16.85
DON JULIO REPASADO	16.85

HAPPY HOUR & EVENTS

happy hour

MONDAY TO FRIDAY – 3PM TO 6PM, 9PM TO CLOSE

SATURDAY – 4PM TO 6PM, 9PM TO CLOSE

\$6 WINE, \$6 HIGHBALL, \$6 DRAUGHT

HALF OFF LOUNGE APPETIZERS & PIZZAS

tuesday

COCKTAILS BY MURRIETA'S

ENJOY HALF PRICE COCKTAILS

wednesday

HALF PRICE BOTTLES OF WINE

FROM \$100 OR LESS

thursday

\$2 FRESH SHUCKED OYSTERS



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