



PICANTE MENU

APPETIZERS

- GUACAMOLE and CHIPS** a mixture of fresh, ripe avocado, serrano chile, cilantro, onion and tomato **4.45**
- CHIPS and SALSA** of tomato, onion, chile serrano and cilantro **2.35**
- QUESADILLA** one flour or two corn tortillas filled with cheese and salsa **3.75**
- EMPANADAS** two crispy corn turnovers stuffed with roasted chiles and cheese and cream **4.80**
- NACHOS** a pile of house made chips covered in cheese, jalapeños and salsa with choice of beans **5.65**
- SUPER NACHOS** with guacamole and Mexican cream and choice of beans **7.25**
- CORN TORTILLA CHIPS** house-made, thick and crispy **1.00**

CEVICHE

- CEVICHE** of shrimp and fish in a spicy red sauce with house-made chips **7.75**

CAESAR SALADS

- CAESAR SALAD** of romaine lettuce with croutons and queso cotija **4.65**
- CAESAR SALAD with GRILLED CHICKEN** **7.75**

TOSTADA SALADS

crisp corn or flour tortilla covered with choice of beans, romaine lettuce, cabbage, carrot, radish, jicama, queso fresco and salsa

- VEGETARIAN** as described above **6.45**
- POLLO ASADO** grilled chicken that has been rubbed with a recado of achiote seeds **7.45**
- CARNE ASADA** grilled Niman Ranch steak that has been in an ancho and guajillo chile marinade **8.50**
- CARNITAS** traditional slow-cooked pork **7.45**
- MANCHAMANTELES** "tablecloth stainer" chicken in a red mole **7.45**

SANDWICHES

avocado, lettuce, pinto bean spread, grilled onion and tomato on our own fresh roll served with corn tortilla chips

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- CARNE ASADA** grilled Niman Ranch steak that has been in an ancho and guajillo chile marinade **7.75**
- CARNITAS** traditional, slow-cooked pork **6.25**
- QUESO FRESCO** a fat slice of fresh Mexican cheese **6.25**

TAMALES (3)

three steamed corn husks filled with coarsely ground corn masa, served with rice and beans

- NORTEÑOS** pork with rich ancho chile sauce **8.50**
- VEGETABLE** butternut squash and roasted poblano chiles with avocado-tomatillo salsa **8.50**

SOUP

- SOPA AZTECA** chicken soup with roasted tomato, chile pasilla negro, avocado, crispy tortilla strips and queso cotija **6.75**

FLAUTAS de GUADALAJARA (2)

- FLAUTAS** two crisp, chicken-filled flour tortillas, salsa, crema and queso on shredded lettuce with beans **6.75**

REGIONAL SPECIALTIES

CHILE RELLENO battered and fried poblano chile stuffed with Oaxacan cheese in rich tomato sauce, served with rice and beans and four hand-made corn tortillas *from West Central Mexico, Jalisco* **8.50**

PESCADO VERACRUZANA snapper filet in a tomato, olive, chile jalepeño, caper sauce, served with rice, beans and four hand-made corn tortillas *from the Gulf Coast, Veracruz* **10.95**

ENCHILADAS (3)

three organic corn tortillas filled, rolled and sauced as described below, with rice and beans

VERDES chicken-filled with tangy green tomatillo sauce *from Mexico City* **8.50**

de MOLE chicken in mole poblano, a sauce made with 28 ingredients including chocolate *from Oaxaca* **8.50**

de QUESO cheese-filled and covered with a smooth and spicy ancho chile sauce *from Aguascalientes* **8.50**

BURRITOS

steamed flour tortilla filled with choice of filling, rice and choice of beans

VEGETARIAN Mexican rice, your choice of beans & salsa fresca **4.65**

POLLO ASADO grilled chicken that has been rubbed with a recado of achiote seeds **5.25**

CARNE ASADA grilled Niman Ranch steak that has been in an ancho and guajillo chile marinade **6.25**

CARNITAS traditional slow-cooked pork **5.25**

RAJAS strips of roasted poblano chiles sautéed with onions and served with queso fresco and cream **5.25**

CHORIZO and POTATOES spicy Mexican sausage and potatoes fried together **5.25**

PESCADO snapper filet with mango-jicama salsa **6.25**

CHILE VERDE grilled pork simmered in a tomatillo-chile sauce with queso fresco **5.25**

LEGUMBRE PICADILLO carrots, zucchini, and potatoes in a red chile sauce and cream **5.25**

MANCHAMANTELES "tablecloth stainer" chicken in a red mole **5.25**

SUPER adds guacamole, cheese and Mexican cream to any burrito above **1.65**

TACOS (3)

choice of filling in three hand-made organic corn tortillas with choice of beans on the side

POLLO ASADO grilled chicken that has been rubbed with a recado of achiote seeds, served with rajas and guacamole **6.25**

CARNE ASADA grilled Niman Ranch steak that has been in an ancho and guajillo chile marinade served with rajas and guacamole **7.00**

CARNITAS traditional slow-cooked pork, served with guacamole and onion-cilantro salsa **6.25**

RAJAS strips of roasted poblano chiles sautéed with onions and served with queso fresco **6.25**

CHORIZO and POTATOES spicy Mexican sausage and potatoes fried together with onion-cilantro salsa & salsa verde **6.25**

PESCADO sautéed snapper filet with mango-jicama salsa **7.00**

MANCHAMANTELES "tablecloth stainer" chicken in a red mole, served with onion-cilantro salsa **6.25**

PLATES of the HOUSE

choice of following, served with rice, your choice of beans, house-pickled vegetables, and four hand-made organic corn tortillas

POLLO ASADO grilled chicken that has been rubbed with a recado of achiote seeds **8.50**

CARNE ASADA grilled Niman Ranch steak that has been in an ancho and guajillo chile marinade **9.25**

CARNITAS traditional slow-cooked pork **8.50**

RAJAS strips of roasted poblano chiles sautéed with onions and served with queso fresco **8.50**

CHORIZO and POTATOES spicy Mexican sausage and potatoes fried together **8.50**

PESCADO snapper filet with mango-jicama salsa **10.25**

CHILE VERDE grilled pork simmered in a tomatillo-chile sauce with queso fresco **8.50**

LEGUMBRE PICADILLO carrots, zucchini, and potatoes in a red chile sauce **8.50**

MANCHAMANTELES "tablecloth stainer" chicken in a red mole **8.50**

RICE and BEANS Mexican rice, your choice of beans, salsa fresca **4.95**



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1328 Sixth Street (510)525-3121 Monday-Friday 11-10 Saturday & Sunday 10-10 Brunch Saturday & Sunday 10-3

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