

WHILE YOU WAIT

Corn Bread	
By the Piece	100 By the Basket 3.95
Steamed Shrimp - Served Hot or Cold	1/4 lb. 6.95 1/2 lb. 12.95
Fried Green Tomatoes	5.50
Corn Fritters	5.25
Crab Cake	6.95
Chicken and Rice Soup	4.95
Pimento Cheese w/house benne crackers	6.95

GREENS

Salad with mixed baby greens
and what got picked this morning
Little 4.95 | Big 6.95

Chargrilled Chicken	11.95
Blackened Chargrilled Chicken	12.95
Fried Green Tomato	10.95
Blackened Shrimp	13.95
Fried Oysters	14.95

LUNCH, DINNER, SUPPER?

Whatever you call it, we serve it all day
Blue or Green Plate Specials.

SANDWICHES

Served with cole slaw and choice
of fried okra or fries

Grilled Turkey w/provolone	7.95
Jes's Meatloaf	7.95
Pecan Fried Whiting	6.95
Fried Shrimp Po Boy	9.95
Fried Oysters Po Boy	10.95
Chargrilled Chicken Breast	9.95
Pecan Fried Chicken Breast	10.95
BLFGT	9.95
Grilled Cheese with sliced tomato	6.95
Hot Dog w/relish & onion	6.25

Please let your server know before you order
if you need separate checks.

BASKETS

Served with cole slaw and
a choice of fried okra or fries

Pecan Fried Whiting	5.95
Fried Shrimp (Steamed add \$100)	8.95
Fried Oysters	10.95
Fried Chicken	9.95

PLATES

Plates served with 2 veggies

Meatloaf	4oz. 8.95 8oz. 12.95
Fried Pork Chop	(1) 9.95 (2) chops 13.95
Blackened Chargrilled Pork Chop	(1) 10.95 (2) 14.95
Fried Chicken	2 pc. dark 11.95
	2 pc. white & dark 12.95
	2 pc. white 14.95
	3 pc mixed 14.95
Fried Chicken Livers w/onions	13.95
Chargrilled Chicken Breast	11.95
Blackened Chargrilled Chicken Breast	12.95
Pecan Fried Chicken Breast	12.95
Brown Sugar Glazed Ham	12.95
Fresh Catch	Priced Daily
Pecan Fried Whiting	9.95
Fried Shrimp (Steamed add \$100)	14.95
Fried Oysters	16.95
Fried Seafood Platter	16.95
Platter Substitution	100

BLUEPLATE SPECIAL | PRICED DAILY

Tues.	Sweet Chicken & Limas
Wed.	Shrimp Creole
Thurs.	Sausage Gumbo
Fri.	Flounder
Sat.	Crab Cake
Sun.	Shrimp & Grits

Sharing Plates and Specials 100

Indicates items with brown gravy
P.S. If you are a vegetarian, on a special diet,
or have food allergies, we do try to help.
We use Peanut Oil.

THE VEGGIES, FRESH & SOULFUL

Red Rice	2.95
Mac & Cheese	2.95
Mashed Potatoes	2.95
Okra Gumbo	2.95
Green Beans	2.95
Collard Greens	2.95
Cole Slaw	2.95

Ask about daily veggies

Fried Okra	3.25
French Fries	3.25

BLUE COLLAR SPECIAL

Peanut Butter & Banana Sandwich with potato chips	3.50
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SWEETS

Homemade daily. Try not to share	5.95
Wholly Cow Ice Cream	2.15 per scoop

DRINKS

Jestine's "Table Wine" Sweetened Tea	2.50
Unsweetened Tea	2.50
American Classic "Hot" Tea	2.50
Good Coffee	2.50
Diet Coke, Sprite, YooHoo	1.50
Apple, Orange Juice, Milk	1.50

IN THE BOTTLE

Coke	1.50
NEHI	1.95
Cheerwine & Diet Cheerwine	1.95
RC Cola, Sun Drop, IBC Root Beer	1.95

SPIRITS

House Wine Glass	4.95 - 5.50
House Wine Bottle	19.95 - 22.95
Beer	3.25 - 4.50

Jestine Matthews



Jestine's Kitchen is named in honor of Jestine Matthews, who was born in the Low country in 1885. Her mother was a Native American, and her father was the son of a freed slave who was farming land on Rosebank Plantation on Wadmalaw Island. "I don't know if I was born there" she says, "but when I first know myself, that's where I was living." Soon after the turn of the century, Jestine moved to Charleston, where she found work as a laundress and later as a housekeeper. In 1928, she went to work for Aleck Ellison and his wife, who were then expecting a baby. It was the start of a lifelong friendship between Jestine and the Ellison family. Dana Berlin, the owner of Jestine's Kitchen, is the daughter of the Ellisons' only child, Shera Lee Berlin, and this restaurant is her way of sharing the wonderful style of home cooking and the warm atmosphere that Jestine provided for generations of friends and family. Jestine died at the age of 112 on December 18, 1997, but her legend lives on. We invite you to share a meal that could have come from her kitchen traditional veggies, seafood and fried chicken and raise a glass of Jestine's table wine in a toast to her memory.



Please note:
An 18% gratuity is added to checks of parties
of 6 or more.



Please check our website
for special hours on and around holidays.

Tuesday - Thursday, 11 a.m. - 9:30 p.m.
Friday & Saturday, 11 a.m. - 10 p.m.
Sunday, 11 a.m. - 9 p.m.

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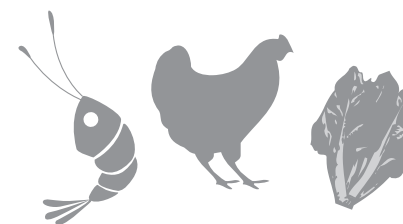
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Monday - Saturday, 11 a.m. - 5 p.m.

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fried chicken
southern veggies

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