

WHILE YOU WAIT

Corn Bread	
By the Piece	1.25 By the Basket 4.95
Steamed Shrimp - Served Hot or Cold	
	1/4 lb. 6.95 1/2 lb. 12.95
Fried Green Tomatoes	5.95
Corn Fritters	5.75
Crab Cake	6.95
Chicken and Rice Soup	4.95
Pimento Cheese w/house benne crackers	6.95

GREENS

Salad with mixed baby greens
Small 3.95 Big 6.95

Boneless Chicken Breast	
Pecan-Fried, Chargrilled or Blackened	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
Boneless Chicken Breast	
Pecan-Fried, Chargrilled or Blackened	10.95
BLFGT	9.95
Pimento Cheese	8.95
Peanut Butter and Banana	5.95
Grilled Cheese with sliced tomato	6.95

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	6.95
Fried Shrimp (Steamed add \$1.00)	8.95
Fried Oysters	10.95
Fried Chicken	9.95
Grilled Hot Dog w/Onion & S.P.R.	6.95

PLATES

Plates served with 2 veggies

Meatloaf	4oz. 10.95 8oz. 12.95
Fried Pork Chop	(1) 10.95 (2) chops 14.95
Blackened Chargrilled Pork Chop (1) 10.95 (2) 14.95	
Fried Chicken 2 pc. dark	12.95
2 pc. white & dark	13.95
2 pc. white	15.95
3 pc mixed	15.95
Fried Chicken Livers w/onions	13.95
Boneless Chicken Breast	
Pecan-Fried, Chargrilled or Blackened	12.95
Brown Sugar Glazed Ham	12.95
Our Catch	Priced Daily
Pecan Fried Whiting	9.95
Fried Shrimp (Steamed add \$1.00)	14.95
Fried Oysters	17.95
Fried Seafood Platter	17.95
Platter Substitution	10.00

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

Indicates items with brown gravy

P.S. If you are a vegetarian, on a special diet, a
vegetarian, vegan or have food allergies, please
let us know. We do our best 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	3.50
French Fries	3.50
Side Salad	3.95

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
YooHoo	1.50
Milk	1.95

IN THE BOTTLE

Coke, Sprite, Diet Coke	1.50
NEHI	1.95
Cheerwine & Diet Cheerwine	1.95
RC Cola, Sun Drop, Stewart's Root Beer	1.95
Apple, Orange Juice	1.95

SPIRITS

House Wine Glass	5.95
House Wine Bottle	22.95
Beer	Domestic 3.50/Local 4.95
Mimosa	3.95
Prosecco	split 6.50/btl 18.95

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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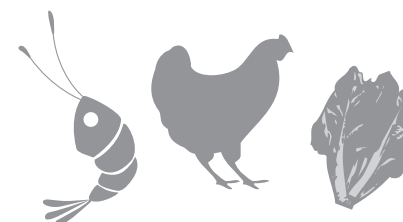


Located in Jestine's Kitchen

For special orders, call
(843) 720-PIES (7437).

Leave a message or stop by Jestine's Kitchen.

home cooking in a warm atmosphere



delectable seafood
fried chicken
southern veggies

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