

CeleBRATING Over 119 Years



*Columbia*SM

Since 1905

GEM of
SPANISH RESTAURANTSSM

Cocktails

Private-Barrel Collection

The Gonzmart family is proud to partner with distilleries around the world to provide our customers with a wide selection of private-barrel spirits. Each barrel is hand-selected by our 4th and 5th generation family members, then carefully bottled and sent to our restaurants so we can share them with you! Enjoy any of our private-barrel liquors neat, on the rocks or in your favorite cocktail.

Blanton's Single Barrel Bourbon
Maker's Mark Bourbon 110 proof
Savage & Cooke Bourbon
Stagg Jr. Barrel Proof Bourbon

Angel's Envy Private Selection Bourbon
Knob Creek Bourbon 120 proof
Knob Creek Rye Whiskey 100 proof
Papa's Pilar Sherry Finished Rum

Maestro Dobel Diamante Tequila
Maestro Dobel Añejo Tequila
Patrón Añejo Tequila
Casa Noble Reposado Tequila

Mojito

Since the Columbia opened its doors, people have enjoyed this flavorful and refreshing beverage made with **Bacardi Superior Rum**, muddled hierbabuena (mint), lime juice and sparkling water. *"One sip takes us back to Havana in 1958 when we tasted our first mojito."* – Richard and Casey Gonzmart. Served by the pitcher or in a glass over ice. Pitcher 30 Glass 14

Original "1905" Martini

Created in honor of our centennial. **Ketel One Vodka**, served with marinated olives stuffed with Cabrales cheese. 16

Huckleberry Martini

Blue Ice American Huckleberry Flavored Vodka with muddled fresh blueberries and dash of lemon juice. 16

6 O'clock Spritz

6 O'clock London Dry Gin, Aperol, watermelon juice topped with cava. 15

Andalusian Fresa Gimlet

Our favorite domestic, **Tito's Handmade Vodka**, combined with muddled fresh strawberries, fresh basil and fresh lime juice. Shaken and served on the rocks. 12

Classic Old Fashioned

A favorite of Carmen Hernandez, 2nd generation. **Maker's Mark Private Select Bourbon** with sugar, bitters, cherry and orange. 16

Pete's Manhattan

Hall of Fame bartender Pete Scaglione's favorite cocktail made with his own recipe using our **Private-Barrel Knob Creek Bourbon**, vermouth and a hint of Ramazzotti Amaro. Served up or on the rocks. 16



Bartender Pete Scaglione

"1905" Sazerac

A classic whiskey cocktail made with our **Private-Barrel Knob Creek 100-proof Rye Whiskey**, Herbsaint Liqueur, bitters and sugar. 16

Nolet's Limeade

Nolet's Gin, fresh lime juice, Luxardo Maraschino Liqueur, cherry and soda water. 14

Columbia, Gem Of The Ocean

Passion fruit syrup, pineapple, lime and our hand-selected **Private-Barrel Casa Noble Reposado Tequila** shaken and served on the rocks. *"Columbia"* was the first American vessel to circumnavigate the globe and *"Columbia, Gem Of The Ocean"* was an American patriotic song that was long-used as an unofficial national anthem for the U.S. One sip will take you around the world! 14

Margarita Garrafon

Hall Of Fame bartender Garrafon Fernandez combined his native Spanish roots to this Mexican classic. Our **Private-Barrel Patrón Añejo Tequila**, Spain's **Torres Magdala Orange Liqueur**, **Torres Brandy** and fresh lime juice. 15

La Adelita

Private-Barrel Maestro Dobel Añejo Tequila shaken with house-made guava syrup, fresh lime juice and finished with a slice of jalapeño. Sweet and spicy just like our matriarch, Adela Hernandez Gonzmart. 16

Paloma

Made with **Maestro Dobel Diamante Tequila**, **Fever-Tree Grapefruit Soda** and a splash of fresh lime juice. Simple and refreshing. 12

Cuban Old Fashioned

Papa's Pilar Oloroso Sherry Finished Rum with guava syrup and Angostura bitters. Served on the rocks with a twist of orange. 16

Hemingway Daiquiri

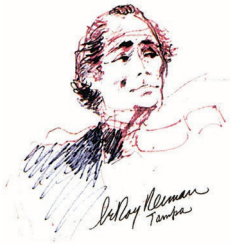
Papa's Pilar Blonde Rum, grapefruit juice, Luxardo Maraschino Liqueur and fresh lime juice shaken and served up or on the rocks. 14

Tango Mango

Dance to the taste of the tropics. Fresh mango and **Bacardi Superior Rum**. Frozen and delicious. 14

Family Wines

DON CESAR
Product of Spain



Don Cesar® Reserva

A distinctive Garnacha and Syrah blend with delicate notes of spices. Intense, warm, well-structured and very flavorful. Created in memory of our father and grandfather, Cesar Gonzmart. This legendary wine is made by the Torres family from their Catalunya vineyards specifically selected by their winemaker. Bottle 44 Glass 12

PRODUCT OF SPAIN
ESTATE BOTTLED



ADELITA
CHARDONNAY

Adelita® Chardonnay

Brilliant gold color. Fresh, fruit-laden palate culminating in a long, full finish. Produced in memory of our mother and grandmother, Adela Hernandez Gonzmart, in Penedés, Spain by the Torres family. Bottle 44 Glass 12



Don Casimiro®

Chardonnay • Pinot Grigio • Cabernet Sauvignon

These wines were selected and bottled in honor of Casimiro Hernandez, Sr. and Casimiro Hernandez, Jr. first- and second-generation founders of the Columbia restaurant, and to celebrate Casimiro “Casey” Gonzmart, Sr. and “Casey” Gonzmart, Jr., fourth generation and fifth generation. Proudly produced by the family-owned and operated Rutherford Ranch on Silverado Trail in Napa, CA. Bottle 36 Glass 10

CR Generations

Columbia Restaurant Generations is a tribute to the five generations of the founding family who contributed to the success of Florida’s Oldest Restaurant™. Made in La Mancha by the Familia Martínez Bujanda, which has been growing grapes and making wine in Spain for five generations.



CR Generations

Sauvignon Blanc

Fragrant aromas of grapefruit, anise and white flowers follow with crisp acidity and flavors of lime and stone fruit. Bottle 34 Glass 9



CR Generations

Tempranillo-Cabernet Sauvignon

A blend of 50% Tempranillo and 50% Cabernet Sauvignon. Intense aromas of vanilla and balsam with dark red fruit flavors and soft tannins. Bottle 34 Glass 9



RG Gran Reserva

Intense with a big volume developing on the palate, showing big freshness and elegance. 100% Tempranillo. (Rioja) Bottle 54 Glass 14



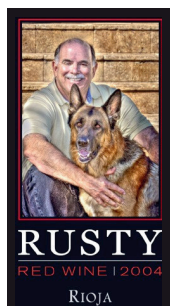
Melanie Verdejo

This velvety and silky wine is 100% Verdejo, a native grape varietal from north-central Spain. (Rueda) Bottle 35 Glass 10



AG Rosado

Big volume on the palate, with fresh fruit and a very long, tasty aftertaste. 100% Tempranillo. (Rioja) Bottle 30 Glass 9



Rusty

Rusty is the creation of Richard Gonzmart as a tribute to the unconditional love between a man and his dog. Through his partnership with Familia Martínez Bujanda, this 100% Tempranillo wine was created from their famous Finca Valpiedra Estate vineyards in Rioja, Spain. Intense red fruit and sweet tannins. Bottle 42 Glass 11



Enzi

Chardonnay • Pinot Noir

Created in memory of fifth-generation family member Andrea Gonzmart Williams’ beloved German Shepherd Enzi, who lost her battle with cancer. Produced in Sonoma County, California. Bottle 42 Glass 11

\$5 will be donated from the sale of every bottle of Rusty & Enzi wine to the oncology research at the University of Florida Small Animal Hospital. A minimum of \$20,000 will be donated annually to help find a cure for our four-legged family members.

Sangria

Sangria Tinto or Blanco

A longtime favorite “taste of Spain” at the Columbia. **Sangre de Toro** red blend or **Viña Sol** white blend – made in Catalunya, Spain by Familia Torres, longtime friends of the Gonzmart Family – with **Torres 10 Brandy** and fresh citrus juices. Pitcher 30 Glass 12

Sangria de Cava

A sparkling white sangria with **Jaume Serra Cristalino Spanish Cava**, **Torres Brandy Torres Magdala Orange Liqueur** and fresh citrus juices. One taste will transport you to the sunny coast of the Costa Brava in Spain. Pitcher 30

Tapas

Croquetas de Pollo

Sunday dinner always would begin with our grandmother and great-grandmother Carmen Hernandez's special recipe for chicken croquettes. Six fried croquettes made with chicken and Cuban bread crumbs. Served with Columbia hot sauce. 10

Black Bean Cakes

A favorite tapas selection of vegetarians and lovers of black beans. Our house-made black beans puréed and combined with fresh garlic, shallots, Monterey jack and Cheddar cheeses, then breaded and fried. Served with guacamole and sour cream. 10

Empanadas de Picadillo

Our mother and grandmother, Adela, always had her empanadas ready when we visited. The empanadas start with her recipe for picadillo, made with spiced ground beef, garlic, tomato, onions, raisins and olives, wrapped in two pastry turnovers. 12

Shrimp "Al Ajillo"

Spain's most popular tapa, large shrimp sautéed in extra-virgin Spanish olive oil and fresh garlic. 16

Calamares Fritos "Romana"

Tender calamari from Rhode Island, caught in North Atlantic waters and the highest quality available. The calamari is dusted in seasoned flour and lightly fried. The recipe is from our friend and famed third chef, Miguel Bejines of Sevilla, Spain. 18

Ensalada

Columbia's Original "1905" Salad®

The Columbia's legendary salad tossed tableside. Crisp iceberg lettuce* with julienne of baked ham, natural Swiss cheese, tomato, olives, grated Romano cheese, Lea & Perrins® Worcestershire sauce and our famous garlic dressing. The award-winning salad won **honors from USA Today as "One of 10 Great Places to Make a Meal Out of a Salad."**

The signature salad, named for the year the restaurant was founded in Tampa's Latin district of Ybor City, was inspired by immigrants to the Cigar City: Romano cheese from the Sicilians and the famous garlic dressing used by Cubans to marinate fresh roast pork, plus Florida tomatoes, iceberg lettuce*, julienne of baked ham and Swiss cheese. 16

Smaller version of Columbia's Original "1905" Salad® served with entree. 9

Columbia's Original "1905" Salad® with Turkey. 16

Columbia's Original "1905" Salad® with Shrimp "Al Ajillo." 20

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USA Today**

Sopa

Cup of Soup 8, Bowl of Soup 10

Spanish Bean Soup

The soup that made the Columbia famous. The original recipe of Casimiro Hernandez, Sr.: Garbanzo beans simmered with smoked ham, chorizo sausage and potatoes in a delicious broth of chicken and ham.

Cuban Black Bean Soup

Frijoles Negros prepared exactly as our grandmother, Carmen Hernandez, did. Served over a bed of white rice and topped with diced raw Spanish onions. 100% vegan.

Sandwiches

The Original Cuban Sandwich

"Best Sandwich in Florida"

– Food & Wine magazine

"Best Cuban Sandwich in Florida"

– Southern Living magazine

A Tampa treasure! The "Mixto," as it was known in the beginning, was created in the 1890s for the cigar workers as they walked to and from work. The sandwiches underwent changes as immigrants from different countries came to Ybor City. The City of Tampa was like the sandwich, a mixture of cultures and food. The Spanish brought the fine ham, the Sicilians the Genoa salami, the Cubans the mojo-marinated roast pork, the Germans and Jews the Swiss cheese, pickle and mustard. Put it all together between sliced, freshly baked Tampa Cuban bread from La Segunda Central Bakery and life is great. Today we are using the original 1915 recipe of Casimiro Hernandez, Sr., with the same proportions of meat and each ingredient layered atop the other, placed on Cuban bread brushed with butter on top and pressed to a crispy finish. 15

Cuban Sandwich and a cup of soup 18

Mahi-Mahi Cubana

Grilled mahi-mahi fillet seasoned and topped with sautéed onions, mushrooms, green peppers and smothered with Swiss cheese on Cuban bread with plantain chips. 18

Palomilla Steak Sandwich

Traditional Cuban steak cut very thin, seasoned and quickly grilled. Served on Cuban bread with lettuce, tomato, mojo-marinated onions, our "1905" Dressing sauce and a side of black beans and yellow rice. 18

Half and Half Combo

A choice of two, one half of a Cuban Sandwich, one half order of Columbia's Original "1905" Salad or a cup of soup. 15

½ Cuban & ½ Salad; ½ Salad & Soup; ½ Cuban and Soup

Platos Principales

Entreés include hot Cuban bread and butter.

Cup of soup with entrée. 8

Smaller version of our Original "1905" Salad® with entrée. 9

El Combo de Cuba

Sample the flavors of Cuba and enjoy this feast of roast pork, boliche, empanada de picadillo, platanos, yuca, black beans and yellow rice. 24

Roast Pork "a la Cubana"

Generous slices of pork loin with a delicious garlic marinade. Served like back home in Cuba with black beans, white rice, yuca and platanos. 20

Boliche "Criollo"

Roasted eye round of beef stuffed with chorizo and roasted in flavorful gravy. Served with black beans, white rice and platanos. R.G.'s favorite! 18

Ropa Vieja

The name means "old clothes" because the choice beef is shredded, sautéed and simmered with onions, green peppers and tomatoes. Served with platanos and white rice. 18

Picadillo "Criollo"

A family favorite for generations. Finely ground choice lean beef, braised with onions, green peppers, olives and raisins. Served with white rice and ripe platanos. 16

Palomilla

The classic Cuban steak – marinated top sirloin cut very thin, quickly grilled and topped with mojo crudo (chopped onion, parsley, lime juice). With fried plantains and french fries or rice. 20

Paella

Prepared in a traditional paella pan with La Bomba Spanish rice and extra-virgin olive oil. (Please allow extra time for preparation.)

Paella "a la Valenciana"

Made with clams, mussels, shrimp, scallops, calamares, chicken and pork, green peppers, Spanish onions, ripe tomatoes, garlic and splashed with white wine. 39

Mahi-Mahi "Cayo Hueso"

Boneless fillet of mahi-mahi marinated in citrus juices and grilled. Served with mojo-marinated onions, yellow rice and platanos. 24

Grilled Grouper Simply delicious. Seasoned and grilled. With yellow rice. 38

Salteado

Inspired by the Chinese who lived in Cuba in the 19th century, a very hot skillet with extra-virgin olive oil is used to sauté sliced Spanish onions, green peppers, fresh garlic, mushrooms, diced potatoes, chorizo and red wine. Served with yellow rice.

Tenderloin Tips...24, Shrimp...24, Chicken... 20

Chicken and Yellow Rice "Ybor"

The traditional dish from Tampa's Ybor City, one-quarter chicken baked with yellow rice, green peppers, onions, tomatoes, spices and extra-virgin olive oil. 18

Pollo Manchego

Boneless chicken breast, breaded with Cuban bread crumbs and grated manchego cheese, topped with citrus sauce, sun-dried tomatoes and fresh basil. Served with yellow rice. 20



Cesar Gonzmart posing in the kitchen with Hall of Famers, Head Chef Vincenzo "Sarapico" Perez, Manuel Trujillo and Alberto Menendez (circa 1954). Sarapico was responsible for the creation of many of the Columbia's famous menu items.

Postres

Flan

Our recipe dates to 1935, when the Columbia opened Tampa's first "Conditioned Air" dining room, the Don Quixote. Spanish caramel egg custard, prepared the old-fashioned way, using only the best natural ingredients. 8

Key Lime Pie

The original Key lime pie recipe was thought to have been created in Key West, the birthplace of our grandmother and great-grandmother, Carmen Piloto Hernandez in the late 19th century. When the family moved to Ybor City, they brought a prized Key lime tree to plant at their home. Today our pies start with a graham cracker crust, and our filling is made from pasteurized egg yolks, condensed milk and "Nellie & Joe's" Key lime juice. That's it! Key lime pie is the "Official Pie of the State of Florida." 10



100th Anniversary

4th, 5th and 6th generation family members (2005)

Cordiales y Cafés

A selection of fine Spanish cordials and signature coffee drinks.

Licor 43 Liqueur.....	10
Anís del Mono Anisette Liqueur	10
Gran Duque D'Alba Brandy.....	15
Cardenal Mendoza Brandy	16
Jaime I Brandy, Torres.....	22
Torres 10 Brandy	10
Carlos I Brandy	14
Don PX 1994 Pedro Ximenez Sherry.....	14
Papa's Pilar Sherry Finished Rum.....	12
Papa's Pilar Blonde Rum	12

Naviera Espresso Martini

Van Gogh Espresso vodka combined with Licor 43 and freshly pressed Naviera Coffee Mills espresso. 16

Café Adela

A lovely combination of Kahlua and amaretto blended with Cuban coffee and a touch of whipped cream. 10

Café Cesar

The distinctive flavor of Anis del Mono blended with Cuban coffee and topped with whipped cream. 9

Spanish Coffee

Café con leche with imported Torres Spanish brandy and Kahlua and topped with whipped cream. 10

Café Melanie

Grand Marnier, Frangelico, amaretto and Bailey's with fresh roasted coffee topped with whipped cream. 10

Carajillo

Double espresso combined with Papa's Pilar Sherry Finished Rum and Licor 43 Liqueur. 10



Adela Hernandez Gonzmart, her son Casey and her father, Casimiro Hernandez, Jr. – 1952.

Take A Part Of The Columbia Restaurant Home With You



Celebrating A Century Of History, Culture And Cuisine

More than 100 years of the Columbia's history comes to life in 300+ pages, illustrated with many photos along with stories from the Hernandez-Gonzmart family members, employees, business partners and long-time customers. This book will delight home cooks, offering 77 new, authentic recipes and themed menus for holidays, Sunday brunch, wine tastings and cocktail parties. Learn to make dishes made famous by the Columbia. 30

The Columbia Restaurant Spanish Cookbook

This new edition features an additional foreword by Andrea Gonzmart Williams, fifth generation Columbia owner and operator. Originally published in 1995, this classic cookbook by Adela Hernandez Gonzmart, third generation owner and operator, and Ferdie Pacheco, author, painter and "fight doctor" for Muhammad Ali, reveals 178 of our prized recipes as well as stories and history of the Columbia Restaurant and Tampa. 25



1905 Family Of Restaurants Gift Cards

Give the gift of good taste with a 1905 Family Of Restaurants gift card. Ask your server for details or buy online via our website. Available in any denomination and redeemable at all 1905 Family Of Restaurants throughout Florida, including all Columbias and our sibling restaurants:

Ulele in Tampa Heights - Casa Santo Stefano in Ybor City - Cha Cha Coconuts in Sarasota

Columbia Restaurant Specialty Foods

Take one of our signature items home.

- Columbia's Original "1905" Dressing
- Original "1905" Salad Olives
- Tin of Cuban or American Blend Coffee
- Whole-Bean Espresso
- 10-year old Balsamic Vinegar
- Cuban Bread
- Columbia Hot Sauce
- Columbia's Famous All-Purpose Seasoning
- Sangria Mix
- Any of our Private Label Family Wines



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Bebidas

Fresh Roasted Coffee

Roasted by Tampa's Naviera Coffee Mills. 3.50

Espresso

Evelio Hernandez's secret blend. 3.50

RG's Double Espresso 4.50

Café con Leche

Espresso Cuban coffee with steamed milk. 5

Fresh Brewed Iced Tea 3.50

Hot Tea 4

Soft Drinks 3.50

Free refills on soft drinks, ice tea and fresh, roasted coffee.

Spanish Bottled Water, 750ml

Natural or Sparkling. 8

Handpainted Ceramics

Choose from a variety of unique handmade ceramic pieces imported from Spain.

Take Home
A Spanish
Handmade
Sangria
Pitcher...
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“As a gem forms with the passage of time, the same is true for the Columbia RestaurantSM, the gem of Spanish restaurantsSM.”

In 1905, Casimiro Hernandez, Sr. – our great-grandfather – immigrated to Tampa’s Ybor City from Cuba and opened a small café called the Columbia Café, serving steaming cups of Cuban coffee and bowls of Spanish bean soup, along with strong drink to fellow immigrants in the “Cigar City.” Over time, the Columbia grew to become one of Florida’s finest restaurants.

Every era brought new challenges, and the Columbia met each with expansion. Prohibition saw the addition of a dining room called “La Fonda.” By 1935, Prohibition had been repealed. Cocktails and dancing were all the rage. Our grandfather, Casimiro Hernandez, Jr. added the first air-conditioned dining room in Tampa and named it the “Don Quixote,” featuring a large dance floor.

In the 1950s, our parents Cesar and Adela Gonzmart carried on old traditions and added new elements. Ever the showman, Cesar serenaded and delighted diners with his magical violin, backed by an orchestra in the lavish “Siboney Room.” Our mother, a concert pianist and noted cookbook author, was the heart of the Columbia.

Culinary and cultural acclaim increased over the years as our family added new rooms for banquets and entertainment. The Columbia Restaurant of Ybor City seats more than 1,700 people in 15 dining rooms and encompasses an entire city block.

Today there are seven Columbia Restaurants throughout Florida, each carrying on our family’s delicious traditions. We also own and operate Ulele, Goody GoodyTM, Cha Cha Coconuts, Casa Santo Stefano and Café Con Leche Ybor City.

The heritage that began in 1905 proudly continues into the 21st century with our daughters and sons, the great-great-grandchildren of Casimiro. Just as he did, we take pride in providing the best dining experience for our guests each day with excellent food, Old World service and consistent value at all of our restaurants. History never tasted so good!

Our family history is intertwined with the food we serve. Enjoy our memories scattered throughout this menu.

Richard Gonzmart
Fourth Generation Owner/Operator

Casey Gonzmart, Sr.
Fourth Generation Owner/Operator

Andrea Gonzmart Williams
Fifth Generation Owner/Operator

Casey Gonzmart, Jr.
Fifth Generation Owner/Operator

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