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CONTINENTAL:

LES VIOLINS, 1751 Biscayne Blvd., Miami, for an evening of uncomparable cuisine and dancing. Strolling violins, singing waiters and waitresses. Whatever your choice of a meal might be ---- you can be sure of an expertly prepared dinner served with exquisite care. Open daily, except Mondays, from 7 p.m. Reservations suggested: 371-8658

TONY SWEET'S RESTAURANT, new location, 1900 79th Street Causeway, Miami Beach. Here you will find true Continental Cuisine served in a delightful atmosphere. Open every nigh. Member: Diners Club, American Express, Carte Blanche. 865-5766.

THE HASTA, 2665 S.W. 37th Avenue, Miami. 445-3636. A must on the lists of Miami gourmets for many years. Atmosphere is delightfully relaxing and "intime." Complete menus of expertly prepared Continental and American food. Charming Wine Cellar Lounge features dining, music and entertainment. Open nightly, except Sunday. Luncheon Monday through Friday.

SPANISH:

JUANITO'S CENTRO VASCO, 2235 S.W. 8th Street, 643-9606. Juanito's specialties include their fabulous Seafood a la Basque. Lobster Thermidor, and luscious Filet Madrilena. Open 12 noon to 12:00 P.M., with free parking. Carte Blanche, American Express and Diner's Club. Cocktails are served in their typical Spanish Basque tavern.

FLAMENCO, 991 N.E. 79th Street, Miami. A fabulous place with mouth-watering food. You will enjoy such delicacies as Broiled Gambas, Lobster Costa Brava, Chateaubriand, Filet Mignon Flamenco, Frog Legs Provencale, Coq au Vin Bourguignonne, and Paella Valenciana. Strolling Violins and the unique experience of singing and dancing waiters and waitresses. Daily from 7 P.M. Closed Tuesdays 751-8631.

POLYNESIAN:

LUAU RESTAURANT, 79th Street Causeway, between Miami and Miami Beach. Superb Cantonese cuisine, broiler specialties and seafood in an unbelievable setting of Pure Polynesia. Hawaiian "Happy Hour" starts at 5 P.M. . . . dining from 5 P.M. 'til 2 A.M. Specializing in Convention Catering . . . 6 separate dining rooms. Open 7 days. Pearl---865-3735.

JAPANESE:

THE JAPANESE STEAK HOUSE, Miami Springs Villas. The food is different, delicious and delightful and a tribute to the owners created this bit of Tokyo in our midst. 885-1911. Diner's Club and American Express.

JEWISH-AMERICAN:

WOLFIE'S has two locations on Miami Beach and is famous the world over for their sandwiches. Also enjoy complete breakfasts, luncheons or dinners. This food has a delicatessen flair and is very good. Wolfie's 21st Street.

THE FAMOUS RESTAURANT, 671 Washington Avenue, opened in 1945, it has been a Miami Beach landmark. One of the very best for Jewish-American dining, it is a real experience for top quality dining. 531-3987. Diner's Club, American Express and Carte Blanche.

CHINESE:

GAS LIGHT. Restaurant and Cocktail Lounge, Golden Strand Hotel, Ocean at 179th Street, Miami Beach, 945-9075. Christine Lee's marvelous gourmet selections include many Chinese specialties, plus the best prime sirloin steaks in Miami.

CHINARAMA, 2200 N.E. 163rd Street, North Miami Beach. Delicious Chinese Smorgasbord with luncheons and buffets daily. Either dine in this interesting place or take out. Phone 947-4536. 1 block off Biscayne Boulevard, right on Dixie Highway.

FU MANCHU, 325 71st Street, 866-4303. Miami Beach's most authentic Chinese Food for over 25 years. Noon until midnite. Take out and delivery service.

THE PAGODA, 211-22 Street, Miami Beach. Featuring outstanding Cantonese specialties served in the distinctive atmosphere of Miami Beach's newest and most beautiful restaurant. A diversified menu provides a veritable gastronomical galaxy of good food. Phone 538-0342.

MIDDLE EAST:

OMAR'S TENT, 534 Arthur Godfrey Road, Miami Beach, 532-8422. Authentic Middle-East cuisine all the way. Modest prices too.

SEAFOOD:

MIKE GORDON'S SEAFOOD RESTAURANT, 79th St. Causeway, is truly a touch of Cape Cod. New England seafood, clams and oysters, Maine lobster and Red Snapper are featured. Lunch and dinner menus available. 759-6825. American Express, Diner's Club.

TONY'S FISH MARKET, 79th St. Causeway. Open year round. Prices are moderate and is open for lunch and dinner. Cocktails and hors d'oeuvres aboard Tony's Yacht "South Seas" which is berthed behind restaurant. 865-8688. American Express, Carte Blanche and Diner's Club. Open daily.

JOE'S STONE CRAB RESTAURANT, 227 Biscayne Ct., Miami Beach. Specialty of the house is the famous stone crab, but also other seafood specialties and prime steaks and chops are featured. A Miami Beach Landmark. 673-0365. American Express, Diner's Club, Carte Blanche. Holiday Magazine Award since 1961.

FISHERY, located right on the ocean at 194th and Collins in Miami Beach. Succulent variety of seafood delicacies. Free parking at the Sheraton Beach. Open 7 days a week. Dinner only. 949-3596 and 947-44ll. Major credit cards. Same management as the world famous Luau Restaurant.

MEXICAN:

DON JULIO'S, 136 N.E. 20th St., off N.E. 2nd Ave. Featuring delicious and authentic Mexican and Spanish cuisine. Intimate and quaint atmosphere. Lunch and dinner served. Closed Sundays. American Express and Diner's Club.

GERMAN-AMERICAN:

BAVARIAN VILLAGE RESTAURANT & COCKTAIL LOUNGE, 1401 N. Federal Highway, Hollywood. 922-7321. Open for lunch and dinner year round. Authentic German-American cuisine that includes such dishes as Sauerbraten, Roast Long Island Duckling, along with a variety of prime meats and seafoods. Entertainment on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, is provided by the talented organist and accordionist, Marie Renaldo.

ITALIAN:

SAN REMO RESTAURANT, 2655 Biscayne Blvd. (U.S. 1) 374-9257. Peter and Sylvana Petazzori say: "Dine with us---you are in Italy." Northern Italian Gourmet Cuisine cooked and served to order by Sylvana. Delicious varieties to choose from. Dinner 6:00 P.M. to 11:00 P.M. American Express.

AGOSTINO'S, 6970 Collins Avenue, has long been a favorite for visitors and residents. The Italian cuisine is delicious. The menu is complete and you will enjoy every entree. 866-6147. American Express and Diner's Club. Open 7 days.

CAPRA'S RESTAURANT AND LOUNGE, 8400 Biscayne Blvd. The Original Capra's, Vincent Bruno is the Owner and Chef, specializing in all of the finest Italian dishes and delicacies. Dine in air-conditioned comfortand the most delicious Italian food in town. Call 758-3766.

DANTE'S, 240 Sunny Isles Boulevard (1 block west of Collins Avenue), Miami Beach. A new restaurant to add its name to the truly fine eating places in South Florida. Get acquainted with the owner-chef, formerly of the Grand Hotel, Rome, and be introduced to superb Italian cooking in the continental manner. 4 P.M. to midnight. Open daily. Nickey, 949-2726.

VALENTI'S, 1400 N.W. 7th Avenue, in Miami. 379-7661. Easily reached from anywhere in Dade County. Famous for Italian cuisine, char-broiled specialties and seafood since 1939. Your favorite wine and liquor. Major credit cards honored. 11:00 A.M. to 10:30 P.M. Saturday until 2 A.M.

SONNY'S FAMOUS ITALIAN RESTAURANT, 247 23rd St., is a long time favorite of celebrities visiting Miami Beach. Their slogan is "Best Food and Pizza this side of Italy". If you don't feel like going out, just phone in your order and it will be promptly delivered in a heated oven truck. Open from 4:30 P.M. to 3:30 A.M. Open 7 days.

PICCIOLO, 136 Collins Ave., M.B., 673-2221. Established in 1935 and getting bigger and better every year. Over 100 entrees to choose and full 7 course dinners start at \$3.50. Serving lunch and dinner with a special children's menu. American Express, Master Charge, Diner's Club.

STEAKS, CHOPS AND PRIME RIBS:

THE CATTLEMAN. Old West atmosphere, huge steaks, man-size drinks and unusual settings all add up to grand dining experience. Six wondrous kinds of steak served in Parlours of Madame Moustache. A true adult Western restaurant on Broad Causeway at 124th Street in Miami. For reservations, call 891-1600. Open for Dinners and Suppers only.

THE PLACE FOR STEAK is just that. A charming room with colorful brick and warm woods, The Place offers for dinner, and throughout the night, prime aged beef charcoal broiled over open hearth fires. Exciting entertainment and music 'til 5 A.M. is offered in the intimate Harbor Lounge, located at 1335 - 79th St. Causeway. 758-5581. Open 7 days. American Express.

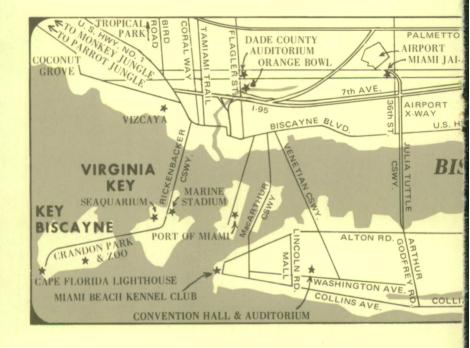
THE EMBERS RESTAURANT, 22nd Street off Collins Avenue, open daily.... 5:30 P.M., specializes in finest of fresh stone crabs, prime steaks, beef and succulent ribs. Lamb chops, duck and wild rice draw accolades. Maine lobster, plus other excellently prepared seafood. 538-4345. American Express and Diner's Club.

THE FORGE, 432 Arthur Godfrey Rd. (41st St.) Miami Beach, 534-4536. Specializes in steaks, chops, prime ribs, excellent wine list. Open daily from 6 P.M. to 3 A.M. Alfred's Lounge adjoins, open 2 p.m. to 5 a.m. Permanent art collection features paintings, sculpture, Tiffany lamps and more. American Express, Diner's Club, Carte Blanche, Master Charge.

PUB, 16701 Collins Ave., M.B., in the Newport Hotel, 949-7433. Traditional open hearth cookery of beef, fish and fowl. A hearty greeting and a hearty meal always. Breakfast, lunch, dinner. American Express and Diner's Club.

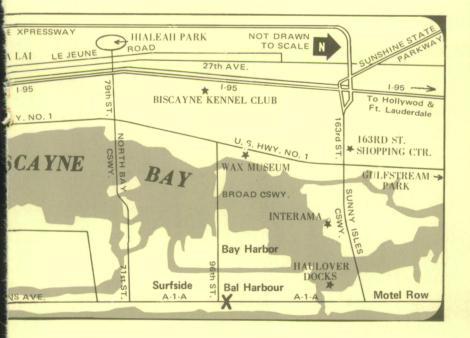
NICK & ARTHUR'S RESTAURANT, 1601 79th Street Causeway---specializing in prime ribs of beef, steaks, chops & seafood---Maine lobsters and fresh stone crabs. Complete menu---outdoor patio overlooking Biscayne Bay. Open 5 P.M. Closed Tuesdays. 866-9759---866-9750.

KING ARTHUR'S COURT, Miami Springs Villas has authentic castle motif. Specialties of the house include a gourmet prime rib of beef dinner. The entrees in the menu give you a choice of all kinds of delicacies. This is also the home of the Strolling Violins, who serenade you while you dine. 885-1911. Diner's Club, American Express. Open 7 days.



GETTING

Miami Beach is an island 7.2 square miles; it lies just 3 miles across Biscayne Bay from the mainland of the City of Miami. It is connected by six causeways from north to south at 163rd Street, 125th Street, 79th Street, 36th Street, 15th Street and 13th Street. Getting around in Miami by automobile is not difficult but mileage consuming. The street numbering system begins at Miami Avenue and Flagler Street and is divided into quadrants from that point; for example,



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northeast, northwest, southeast, south-west. Streets run east and west as do the terraces. The avenues and places run north and south, but there are exceptions to these rules in the outlying areas, so use a map for such places as Hialeah. The system holds up to 215th Street on the North, 360th Street on the south and 217th Avenue on the west. Flagler Street divides the north and south and Miami Avenue east and west. Americana Hotel is in Bal Harbor at 97th Street and the ocean.

HOTEL DINING:

TOP O' COLUMBUS HOTEL in downtown Miami is open for luncheon and dinner. The view is finest in Miami. Lunch from ll:30 A.M. to 2:30 P.M. Dinner from 5 P.M. to 10:30 P.M. Cocktails 10 A.M. to 1 A.M. 373-4411. American Express and Carte Blanche. Open 7 days.

AMERICANA HOTEL, GAUCHO STEAK HOUSE, Bal Harbour, UN 5-7511. Steaks, beef, fish. Six-time Holiday Magazine Award winner. Free parking for dinner guests. Open nightly 6 to 11 P.M.

THE 700 CLUB, David William Hotel, 700 Biltmore Way, Coral Gables, 445-7821. Intimate decor, spectacular skyline view and music by Herbie Brock...those are the extras. Incomparable food...that's what the 700 Club is famous for.

CLUB GIGI, Fontainebleau Hotel, 538-8811. Elegant dining at its finest. Continental menu, accented with French specialties. Music by Lenny Dawson and his orchestra, entertainment by the best. In cafe society.

CAFE CRISTAL, Diplomat Resorts and Country Club, Hollywood-by-the-Sea, 949-2442. Delightful dining, dancing and the great names in show business. A world of pleasure.

DORAL BEACH HOTEL, 48th & Collins Ave., Miami Beach. STARLIGHT ROOF, hailed as "The World's smartest supper club" is a room of glass walls and 5,000 tiny ceiling lights that provide a spectacular view. Mal Malkin's Orchestra plays for your dining pleasure.

CHEZ VENDOME in the David William Hotel, 700 Biltmore Way, Coral Gables. The finest in continental cuisine served for the gourmet in a room unsurpassed for its decor in the French manner. Erik Jorgensen, chef de cuisine. Luncheon daily except Sunday. Dinner every night until I A.M. Musical entertainment at all hours. Hors d'oeuvres during the cocktail hour. Reservations suggested at 445-7821.

ART GALLERIES & MUSEUMS

Americana Gallery, 9701 Collins Avenue, Bal Harbour 866-5025

Bacardi Gallery, 2100 Biscayne Blvd. 377-8511

Bass Museum of Art, 2100 Collins Ave. 532-9022

Art Galleries & Museums continued

Gallery 5, Bishopric-Harrison-Lieberman & Fielden Bldg. Lobby, 3361 S.W. 3rd Ave., Miami 377-4972

Gloria Luria Gallery, 980 S.W. 1st St. 379-7521

Higginbotham Galleries, 7866 N.E. 2nd Ave. Miami 751-1301

Howard Stuart Auction Galleries. 18412 Collins Ave. 947 8061

Miami Art Center, 7867 North Kendall Dr. 271-8450

Miami Museum of Modern Art, 381 N.E. 20th St. 373-8898

Museum of Science & Space Transit Planetarium, 3280 S. Miami Avenue 374-8451

Vizcaya Art Museum, 3251 S. Miami Avenue 371-3531

FISHING

Deep Sea Fishing . . . Charter boats are available for hire, complete with captain and mate, equipment and bait. Cost-sharing for trips can be arranged through your hotel or motel.

Pier Fishing . . . from the piers, kingfish, bonita, mackerel, and bluefish can be caught, principally in fall and winter months . . . and night angling in the summer will bring in snappers, snook and tarpon. The following piers are open to the public:

HAULOVER PIER ---- Haulover Park, above Bal Harbour (nominal charge) SUNNY ISLES PIER---- 163rd Street at Collins Avenue (nominal charge) PIER PARK ---- Ocean Drive at 1st Street, Miami Beach.

SKINDIVING

This area is a skindivers' paradise! Enjoy the popular sport right off the Greater Miami and Miami Beach shores or sign up for one of many available watery safaris . . . excursions to sunken hulls, reefs and underwater gardens. Instructions are also available. Consult your Bell Captain at the hotel or motel where you are staying.

GOLF COURSES

Miami Beach

BAYSHORE MUNICIPAL, 2301 Alton Road. 18 holes, par 72. 538-1659.

HAULOVER BEACH PARK, 10800 Collins. 9 holes, par 3.

NORMANDY SHORES, North Normandy Isle. 18 holes, par 70. 866-3744.

MUNICIPAL, 9 holes, par 3, near M.B. High School. 2795 Prairie Avenue. Phone 532-2803.

COASTAL BAY, 9 holes, par 3, just south of Sheraton Beach Hotel, Collins Avenue, at 192nd Street (Illuminated at night).

The municipality operates two 18 hole courses and a par-three, nine hole links. All residents and visitors with a holiday address within the city are welcome to play these courses. Last year 217,000 did.

Bayshore, on Alton Road at 24th Street is a par 72 of 6,632 yards, although it has been toured in 64. Bayshore is most convenient to lodgings in the central and southern sections of Miami Beach. The clubhouse is modern and air-conditioned with dining room, sun porch and locker rooms. The pro shop is well stocked. There are practice putting greens and driving areas.

Normandy Shores with its clubhouse overlooking Biscayne bay in the northern area of the city, has been reworked recently into one of the most attractive public links anywhere. It is a par 70 of 6,587 yards, practice areas and complete clubhouse facilities.

MARINAS

BAYFRONT MARINA: Downtown Miami, Bayfront Park, 63 berths; max. footage 353'; utilities; food and drink; fuel; outboard rentals; charter boats; party, drift and fishing boats; excursion and sightseeing boats.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE DOCKS: 1315 5th Street, Miami Beach, East End of MacArthur Causeway, 20 berths; max. footage 40'; utilities; charter boats; party, drift-fishing and bottom-fishing boats; excursion boats.

HAULOVER MARINA: 10800 Collins Avenue, Miami Beach, 60 berths; max. footage 50'; fuel; utilities; launching ramp; bait and tackle; food and drink; charter boats; party, drift, head and bottom fishing boats; excursion and sightseeing boats.

TENNIS COURTS

(Available at the Americana Hotel) Check with Bell Captain

Also:

FLAMINGO PARK, 13th Street & Meridian Avenue (16 courts). Hourly fee.

NORMANDY ISLE PARK, 1765 - 71st Street (1 court), no fee.

NORTH SHORE PARK, 72nd Street and Byron Avenue (12 courts). Hourly fee.

POLO PARK, 42nd Street and Meridian Avenue (2 courts), no fee.

SHERATON BEACH RESORT, 19400 Collins Avenue. Six courts. Days only. Hourly fee.

SIGHTSEEING

MIAMI WAX MUSEUM. 13899 Biscayne Blvd., Miami (U.S. No. 1). More than 40 huge lifelike scenes, depicting events of history, politics, sports and the movies in life-size figures. Open year round 9:30 A.M. to 9:30 P.M. Admission charge. Same artists as Montreal and Quebec City Wax Museums. Come in anytime, continuous self-guided tour.

MONKEY JUNGLE. 22 miles south of Miami on U.S. No. 1. Open daily year round, 9:30 A.M. to 5:30 P.M. Hundreds of monkeys run wild while visitors watch from enclosures. The jungle houses the most complete collection in the Southwest of monkeys, apes, baboons and two big gorillas. Admission.

MIAMI PARROT JUNGLE. Just ll miles South of Downtown Miami on 57th Avenue (Red Road) Macaws fly about free in a natural Florida jungle and will often perch on the visitors arms for pictures. Macaws and Cockatoos perform hourly in the "Parrot Bowl" riding bicycles, roller skating, trapeze counting, adding, subtracting, and many more outstanding feats. Scheduled shows. Open 9:30 A.M. to 5 P.M., daily and Sunday. Admission.

MIAMI SEAQUARIUM. World's largest tropical marine aquarium and home of TV and movie star "Flipper". Killer whale, performing porpoises, divers hand feed giants of the deep, shark channel and world's largest collection of rare fishes. Ride the Monorail for an aerial view of all 57 acres. Hydrofoil boat rides from lagoon. Continuous shows 9 A.M. to 5 P.M. daily. 10 min. south of downtown Miami on Rickenbacker Causeway. Children under 6 free.

SIGHTSEEING cont'd

VIZCAYA. Located at 3251 South Miami Avenue, Miami. Vizcaya, Dade County Museum, authentic European palace and formal gardens containing furnishings and genuine works of art, all brought here by the late James Deering. Open year round 10 A.M. to 5 P.M. Admission charged. Phone 371-3531.

ENTERTAINMENT

All large hotels have shows with top name entertainers. Check with your bell captain or entertainment section of the Miami Herald Newspaper.

SHOPPING

Directly across the street from the Americana Hotel is the Bal Harbour Shopping Center with top name stores famous in all larger cities.

BABY SITTING

Check with your hotel bell captain.

RACE TRACKS

CALDER. 27th Avenue at 210 Street, N.W., Miami.

AIRLINE RESERVATIONS

Aerocondor 371-5642	Viasa 371-1684
Aeronaves de Mexico377-2391	LACSA377-4793
Air Canada371-9026	Lanica Airlines, Inc 633-8575
Air France 379-6444	Lufthansa 377-2661
Air Jamaica358-1121	Mackey International Air Commuter 947-4717
Alitalia Airlines 377-3566	Mexicana Airlines 371-2458
Apsa Peruvian Airlines 888-0711	National Airlines 633-3311
Aerolineas Argentinas 377-3605	Northeast Airlines 379-4361
Air-India371-8681	Northwest Airlines 633-3361
Avianca 377-8866	Olympia Airways 373-2108
Belgian Airlines 379-1741	Pan American Airways 637-6444
BOAC 377-2011	Qantas Airways 377-2011
Braniff International 635-2511	Sabena Belgium World
B.W.I.A 371-8693	Airlines 379-1741
Caribair223-3391	SAS 371-2551
Chalk's Flying Service 374-4212	Southern Airways379-7501
Delta Airlines, Inc 373-0441	Swiss Air373-3193
Eastern Air Lines 634-3511	Trans World Airlines 377-4661
Ecuatoriana 635-9878	Taca International Airlines 358-0066
El Al Israel Airlines 532-5441	United Air Lines 377-3461
Iberia Air Lines 377-4702	International Air Bahamas 379-9591
Varig Air Line 377-4901	Japan Air Lines 373-6446