



SAM'S

Grill

and Seafood Restaurant

Established 1867

374 Bush Street at Belden Street

Sam's History

Sam's Grill and Seafood Restaurant originated in what was called the California Market in 1867. Michael Bolan Moraghan, a native of Ireland, began operating an oyster saloon that year at 68 California Market. The California Market was an open-air meat, fish and produce emporium. The oyster saloon became known as M.B. Moraghan and Sons.

By the 1890's M.B. Moraghan and Sons developed into the leading seafood establishment, containing a large combination oyster bar, seafood restaurant and fresh fish emporium. Then known as "the Oyster King of California", Moraghan had begun farming oysters in the San Francisco Bay tidelands off the City of Burlingame, a suburb of San Francisco. M.B. Moraghan and Sons provided the leading seafood restaurants of San Francisco of that era with their daily supply of fresh seafood.

In 1922 Samuel Zenovich purchased the Moraghan operation. Zenovich, a Yugoslavian immigrant, began his restaurant career as a bartender at the Reception Cafe, which he purchased in 1905. The Reception Cafe was a favored hangout of such sporting men as John L. Sullivan, Jim Corbett, Peter Jackson, Jack Dempsey and other gentlemen who followed the prize fight ring and the race track. Zenovich operated his establishment under the name of Samuel Zenovich Restaurant, popularly know as "Sam's".

In 1937 Zenovich passed away and Frank Seput purchased the restaurant from his estate. The name was formalized Sam's Grill and Seafood Restaurant. Under the direction of the Seput family, the restaurant operated at 561 California Street until 1945 and from 1946 onward at its present location at 347 Bush Street. After serving during World War II, two sons, Walter and Frank, became partners in the operation. Frank Seput retired in 1958 and his son Frank sold out in 1975. Walter remained and his son Gary came into the operation that year. The restaurant continues to be operated as a family unit.

Appetizers

- 1. Onion Rings4.25
- 2. Fried Eggplant or Zucchini6.00
- 3. Bay Shrimp Cocktail7.50
- 4. Prawn Cocktail9.50
- 5. Clam Cocktail10.50
- 6. Crab Cocktail12.00
- 7. Fried Calamari for two12.00
- 8. Crab Leg Cocktail18.00
- 9. Pacific Yearling Oyster Cocktail9.50
- 10. Asparagus with Mustard Sauce7.00

Soups

- 11. Soup du Jour Cup 4.50...Bowl 5.50
- 16. Clam Chowder Cup 6.00...Bowl 7.50
- 17. Mock Turtle Cup 5.00...Bowl 6.00

Salads

- 12. Crab Cobb Salad small 13.50...large 24.00
- 23. Mixed Greens8.00
- 24. Mixed Greens with Shellfish19.75
- 25. Hearts of Romaine10.00
- 26. Hearts of Romaine with Red Beans10.50
- 27. Hearts of Romaine with Shellfish22.50
- 28. Hearts of Romaine with Avocado and Shellfish23.50
- 29. Caesar Salad11.00
- 30. Caesar Salad with Bay Shrimp16.00
- 31. Caesar Salad with Prawns18.00
- 32. Caesar Salad with Crab26.00
- 33. Bay Shrimp Salad or Louie14.00
- 34. Crab Salad or Louie24.00
- 35. Prawn Salad or Louie17.50
- 36. Marinated Calamari and Mixed Greens12.50
- 37. Avocado9.00
- 38. Avocado with Shellfish20.50
- 39. Tomato9.00
- 40. Tomato with Shellfish20.00
- 43. Vegetable9.00
- 44. Vegetable with Shellfish20.50
- 45. Anchovy11.00
- 46. Celery Victor11.50
- 47. Sam's Special Seafood Salad21.50

Pasta

- Linguine or Fettuccine
- 53. Plain9.50
- 54. With Basil10.00
- 55. With Scallops18.50
- 56. With Prawns16.50
- 57. With Crab legs34.00
- 58. With Shellfish23.00
- 59. With Calamari14.00
- 60. With Clams (Red or White)13.00
- 61. Primavera (Zucchini & Peas)11.50

Calamari

- 67. Fried12.00
- 68. Sauté - Red Sauce and Mushrooms13.00
- 69. Steak, Pan Fried a la Sam with Garlic13.50
- 70. Steak, Pan Fried Dore with Capers14.50

SERVICE AREA

SAN FRANCISCO, DALY CITY, SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, BRISBANE, SAN BRUNO, PACIFICA, MILLBRAE, SAUSALITO, MILL VALLEY, LARKSPUR, GREENBRAE, OAKLAND, ALAMEDA, EMERYVILLE, BERKELEY

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Fish

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| 76. Fried Filet of Sole | 15.00 |
| 78. Klamath River King Poached Salmon | 28.00 |
| 79. Poached Salmon with Egg Sauce | 28.50 |

Charcoal Broiled

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| 85. Pacific Snapper | 17.00 |
| 89. Klamath River King Salmon Filet | 28.00 |
| 90. Petrale | 23.00 |
| 92. Ahi Tuna | 24.00 |
| 93. Swordfish | 26.00 |

Shellfish

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| 100. Bay Shrimp Curry or Creole with Rice | 15.00 |
| 101. Fried Eastern Scallops | 19.00 |
| 102. Fried Prawns | 16.00 |
| 103. Prawns Curry or Creole with Rice | 16.50 |
| 104. Fried Clams | 17.00 |
| 106. Sautéed Eastern Scallops | 20.00 |
| 107. Sautéed Prawns | 17.00 |
| 109. Prawns Dore | 17.50 |
| 110. Crab Newberg | 21.00 |
| 111. Crab Au Gratin | 22.50 |
| 112. Deviled Crab ala Sam | 22.50 |
| 113. Fried Seafood Platter | 22.50 |
| 115. Fried Pacific Yearling Oysters | 18.50 |
| 117. Sautéed Shellfish (Scallops, Prawns, Crab Legs) | 24.00 |
| 118. Fried Crab Legs | 33.00 |
| 119. Sautéed Crab Legs | 36.00 |

Meats

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| 135. Salisbury Steak with Mushroom Sauce | 14.00 |
| 136. Breaded Veal Cutlet with Mushroom Sauce | 14.50 |
| 137. Veal Scallopine | 18.00 |
| 138. Veal Piccata | 18.00 |
| 139. Veal Scallopine Sec | 18.00 |
| 140. Calf's Liver with Bacon or Onions | 15.50 |
| 141. Veal Chop with Bacon | 24.00 |
| 142. New York Steak | 36.00 |
| 143. New York Minute with Bercy Sauce | 31.00 |
| 144. Veal Porterhouse with Bacon | 28.00 |
| 145. Filet Mignon | 36.00 |

Chicken

One Half Chicken per Order. Please allow up to 45 Minutes

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| 126. Roasted | 12.50 |
| 127. Charcoal Broiled | 12.50 |
| 128. Sautéed with Mushrooms | 14.00 |
| 129. Elizabeth | 15.50 |
| 22. Chicken Breast Piccata | 13.50 |

Sweetbreads

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| 150. Charcoal Broiled with Bacon | 24.00 |
| 151. Sautéed with Mushrooms | 24.00 |
| 152. Sautéed with Caper and Lemon | 24.00 |

Vegetables

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| 158. Spinach | 5.00 | 159. Stewed Tomatoes | 5.00 |
| 160. Creamed Spinach | 5.00 | 161. Fried Zucchini | 6.00 |
| 162. Swiss Chard | 5.00 | 163. Fried Eggplant | 6.00 |
| 164. Peas or Broccoli | 5.00 | 166. String Beans | 5.00 |

Potatoes

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| 173. Boiled | 3.00 | 175. Baked | 3.25 |
| 176. Hash Browns | 4.00 | 177. Shoestring | 3.75 |
| 178. Au Gratin | 4.75 | | |

Desserts

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| 184. Rice Pudding | 4.00 | 186. French Pancakes with Anisette | 7.00 |
| 187. Apple Pie | 5.00 | 188. New York Cheesecake | 6.00 |
| 189. Chocolate Mousse | 6.00 | 190. Pecan Pie | 5.50 |
| 191. Tiramisu | 6.50 | | |

Beverages

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| 197. Soft Drinks | 3.00 |
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Beers

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| 202. Budweiser | 4.00 | 203. Coors Light | 4.00 |
| 205. Anchor Steam | 5.00 | 206. Becks | 5.00 |
| 207. Becks Dark | 5.00 | 208. Heineken | 5.00 |
| 209. Clausthaler (Non-Alcoholic) | 4.50 | 210. Sierra Nevada | 5.00 |
| 211. Guinness | 5.50 | | |

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