

Dear Guests,

On This Menu We Present You,

Produce From Casa Lavanda Culinary Garden With Traditional & Biodynamic Farming Methods,

Produce From Villages Around Şile and Şile Farmer's Market Producers,

Wild Mushrooms From Wild Life Around Ulupelit Village,

Baby Goat From Villages Around Şile,

Oak Barrel Fermented Vinegars by Fatma Teyze of Oruçoğlu Village

Water Mill Ground Corn Polenta From Kaleatlı Village,

Fresh Burrata Cheese Produced Daily by Buffa Farm from Kandıra,

Line Cought Fish From Şile Coast and Sea Food Varieties Chosen Fresh from the Market by Mr. Yavuz "Derya Balık"

Pasta Varieties Home Made With Italian Semolino Flour,

Antique Grains Selection Made by Tarla Mera of Kırklareli, Mustafa Afacan of Kastamonu and İlhan Koçulu of Kars, Made Into Our Sourdough Bread Selection,

Artisan Cheeses by Mrs. Buket of Tangala, Matured to Perfection in our Cheese Cellar at Casa Lavanda,

Many More Local and Seasonal Produce From The Market.

I Hope Very Much That You Will Enjoy Our Classics and Seasonaly Inspired Dishes.

A. Emre Şen



^{*}Please kindly inform, alert your server if you have any dietary restrictions due to a food allergy or intolerance.

^{*}There is a minimum spending credit of 2,000 TL per person on Saturdays, Sundays and Public Holidays, and spending that doesn't exceed this amount will be reflected in the bill.

^{*}All prices are in TL, include tax.

^{*12%} service charge will be added to any food and beverage consumption.

^{*}The Menu update was made on 14.03.2025

Tasting Menu

Flame Seared Bluefish From Bosphorus

Home Grown Fresh Herbs, Satsuma Tangerine, Mustard Seeds, Pine Nut, Saffron Aioli

Truffle Scented Zonguldak "Kuzu" Chestnut Soup

Morel Mushroom

Onion "Dolma"

Filled with Lamb Neck and Winter Chanterelle, Pomegranate Reduction, Almond Cream, Burnt Butter – Sumac Sauce

Agnolotti*

Filled with Burrata & Mascarpone, Roasted Cherry Tomatoes

Slow Roasted Baby Goat

"Dövme Keşkek*", Chickpea, Fig-Plum "Sızma" *Keşkek is a traditional long cooked wheat dish.

Artisan Cheese Selection

From Producers: Tangala, Gemedere, Miralem Ripened at Casa Lavanda Honeycomb; from Sivas, Kösedağ, 1400 m. Altitude

Fig Leaf Ice Cream

Roasted Almond, Sea Salt, Extra Virgin Olive Oil

Tasting Menu 4200

6 Glasses Wine Pairing 2900

*Agnolotti is a handmade Piemonte style pasta variety.





Black Winter Truffles from Spain

"Tuber Melanosporum"

Buffalo Milk Burrata
Black Truffle, Early Harvest Olive Oil, Country Bread Crouton
3100

Carne Cruda Piemontese

Steak Tartare with Black Truffle
3000

Beef Carpaccio

Black Truffle, Truffle Sauce, Wallnut, Parmiggiano, Arugula 3000

Home Made Tagliolini
Black Truffle, Raw Butter
2600

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Truffle Scented Buffalo Milk Ice Cream
Black Truffle, Salted Caramel
2000

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Served on any plate of your choice 2300



Starters Cold

Flame Seared Bluefish From Bosphorus Home Grown Fresh Herbs, Satsuma Tangerine,

Mustard Seeds, Pine Nut, Saffron Aioli

1150

İskenderun Red Prawn & Avocado Rolled in Cucumber, Apple, Lime Mayo 1300

Homegrown Beetroot & Goat Cheese Tart Wild Arugula, Basil, Cherry Tomatoes 900

Beef Carpaccio
Truffle Sauce, Wallnut, 18 mo. Grana Padano, Arugula
1250

Buffalo Milk BurrataRoasted Pear, Wild Arugula, Almond, Balsamic Vinegar
1250

Cheese
Tangala & Miralem Dairy Farms Cheeses, 18 mo. Grana Padano
1200

**Charcuterie
Prosciutto Crudo di Parma, Italian Salami, Bresaola
1700



Starters Hot

Truffle Scented Zonguldak "Kuzu" Chestnut Soup Morel Mushroom 900

Homegrown Arugula, Kale & Basil Soup
Pine Nut Gremolata, Roasted Cherry Tomatoes
850

Charred Asparagus

Bottarga*, Grapefruit & Chives Beurre Blanc *Bottarga is a salt cured, dried fish roe. 1250

Onion "Dolma"

Filled with Lamb Neck and Winter Chanterelle, Pomegranate Reduction, Almond Cream, Burnt Butter – Sumac Sauce 1150

Artichoke Flan

Fava Bean, Artichoke Heart, Fonduta Piemontese, Dill 950

Hot Smoked "Babakale" Octopus

Chickpea Purée, Buttermilk Dressed Purslane, Crispy Chickpeas 1350

North Aegean Baby Calamari

Creamy and Crispy Bean, Roasted Cherry Tomatoes, Basil Pesto 1200

Pan Seared Quail

Cognac Flambe, Morel Mushroom Watermill Ground Corn Polenta from Kalealtı Village 1300

Wild Porcini Mushroom in a Copper Pan (for 2)

From Ulupelit and Surrounding Forest 1950

With Home Made Tagliatelle 2350



Salads

With Homegrown Produce from our Culinary Garden

Belgian Endive Salad

Fennel, Radish, Purslane, Strawberry, Mustard Seeds and Honey Vinaigrette 650

Purslane Salad

Avocado, Baby Lettuce, Celery, Lime, Fennel, Cherry Tomatoes 670

Artichoke Salad

Arugula, Lettuce, 18 mo. Grana Padano, Truffle Vinaigrette **690**

Wild Rice Salad

Little Gem Lettuce, Arugula, Granny Smith Apple, Fennel, Walnut, Toasted Sesame Vinaigrette 650



Pasta

Hand-Made with Semolina Flour and Farm Eggs

Agnolotti*

Filled with Burrata & Mascarpone, Roasted Cherry Tomatoes

Small: 1150 / Large: 1500

*Agnolotti is a handmade Piemonte style pasta variety.

Ravioli

Filled with Lamb Ragù, Chestnut-Brown Butter Sauce, Parmiggiano Foam Small: 1100 / Large: 1400

Saffron Trofie*

Morel Mushroom, Fava Bean, Fresh Herbs and Cream Sauce
Small: 1050 / Large: 1350
*Trofie is a handmade Liguria style pasta variety.

Tagliolini

Seafood, Garlic, Spicy Summer Tomato Sauce Small:1300 / Large: 1700

Tagliatelle

Roasted Ragù Bolognese Small: 1000 / Large: 1300

Pappardelle

Wild Mushrooms, Pine Nuts, Basil and Cream Small: 1100 / Large: 1400

Risotto

Saffron and Baby Calamari Small: 1200 / Large: 1500

Asparagus, Mascarpone and Smoked Beef Bacon Small: 1050 / Large: 1350

Wild Mushrooms from "Ulupelit Village" Small: 1100 / Large: 1400





Main Courses

Baby Goat from Villages of Şile

Slow Roasted, "Dövme Keşkek", Chickpea, Fig-Plum "Sızma" 1700

Roasted Poussin

Root Vegetable Purée, Sweet-Sour Black Cabbage, Siyez Bulgur* with Dried Fruits & Nuts 1300

*Siyez Bulgur is an ancient wheat variety, craked, from Anatolia.

Confit of Duck Thigh

Caramelized Belgian Endive, Bitter Chocolate-Duck Jus, Red Wine Cherry Compote 1800

Seafood Stew in a Copper Pan (for 2)

Summer Tomato Sauce, Octopus, Shrimp, Calamari, Vongole, Olive and Capers 3200

Turbot From Şile Harbour

Pan Roasted with Garlic and Butter, Homegrown Spring Vegetables, Samphire, Mustard Seeds, Turbot-Vermout Sauce 2500

Lightly Smoked Bonito From Sile Harbour

Home Grown Lemongrass-Celery Purée, Celery Terrine, Vermouth – Herb Sauce, Mustard Leaves 1400

Beef Tenderloin

Homemade Whole Grain Mustard, Pearl Onions with Balsamic Vinegar, Baby Vegetables
1500

Lamb Chops

Garlic Potato Purée, Black Olive and Lamb Jus, Confit Apricots, Gremolata 1600

Boneless Rib Eye Steak

Truffle Potato Purée, Wild Porcini Mushroom, Chard 1800

*Preperation time for main dishes may take from 20 up to 40 minutes. Thank you for your understanding.

