



Southwestern Cuisine with a Mexican twist

## HOUSE MADE CORNBREAD

Z'Tejas Cornbread is made fresh every hour of every day. Each bite will take your taste buds to a happy place. Through the years, many have told us that our cornbread is a life-changing experience. Yes, it's just that delicious!

## STARTERS

### Yellow Fin Ahi Tuna Ceviche\*

Citrus marinated ahi tuna, tomato, avocado, served with fried wonton chips

### Tableside Guacamole ■

Avocado, red onion, tomato, cilantro, jalapeño, pepita, cotija

### Substitute veggies for chips

### Cast Iron Skillet Dumplings

Pork, shrimp, garlic, ginger, bell pepper, green onion, wonton wrapper, ginger soy sauce

### Chile Pork Verde

Tomatillos, Anaheim & serrano peppers, jack cheese, black beans, flour tortillas

### Nachos

Beef or pork, jack cheese, black beans, salsa fresca, green chile sauce, sour cream, jalapeño, guacamole, queso

### Street Tacos\*

Skirt steak, cucumber, avocado, cotija, chipotle cream, salsa verde, corn tortilla

### Cilantro Shrimp | Smoked Chicken

### Quesadilla

Sautéed mixed peppers, onion, jack cheese, flour tortilla, served with guacamole, sour cream

### Smoked Chicken | Skirt Steak\*

### Cilantro Shrimp | Mushroom & Spinach ■

### Grilled Shrimp Tostada Bites

Cilantro shrimp, guacamole, tostadas, chipotle, cucumber salad

### Substitute cucumber rounds

### Chile Con Queso ■

American cheese, cream, salsa fresca, chipotle

### Catfish Beignets

Catfish, cornmeal, jalapeño mayo, Southwestern slaw

### Tejas Trio ■

Chile con queso, guacamole, roasted salsa

### Add chorizo, beef fajita or smoked chicken

### Blackened Catfish Tacos

Grilled Catfish, Southwestern slaw, jalapeño tartar, avocado, corn tortilla strips, Asian sauce, flour tortilla

## TACOS & FAJITAS

### Street Tacos\*

Skirt steak, cucumber, avocado, cotija, chipotle cream, salsa verde, corn tortilla, Southwestern rice, black beans

### Cilantro Shrimp | Smoked Chicken

### Chicken Tinga Tacos\*

Corn tortillas, chipotle braised smoked chicken, lettuce, salsa fresca, chipotle cream, avocado & cotija cheese, Southwestern rice, black beans

### Baja Fish Tacos

Cod, buttermilk, egg, flour, Southwestern slaw, mango, corn tortillas, Southwestern rice, black beans

### Pulled Pork Tacos

Pork, Southwestern slaw, pineapple tequila sauce, Southwestern rice, black beans

### Navajo Taco\*

Navajo tostada, fried spinach, red cabbage, black beans, salsa fresca, Southwestern rice, chipotle aioli, sour cream, mole verde sauce

### Smoked Chicken

### Pork Verde

### Cilantro Pesto Shrimp

### Fajitas ■

Onions, peppers, guacamole, sour cream, jack cheese, cheddar, flour tortillas, Southwestern rice, refried beans

### Vegetarian

### Chicken

### Steak & Chicken\*

### Skirt Steak\*

### Cilantro Pesto Shrimp

## SALADS & SOUP

### Seared Salmon Salad\* | ■

Sesame crusted salmon, spinach, corn, carrot, red bell pepper, green onion, mango, caramelized onion, feta, tomato, sesame vinaigrette

### Achiote Chicken Chopped Salad

Iceberg, bacon, avocado, black beans, cotija, pepitas, corn, tomato, red cabbage, ranch vinaigrette

### Vegetarian Option ■

### Texas Wedge Salad ■

Iceberg, tomato, bleu cheese, red onion, bacon, green chile bleu cheese dressing

### Pecan Chicken | Skirt Steak\*

### Parmesan Pecan Crusted Chicken Salad

Parmesan, pecans, chicken, spinach, bacon, goat cheese, tomato, warm bacon dressing

### Jerk Chicken Salad

Jerk chicken, greens, feta, tomato, corn tortilla, sesame ginger dressing

### Vegetarian

### Grilled Ruby Trout Salad ■

Cilantro trout, mixed greens, walnuts, goat cheese, sun-dried tomato vinaigrette

### Red Chile & Mango Steak Salad

Mixed greens, blue cheese crumbles, spicy walnuts, roma tomato, mango citrus dressing

### Vegetarian Available

### Z'Salad ■

Greens, jack cheese, cheddar, bell peppers, tomato, tortilla croutons

### Cilantro Chicken | Cilantro Shrimp

### Skirt Steak

### Southwestern Caesar Salad ■

Romaine, parmesan, tortilla croutons

### Cilantro Chicken | Cilantro Shrimp

### Skirt Steak\*

### Add a Small Z'Salad or Caesar Salad

### Southwestern Chicken Tortilla Soup

Smoked chicken, jack cheese, cheddar, avocado Cup | Bowl

## THE SPIRIT OF Z

Restaurateurs Guy Villavaso, Larry Foles, and Paul Fleming began the Z'Tejas concept in 1988. All three men were from the South, living in Texas and Arizona. Attracted to the coastal cuisines of the South and Southwest, they combined their recipes – and mastered the margarita! – to create a menu inspired by the classic culinary heritage of the Louisiana Delta, Texas Hill Country, Rio Grande, and the Desert Southwest. We like to call it "Southwestern cuisine with a Mexican twist".

The Z'Tejas dream manifested when the group saved an old historic home about to be torn down and transformed it into a charming 3400 sq. ft. restaurant with open-air patios. It opened September 1989 on 6th Street in Austin. Live music on Thursdays featuring local bands added to its charm and popularity, and kept the Z' experience lively in the neighborhood while supporting local talent.

The Z'Tejas family continued to expand to Phoenix Arizona featuring Z's same great food at our Paradise Valley (1996) and Chandler (2001) locations. This gave birth to our motto "Austin Original, Arizona Legend". Over the years, each location has provided a unique backdrop for many proposals, family pictures, wedding venues and long-time customers. Hosting special events and catering is our pleasure. Guests from all over stop by for a bite to eat, a cold drink, conversation with friendly faces and take home their Z' experience in the form of a shirt or hat.

We are not a chain. We are a collection of unique restaurants. We provide guests with locally sourced food, drinks they love and customized specific menu items that align with our guests' preferences. We encourage our guests to make themselves at home while they enjoy the Spirit of Z!



## ENTRÉES

### Chorizo Stuffed Pork Tenderloin

Pork tenderloin, chorizo, poblano, jack cheese, garlic, sour cream, garlic mashed potatoes, seasonal vegetables

### Chicken Artichoke Mushroom Stack

Cilantro chicken, mushroom, spinach, artichoke hearts, soy mustard cream, pepitas, garlic mashed potatoes, seasonal vegetables

### Five Cheese Macaroni & Achiotte Chicken

Jack, cheddar, parmesan, romano, bleu, bacon, achiotte chicken, elbow macaroni

### Vegetarian

### Cilantro Pesto Ruby Trout

Cilantro ruby trout, avocado, mango, Southwestern rice, seasonal vegetables

### Chicken Fried Chicken

### Chicken Fried Ribeye\*

Lightly fried in our house made seasoned flour, topped with Texas-style gravy, served with green chile garlic mashed potatoes and seasonal vegetables

### Tejas Asada\*

Marinated skirt steak in orange & lime juice, cilantro, garlic, guacamole, salsa fresca, sour cream, flour tortillas, Southwestern rice, refried beans

### Diablo Pasta

Spinach & red pepper linguine, salsa fresca, cream, cotija, jalapeño

### Jerk Chicken | Cilantro Shrimp | Salmon

### Crispy Salmon\*

Salmon, crab, tomato, avocado, tomatillo, Southwestern rice, seasonal vegetables

### Smoked Chicken Chile Relleno

Smoked chicken, poblano, pecans, apricots, raisins, pepitas, jack cheese, sour cream, green chile sauce, red chile sauce, Southwestern rice, black beans

### Miso Glazed Salmon\*

Salmon, miso glaze, herb butter, Southwestern rice, seasonal vegetables

### Pan Fried Snapper

Gulf snapper, crab, cilantro pesto cream, Southwestern rice, seasonal vegetables

### Salmon and Bacon Relleno\*

Fried Anaheim pepper stuffed with salmon, cream cheese, bacon, cilantro, green chile sauce, sour cream, served with refried beans and Southwestern rice

## ENCHILADAS & BURRITOS

### Enchiladas

Corn tortillas, jack cheese, black beans, Southwestern rice

#### Santa Fe Chicken Enchilada

Smoked chicken, red chile sauce, chipotle

#### Seafood Enchiladas

Salmon, ahi tuna, cilantro shrimp, mushroom, spinach, red pepper sauce, sour cream, cotija

#### Mushroom Enchiladas

Crimini, portobello, avocado, mango, ancho mole cream, sour cream

#### Green Chile Barbacoa Enchiladas

Beef, green chile sauce, sour cream, iceberg, salsa fresca

### Smothered Burrito

Flour tortilla, salsa fresca, jack cheese, sour cream, jalapeño mayo, chipotle, black beans, Southwestern rice

### Smoked Chicken with Green Sauce

### Skirt Steak with Red Sauce\*

## HAMBURGERS & SANDWICHES

Sourdough bun, fries or sweet potato fries

### Z'Burger\*

Bacon, jack cheese, lettuce, red onion, tomato, jalapeño mayo

### Hickory Burger\*

Bacon, jack cheese, cheddar, bbq sauce, jalapeño mayo, onion, pickles

### Chicken Avocado Sandwich

Cilantro chicken, jack cheese, avocado, jalapeño mayo, salsa fresca, lettuce, tomato, red onion

### Buffalo Chicken Sandwich

Lightly fried chicken breast tossed in Southwest Buffalo sauce, jalapeño mayo, jack cheese, lettuce, pickles

## Z FREZH HEALTHY

### Cilantro Pesto Chicken

Cilantro chicken, Southwestern rice, steamed vegetables

### Grilled Salmon\*

Salmon, Southwestern rice, steamed vegetables

### Southwest Vegan Quinoa Bowl

Tricolor quinoa, spinach, black beans, peppers, onions, corn, avocado, salsa fresca, cotija cheese (optional)

### Cilantro Chicken

### Skirt Steak\* | Salmon\*

## DESSERTS

### Ancho Fudge Pie

Chocolate, pecan, walnut, ancho

### Chef's Cobbler

Ask your server about today's cobbler

### Chef's Cheesecake

Ask your server about the Chef's cheesecake creation

■ Vegetarian ■ Gluten-Free†

† Please be aware that Z'Tejas is not a gluten-free establishment and therefore, cross contamination may occur. Please let the manager know if you have any food allergies.

\* May contain raw ingredients. Please be advised: consuming raw or undercooked meat, egg, fish, shellfish, or poultry may increase the risk of foodborne illness, especially if you have a medical condition.



BRUNCH SERVED 10AM-2PM SATURDAY & SUNDAY!

## BRUNCH ENTRÉES

### Breakfast Burrito

Eggs, Z'Tejas house made sausage, jalapeno infused bacon, potato, salsa fresca, mixed cheese, flour tortilla, served with borracho beans and salsa.

### Southwest Breakfast Relleno

Scrambled eggs and mix cheeses stuffed inside a poblano pepper and topped with a roasted red bell pepper sauce and chipotle purée, served with black beans, green chile sauce, and tortillas.

### Z Eggs\*

Two eggs any style, served with jalapeno bacon or Z'Tejas house made sausage, papas bravas, and tortillas.

### Green Chile Pork Fry Tamale Benedicts \*

Slow - cooked green chile pork over, deep fried cheese and pepper tamale, garnished with chipotle hollandaise sauce, served with papas bravas.

### Chicken Fried Chicken & Waffles

Crispy, double breaded fried chicken with creamy country gravy, topped with freshbaked belgian style waffles and chocolate covered strawberries, served with house made vanilla bean syrup.

### Waffle

Fresh baked belgian style waffle, house made vanilla bean syrup, topped with fresh fruit.

### Buttermilk Pancakes

Topped with honey butter, served with house made vanilla bean syrup and fresh fruit compote.

### Steak and Eggs Chilaquiles\*

House made chips, red chile sauce, marinated skirt steak with fajita peppers, Oaxaca jack cheese served with borracho beans and eggs your way.

### Z Huevos Rancheros\*

Two eggs your way, papas bravas, corn or flour tortillas, black bean, braised barbacoa beef, Oaxaca jack cheese, red and green chile sauce, garnished with cotija, pico de gallo and avocado.

### Poblano Biscuits and Gravy\*

Two house made biscuits with roasted poblanos, bacon gravy, two eggs your way and served with choice of jalapeno bacon or Z'Tejas house made sausage.

### Berries French Toast

Kahlua vanilla french toast. topped with bourbon whiskey sauce and fresh berries, garnished with whipped cream and maple syrup.

### Avocado Toast

Avocado mash, cotija, red pepper flakes on Texas toast. Served with choice of fruit or papas bravas.

### Z Breakfast Burger\*

½ lb patty, jalapeno aioli, jalapeno bacon, fried egg, cheese, lettuce and tomato.

## BRUNCH COCKTAILS

### Tito's Bloody Mary

ENJOY!

### Mimosa

CHEERS!

### Ruby Red Mimosa

A refreshing blend of Deep Eddy Ruby Red Grapefruit Vodka, champagne, and just a splash of ruby red grapefruit juice.

### ManMosa

Tito's Vodka, champagne and orange juice, served in a man-sized goblet.

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Executive Chef Diego E Bolanos