

# 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





<sup>\*</sup>Please kindly inform, alert your server if you have any dietary restrictions due to a food allergy or intolerance.

<sup>\*</sup>All prices are in TL, include tax.

<sup>\*12%</sup> service charge will be added to any food and beverage consumption.

<sup>\*</sup>The Menu update was made on 19.07.2024

# Tasting Menu

#### Homegrown Tomatoes & Almond

Fresh Herbs, Raw Almond Milk, Pickled Onion, Country Bread Crouton

# "Babakale" Tuna Tartare

Capers, Wild Thyme, Pine Nut, Crispy Sourdough Bread

## Charred Asparagus

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

#### 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

#### Peach & Panna Cotta

Wild Thyme – Peach Sorbet, Nectarine, Vanilla Panna Cotta, Meringue

Tasting Menu 3450

6 Glasses Wine Pairing 2100

\*Agnolotti is a handmade Piemonte style pasta variety.





# **Black Summer Truffles**

"Tuber Aestivum"

Buffalo Milk Burrata
Black Truffle, Early Harvest Olive Oil, Country Bread Crouton
1900

Carne Cruda Piemontese

Steak Tartare with Black Truffle
1900

**Beef Carpaccio** 

Black Truffle, Truffle Sauce, Wallnut, Parmiggiano, Arugula 1900

Home Made Tagliolini
Black Truffle, Raw Butter
1700

Truffle Scented Buffalo Milk Ice Cream
Black Truffle, Salted Caramel
1500

Served on any plate of your choice 1400



# Starters Cold

# Homegrown Tomatoes & Almond Fresh Herbs, Raw Almond Milk, Pickled Onion, Country Bread Crouton

650

İskenderun Red Prawn & Avocado Rolled in Cucumber, Apple, Lime Mayo *950* 

Homegrown Beetroot & Goat Cheese Tart Wild Arugula, Basil, Cherry Tomatoes 570

Beef Carpaccio Truffle Sauce, Wallnut, 18 mo. Grana Padano, Arugula 850

"Babakale" Tuna Tartare Capers, Wild Thyme, Pine Nut, Crispy Sourdough Bread 880

Buffalo Milk Burrata & Summer Fruits Peach, Apricot, Nectarine, Almond, Balsamic Vinegar 850

Cheese Tangala & Miralem Dairy Farms Cheeses, 18 mo. Grana Padano 900

\*\*Charcuterie Prosciutto Crudo di Parma, Italian Salami, Bresaola 1200



# Starters Hot

Homegrown Arugula, Kale & Basil Soup
Pine Nut Gremolata, Roasted Cherry Tomatoes
520

Charred Asparagus
Bottarga\*, Grapefruit & Chives Beurre Blanc
700
\*Bottarga is a salt cured, dried fish roe.

Artichoke Flan
Fava Bean, Artichoke Heart, Fonduta Piemontese, Dill
620

Hot Smoked "Babakale" Octopus Chickpea Purée, Buttermilk Dressed Purslane, Crispy Chickpeas 990

North Aegean Baby Calamari Creamy and Crispy Bean, Roasted Cherry Tomatoes, Basil Pesto 850

Pan Seared Quail
Cognac Flambe, Morel Mushroom
Watermill Ground Corn Polenta from Kalealtı Village
780

Wild Porcini Mushroom in a Copper Pan (for 2)
From Ulupelit and Surrounding Forest
1800

With Home Made Tagliatelle 2200



# Salads

With Homegrown Produce from our Culinary Garden

#### Summer Salad

Belgian Endive, Fennel, Radish, Purslane, Strawberry, Mustard Seeds and Honey Vinaigrette 540

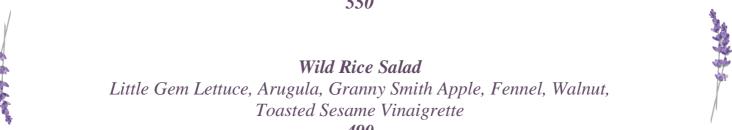
#### Purslane Salad

Avocado, Baby Lettuce, Celery, Lime, Fennel, Cherry Tomatoes 490

#### Artichoke Salad

Arugula, Lettuce, 18 mo. Grana Padano, Truffle Vinaigrette *550* 

Toasted Sesame Vinaigrette 490



## Pasta

Hand-Made with Semolina Flour and Farm Eggs

#### Agnolotti\*

Filled with Burrata & Mascarpone, Roasted Cherry Tomatoes

Small: 740 / Large: 910

\*Agnolotti is a handmade Piemonte style pasta variety.

#### **Saffron Trofie\*** chini. Basil. Pine Nut. Parn

Homegrown Baby Zucchini, Basil, Pine Nut, Parmiggiano Foam
Small: 790 / Large: 970
\*Trofie is a handmade Liguria style pasta variety.

## **Tagliolini**

Seafood, Garlic, Spicy Summer Tomato Sauce Small:1050 / Large: 1310

## **Tagliatelle**

Roasted Ragù Bolognese Small: 710 / Large: 880

## **Pappardelle**

Wild Mushrooms, Pine Nuts, Basil and Cream Small: 710 / Large: 880

# Risotto

Saffron and Baby Calamari Small: 970 / Large: 1230

Asparagus, Mascarpone and Smoked Beef Bacon Small: 740 / Large: 910

Wild Mushrooms from "Ulupelit Village" Small: 710 / Large: 880





# Main Courses

## Baby Goat from Villages of Şile

Slow Roasted, "Dövme Keşkek", Chickpea, Fig-Plum "Sızma" 1300

#### Roasted Poussin

Root Vegetable Purée, Sweet-Sour Black Cabbage, Siyez Bulgur\* with Dried Fruits & Nuts **850** 

\*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 1400

## Seafood Stew in a Copper Pan (for 2)

Summer Tomato Sauce, Octopus, Shrimp, Calamari, Vongole, Olive and Capers **2600** 

## North Aegean Monkfish

Pan Roasted with Garlic and Butter, Tomato, Samphire, Capers, Basil, Crispy Garlic, Lemon-Burnt Butter Sauce 1800

## Line Caught Seabass From Şile Coast

Char Grilled, Homegrown Spring Vegetables, Samphire, Mustard Seeds, Seabass-Vermout Sauce 1700

#### Beef Tenderloin

Homemade Whole Grain Mustard, Pearl Onions with Balsamic Vinegar, Baby Vegetables
1100

#### Lamb Chops

Garlic Potato Purée, Black Olive and Lamb Jus, Confit Apricots, Gremolata 1200

#### Boneless Rib Eye Steak

Truffle Potato Purée, Wild Porcini Mushroom, Chard
1400

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

