

# Dear Guests,

On This Menu We Present You,

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

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

Wild Mushrooms From Wild Life Around Ulupelit Village,

Baby Goat From Villages Around Sile,

Oak Barrel Fermented Vinegars by Fatma Teyze of Oruçoğlu Village

Water Mill Ground Corn Polenta From Kaleath Village,

Fresh Burrata Cheese Produced Daily by Buffa Farm from Kandıra,

Fish and Sea Food Varieties Chosen from the Market by Mr. Yavuz, "Derya Balık"

Pasta Varieties Home Made With Italian Semolino Flour,

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

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

And Many More 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 07.05.2024

# Tasting Menu

#### Flame Seared Mackarel

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

#### Artichoke Flan

Fava Bean, Artichoke Heart, Fonduta Piemontese, Dill

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#### Morel Mushroom From Mount Ida

Filled with Rooster and Chantrelle Ragù, Truffle Scented Hummus, Rooster Jus

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#### Agnolotti\*

Filled with Burrata & Mascarpone, Roasted Cherry Tomatoes

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## Slow Roasted Baby Goat

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

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#### Artisan Cheese Selection

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

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### Strawberry & Cream

Strawberry, Mint, Meringue, Strawberry Crunch, Vanilla Ice Cream

Tasting Menu 2900

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

#### Ravioli

Filled with Lamb Ragù, Chestnut-Brown Butter Sauce, Parmiggiano Foam 1900

Truffle Scented Buffalo Milk Ice Cream

Black Truffle, Salted Caramel 1500

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Served on any plate of your choice 1400





# Starters Cold

**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

Flame Seared Mackarel
Home Grown Fresh Herbs, Satsuma Tangerine,
Mustard Seeds, Pine Nut, Saffron Aioli
880

Buffalo Milk Burrata & Fig Wild Arugula, Basil, Almond, Fig Molasses 880

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

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

\*\*Contains pork.





# Starters Hot

# Truffle Scented Zonguldak "Kuzu" Chestnut Soup Morel Mushroom 570

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

# Morel Mushroom From Mount Ida Filled with Rooster and Chantrelle Ragù, Truffle Scented Hummus, Rooster Jus 1100

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
Beluga Lentil, 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

# Spring Salad

Belgian Endive, Fennel, Radish, Purslane, Grapefruit, 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

## Baby Spinach and Wild Rice Salad

Little Gem Lettuce, Arugula, Granny Smith Apple, Fennel, Walnut, 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.

#### Ravioli

Filled with Lamb Ragù, Chestnut-Brown Butter Sauce, Parmiggiano Foam Small: 770 / Large: 940

# Saffron Trofie\*

Tangazola\*\*, Pear, Wallnut and Cream

Small: 790 / Large: 970

\*Trofie is a handmade Liguria style pasta variety. \*\*Tangazola is a blue cheese from Tangala dairy.

#### **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** 

# Lightly Smoked Bonito From Şile Harbour

Vermouth – Herb Sauce, Pine Nut, Pineapple, Purslane, Fennel, Belgian Endive 1100

#### Turbot From Sile Harbour

Pan Roasted with Garlic and Butter, Homegrown Spring Vegetables, Samphire, Mustard Seeds, Turbot-Vermout Sauce 1900

#### 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, Spinach 1400

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

