



Sternewirth

1883

WELCOME TO
STERNEWIRTH AT HOTEL EMMA

Set within the Pearl Brewery's original 1894 Brewhouse, our bar honors the convivial spirit of the "Sternewirth Privilege," a tradition that once granted brewery workers free beer throughout the day.

Hospitality is the watchword here, where every glass raised is an invitation to celebrate and commune together. We invite you to begin your visit with a spirited welcome shot and close it with a parting one — a ritual of "hello" and "goodbye" that bookends each experience with warmth, camaraderie, and a genuine sense of belonging.

BEETLEJUICE

(Hello)

minty and green

siete leguas blanco, crème de menthe, crème de cacao

\$10

JALISCO ROULETTE

(Goodbye)

a russian's second favorite game

siete leguas blanco, pear juice, habanero tincture

\$10





EMMA KOEHLER

THE WOMAN, THE MYTH, THE LEGEND

Hotel Emma owes its name to the great Emma Koehler, who — after the death of her husband, Pearl President Otto Koehler — led the Brewery for nearly three decades, even through Prohibition. In this chapter, she's joined by other remarkable women who inspired our cocktails with their own stories of strength and vision.

Our signature drink, The Three Emmas, nods to one of San Antonio's most infamous tales: Otto's entanglement with three women of the same name that culminated in scandal.

As the saying goes: "One is great. Two are sinful.
Three will kill you."

The Three Emmas _____ 15

*juicy and floral, served
with a story*

lager beer & rose cordial,
amontillado sherry, gin,
grapefruit, lemon

Tenayuca Martini _____ 18

the other Emma's cocktail
sage butter-infused ketel
one, st. germain, giffard
ginger liqueur, mathilde
pear liqueur, lemon

Mulholland Drive _____ 16

neo-noir winter spritz
mulled wine, sloe gin,
armagnac, sparkling wine,
topo chico

Women of Tain _____ 20

*behind every great man is an
even better woman*
glenmorangie,
china-china, brown sugar
sage, walnut bitters

EL ESPÍRITU DEL AGAVE

The Sternewirth team recently journeyed over 700 miles from San Antonio to the Mexican state of Jalisco, where tequila is still crafted with centuries-old traditions.

Our exclusive La Babia Margarita — named for Hotel Emma’s owner’s famed Hacienda La Babia in Coahuila and served as our customary welcome to guests — is the touchstone of this collection of agave-driven cocktails. It’s our homage to the artistry of mezcaleros and tequileros, whose work links us to the land and spirit of Jalisco.

La Babia Margarita ____ 15

potent margarita, no frills
blanco tequila, orange
liqueur, lime

Cereal Killer _____ 17

*an adult version of your
favorite part of breakfast*
milk punch: planteray 3
stars, del maguey vida, lemon,
orange, earl grey lavender
syrup, fruity pebbles

How I Met Your Mojito _ 16

have you met my friend ted
mijenta blanco, lime,
lemongrass syrup, mint,
coconut water

Tres Leches _____ 17

dessert in a cup
mal bien espadin, hotel
emma single barrel corazón
reposado, licor 43, tres
leches milk, hoja santa
vanilla syrup





FROM THE HEART OF THE HILLS

Just beyond San Antonio lies the Texas Hill Country, a panorama of limestone hills, live oaks, wild rivers, and fertile fields. Here, German and Mexican heritage converge in foodways and farming practices that define the flavors of our region.

Sternewirth's Hill Country cocktails celebrate this terroir, drawing on local ingredients like yaupon tea, wild herbs, and seasonal fruits. Each drink is a tribute to the land that sustains us, and to the people who call this rugged, romantic landscape home.

Lone Star Old Fashioned 20

big hats, big hair, strong cocktails
smoked michter's rye,
spiced syrup, orange bitters,
angostura bitters



Barbeque Sauce 17

ted lasso season one, episode eight
haku vodka, smoked
tomato water cordial



One-Horse Townie 17

neo-noir winter spritz
nikka days whisky, yaupon tea,
cream soda, barrel-aged bitters



Plum Wild 18

*an expression straight from
our resident oregon cowpoke*
still austin rye, tempus fugit
crème de cacao, lemon, plum
syrup, white wine cold foam



Dusk Till Dawn 18

*there are no vampires in
this bar, we promise*
milk punch: maker's mark
bourbon, fernet vallet, amaro
averna, spiced blackberry syrup



ONE OF ONE
THE **SINGLE BARREL**
COLLECTION

Our partnerships with master distillers allow us to bring singular spirits directly to our guests at Sternewirth. Selected with intention and bottled exclusively for Hotel Emma, each barrel tells its own story of craft and character.

**STILL AUSTIN
BOURBON**

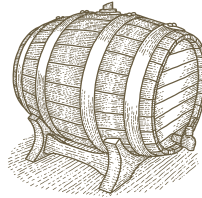
A bold Texas bourbon
with notes of toasted oak
and honey
\$28 per pour

**WHISTLEPIG
6 YEAR**

Spice-forward rye,
selected for its balance of
heat and depth
\$22 per pour

**CORAZÓN
REPOSADO**

A smooth yet complex tequila,
shaped by time and oak
\$16 per pour



**EL TEQUILENO
AÑEJO**

Elegantly aged, with
layers of vanilla, caramel,
and agave earthiness
\$25 per pour

**EL TEQUILENO
EXTRA AÑEJO**

A limited-edition
aged tequila, imbued with
sweetness and spice
\$32 per pour

Stay Still _____ **18**

if you don't move they can't see you
single barrel still austin bourbon,
cinzano sweet vermouth, luxardo
bitter aperitivo

Te de Abuela _____ **18**

where land, spirit, and cider meet
single barrel whistlepig 6 year, fernet
vallet, hibiscus spiced cider

Oaxacan Old Fashioned _____ **16**

*invented in new york,
stirred in san antonio*
single barrel corazón reposado, tres
tribus espadín, sugar, orange bitters,
grapefruit bitters

Cowboy Carajillo 2.0 _____ **18**

you asked — it's back
single barrel el tequileño añejo,
licor 43, spiced syrup, espresso

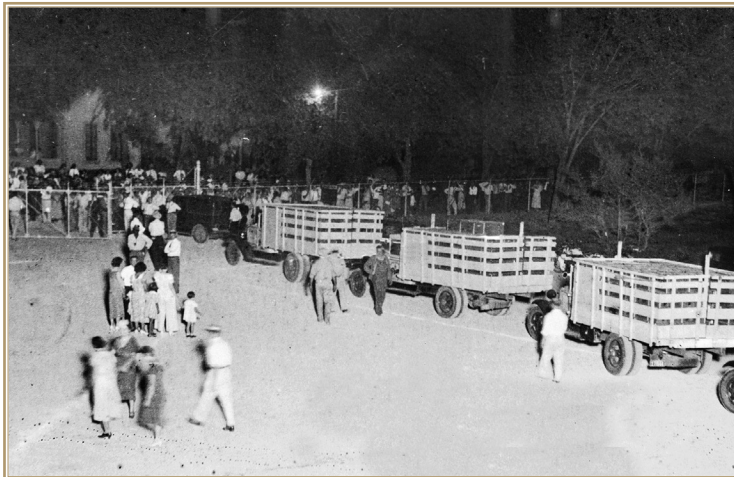
Truth Be Gold _____ **20**

*just like the truth, this
cocktail will set you free*
coffee-infused single barrel el
tequileño extra añejo, giffard
crème de cacao, half & half

PROST AUF
ALKOHOLFREI!

Our Alkoholfrei (German for “non-alcoholic”) menu is a celebration of creativity without compromise. Crafted with the same care and balance as their spirited counterparts, these zero-proof cocktails foster inclusivity at Emma’s table.

They also pay homage to Emma Koehler’s foresight during Prohibition, when she transformed the Brewery’s operations to produce bottled sodas, ice, and ice cream, and offer services like dry cleaning and sign making. Her inventive spirit lives on in the many ways we create, adapt, and inspire each day.



Jim's Old Fashioned _____ 14

no warning on this label

hōjicha tea, ruby oolong tea, black tea, pathfinder n/a amaro, brown sugar gum syrup, bittermens transatlantic bitters, all the bitter new orleans bitters



Anita's Spritz _____ 14

a spritz for when you don't need to feel spritzed

acid-adjusted white grape juice, giffard elderflower alcohol free, banana peel simple syrup, topo chico



Prohibition Punch _____ 10

a delicate balance of tart and sweet

grapefruit, lemon, honey, strawberries, peach bitters, sparkling water



DRAFT

(512) Brewing Pecan Porter	9
Jester King Blonde	8
Pinthouse Old Beluga	8
Pinthouse Scorpion Disco	9
Live Oak Bavarian Hefeweizen	9

BOTTLED & CANNED

Lone Star Light	6
Michelob Ultra	7
Modelo Especial	6
Corona Extra	7
Twisted X Gulf Kölsch	6
Saint Arnold Art Car IPA	8
Southern Star Buried Hatchet Stout	8
Athletic Brewery Rotating N/A	8
Stella Artois 0.0 N/A	8

PEARL HAS A RICH HISTORY DATING BACK TO 1883 WHEN THE SAN ANTONIO BREWING ASSOCIATION (SABA) WAS FORMED. IN 1887, THE BREWERY FOUND THE PRODUCT THAT WOULD BECOME THEIR SIGNATURE BREW. PEARL BEER GETS ITS NAMESAKE FROM THE BREWMASTER, WHO THOUGHT THE FOAMY BUBBLES IN THE FRESHLY POURED GLASS OF BREW RESEMBLED SPARKLING PEARLS.

SPARKLING & ROSÉ

6oz BTL

Prosecco Brut, Adami Adriano 'Garbel' _____ 14 45
Veneto

Chardonnay Blend Brut, Dom Pérignon _____ 75 300
Champagne, France

Pinot Noir Brut Rosé _____ 25 89
Schramsberg Mirabelle
Anderson Valley

Rosé, Casa Jipi Barbera _____ 15 60
Valle De San Vicente

WHITE

Pinot Grigio, McPherson 'MWC,' King Valley __ 15 45
Monterey, California

Sauvignon Blanc _____ 18 60
Stolpman Vineyards 'Estate Grown'
California

Chenin Blanc, Les Athlètes Du Vin _____ 16 55
Loire Valley

Garnatxa Blanca _____ 18 65
Herència Altés La Musaranya
Terra Alta, Spain

Chardonnay, Presqu'île _____ 20 60
Santa Barbara

RED

6oz BTL

Au Bon Climat, Pinot Noir _____ 22 75
Santa Barbara

Garnacha Blend _____ 14 45
Guillaume Gonnet 'Le Rêveur'
Côtes Du Rhône

Merlot Blend, Reddy Vineyards _____ 25 100
Texas High Plains

Tempranillo Blend Toro _____ 15 55
Telmo Rodriguez 'Gago', Castilla Y León

Cabernet Sauvignon _____ 22 70
Wade Cellars 'Three By Wade'
Napa Valley

VODKA

Belvedere	15
Chopin	15
Grey Goose	15
Haku	14
Ketel One	15
Live Oak	12
Nikka (Vodka)	15
Tito's	14

TRUE STORY:

IN THE 1950s, A “TIGHT”
WORKER WAS SCOLDED BY A
PEARL BREWERY MANAGER
FOR GETTING DRUNK AT
WORK. THE WORKER REPLIED,
“RESPECTFULLY, SIR, I DID
NOT GET DRUNK ON THE
JOB...I WAS RIGHT DRUNK
WHEN I GOT HERE!”

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Bareksten	13
Barr Hill Tom Cat	14
Beefeater	12
Bombay Sapphire	12
The Botanist	14
Hayman's Old Tom	11
Hendrick's	14
Monkey 47	22
Nikka (Gin)	13
Plymouth	12
Plymouth Sloe Gin	12
Roku	13
Tanqueray No.10	14

BOURBON

2 OZ POUR

Bardstown Origin Series	18
Basil Hayden	14
Blade & Bow	17
Elijah Craig	14
Early Times BIB	13
Four Roses Small Batch	14
Four Roses Single Barrel	20
Jefferson's Ocean	30
Garrison Brothers Small Batch	25
Knob Creek	13
Maker's Mark	14
Maker's Mark 46	15
Milam & Greene Triple Cask	17
Old Forester 1910	15
Old Grand-Dad 114	14
Rabbit Hole Dareranger	28
Still Austin Straight	13
Woodford Reserve	14
Woodford Double Oaked	16
Woodinville Port Cask	20
Yellowstone Toasted	18

RYE

2 OZ POUR

Angel's Envy Rye	18
Basil Hayden Dark Rye	13
Michter's Straight	14
Rittenhouse	13
Redemption Rum Cask Finish	14
Russell's Reserve 6 Year Old Rye	13
Sazerac	13
WhistlePig 10	30
WhistlePig Piggyback 6	16

NORTH AMERICAN WHISKEY

Crown Royal	12
Jack Daniel's	12

IRISH WHISKEY

2 OZ POUR

Green Spot	22
Jameson	14
Knappogue Castle 12	17
Teeling	14
Redbreast 12	27
Redbreast 15	48
Yellow Spot 12	37

ASIAN WHISKEY

2 OZ POUR

Hakushu 12	50
Kavalan Select No. 1	20
Nikka Coffey Grain	25
Nikka Coffey Malt	28
Nikka Days	18
Paul John Nirvana	14
Paul John Bold	25
Suntory Toki	16
Yamazaki 12	60
Yamazaki 18	150

SCOTCH

2 OZ POUR

Aberlour 12	22
Ardbeg Uigeadail	30
Balvenie DoubleWood 12	32
Balvenie Caribbean Cask 14	35
Compass Box Artist Blend	14
Dalmore 12	22
Dewar's	14
Glenlivet 12	19
Glenlivet 21	110
Glenmorangie 10	16
Highland Park 12	24
Highland Park 18	52
Lagavulin 16	42
Laphroaig 10	22
Macallan 12	30
Macallan 15	60
Macallan 18	165
Monkey Shoulder	15
Oban 14	36

BRANDY & COGNAC

2 OZ POUR

BarSol Pisco	14
Daron Calvados Fine	15
Kinsman Rakia	16
Pierre Ferrand 1840	16
Pierre Ferrand Ambre	19
Singani 63	14
Rémy Martin 1738	24
Rémy Martin XO	70
Torres 15	14

CANE SPIRITS

Bacardi Reserva Ocho	16
Diplomático Mantuano	12
Diplomático Planas	13
El Dorado 15	19
Goslings Black Seal	12
Holmes Cay Fiji	18
Lemon Hart 151	12
Novo Fogo Cachaça	13
Paranubes	12
Planteray Original Dark	12
Planteray Stiggins' Fancy Pineapple	13
Pusser's Royal Navy	13
RumHaven Coconut	13
Rhum J.M	15
Santa Teresa 1796	16
Uruapan Charanda	12
Wray & Nephew	12
Zacapa Solera 23	20

TEQUILA

2 OZ POUR

Carabuena Blanco	18
Cascahuin Blanco	20
Don Fulano Blanco	22
Don Fulano Reposado	28
Don Fulano Añejo	34
El Tesoro Blanco	18
El Tesoro Extra Añejo	42
El Tequileño Still Strength Blanco	20
Fortaleza Blanco	18
Fortaleza Reposado	28
Fortaleza Añejo	30
G4 Blanco	18
Humano Joven	25
La Pulga Blanco	18
La Pulga Reposado	22
Mijenta Blanco	16
Patrón Silver	20
Patrón Reposado	24
Siete Leguas Blanco	20
Siete Leguas Reposado	22

Tapatio Blanco	15
Tapatio Añejo	18
Tequila Ocho Plata	16
Tequila Ocho Reposado	20

MEZCAL & SOTOL

2 OZ POUR

Del Maguey Chichicapa	26
Del Maguey Santo Domingo Albarradas	28
Del Maguey Vida	13
Desert Door Sotol	14
Desert Door Aged Sotol	19
Siete Misterios Doba-Yej	17
Mal Bien Espadín	16
Rey Campero Espadín	16
Rey Campero Mexicano	29
Rey Campero Tobala	37
Sotomayor Ensamble Sotol	20
Tres Tribus Espadín	16
Tres Tribus Cuishe	32
Tres Tribus Tobalá	34

APERITIFS, CORDIALS & DIGESTIFS

Amaro Lucano	12
Amaro Montenegro	12
Amaro Nonino	14
Aperol	12
Averna	12
Bénédictine	12
Caffo Amaretto	12
Campari	12
Chartreuse Green	17
Chartreuse Yellow	17
Cynar	12
Drambuie	12
Fernet Branca	12
Fernet Menta	12
Fernet Vallet	13
Five Farms Irish Cream	12
Grand Marnier	14
Licor 43	12
Lillet Blanc	12
Linie Aquavit	12

Aperitifs & Cordials continued...

Meletti	12
Pernod Absinthe	18
Pimm's No. 1	12
Ramazotti Amaro	12
Sambuca	12
Trader Vic's Macadamia Nut	12
Trader Vic's Chocolate	12
Vecchio Amaro del Capo	12

DESSERT WINES

3 OZ POUR

Kopke 10 Years Old Tawny Port	16
Rare Wine Co. New York Malmsey Madeira	22
Château La Tour Blanche Emotions de la Tour	
Blanche Sauternes	18

