the light house

the lighthouse story

It all began when on the occasion of a friend's birthday, we set out to buy her the perfect gift. In our minds, her gift would be minimalist in appearance, functional in terms of day-to-day use and, most importantly, a timeless gift. Unable to find the gift, we decided to scour the world of upand-coming designers, source those gifting items ourselves and launch a space that celebrates our love of food and design. And with that, the concept behind The Lighthouse was born.

Named after the Lighthouse of Alexandria, one of the seven wonders of the ancient world, The Lighthouse is a restaurant, concept store, and meeting hub, all under one roof.

On a more personal note, Hashem's mother, Dr. Malak Hashem, spent her life as an educator and wrote her doctorate thesis on Virginia Woolf, author of the seminal novel "To the Lighthouse." So The Lighthouse is, in many ways, a tribute to her generation of trailblazing women that stood out as a beacon of excellence.

It is also a nod to Virginia Woolf and her fellow members of The Bloomsbury Group who gathered for conversation, companionship, and the refueling of creative energy. We were inspired when we discovered that they met over "lingering breakfasts" and "painting lunches," and indication of how central fresh, well prepared dishes were to the way they socialized and a principal tenet of our own eating philosophy at The Lighthouse.

Hashem and Hany

The Lighthouse team prides itself in creating an immersive food and design experience for its customers. As such, all our furniture, crockery, serveware and glassware that are in use at our restaurant are available for sale to our customers. For inquiries, please ask a member of our staff for our itemized price list.

breakfast

SAVORY

Avocado on toast topped with cranberries and labneh ^{DGV} | 55

Add a poached, fried or scrambled egg | 10

Sesame seed bagel with smoked salmon, dill cream cheese, onion and capers ^{DGNV} | 62

Baked goat cheese pie with oregano, sumac and honey ^{DGNV} | 46

EGGS

Eggs Benedict with veal bacon DG | 66

Eggs Royale with smoked salmon DG | 66

Eggs Florentine with spinach DGV | 60

Scrambled eggs on croissant with avocado and veal bacon ^{GD} | 61

Spicy Shakshouka with tomato, veal bacon, herbs and pine nuts ^{GN} | 64

Scrambled eggs with fresh truffle shavings and toasted Campaillou bread ^{DGV} | 96

Scrambled eggs with smoked salmon and toasted Campaillou bread ^{DG} | 62

Omelette your way D | 46

Add mushroom / spinach / tomato / onion / cheese ^D | 7

Add smoked salmon ^S / bacon / avocado | 16

Boiled eggs on grilled Campaillou bread ^{DGV} | 38

Fried egg on grilled Campaillou bread ^{DGV} | 38

SWEET

Plain croissant DG 12	Waffles with berries and cream DG 42
Almond croissant DGN 15	Fruit Salad with Greek yogurt D 38
Pain au chocolat DG 14	Homemade granola with yogurt or milk DN 44
Cinnamon roll DG 15	Greek yogurt with nuts and honey DN 48
Pepito DG 15	French toast with berry compote DG 56
	Bread basket with berry compote and butter DG 26

lunch & dinner

SALADS

Lentil salad with pickled vegetables NV | 42

Roasted red beets with pistachio-coated goat cheese PNV | 42

Goat cheese & cherry tomatoes with hazelnut crust PGNV | 54

Greek salad with feta cheese, tomatoes, capsicum, Kalamata olives and dakos PGV | 54

Kale & button mushrooms with cured beef, roasted almonds flakes and shaved parmesan PN | 54

Artichoke and spelt salad with kale, sun-dried tomatoes, feta and almonds PNV | 55

Tuna Niçoise salad with anchovies, hard boiled egg, green beans and lemon vinaigrette dressing P | 70

MEZZE BAR

Baked feta with oregano, paprika, Turkish chili, and Cretan honey, served with pita bread DGNV | 50

Burrata with pomegranate, grapes and cherry tomatoes DGV | 90

Fried calamari topped with chili, paprika and lime DS | 50

Squid Provençal in a smoked tomato sauce DG | 68

Grilled octopus with hummus and spicy paprika | 75

Grilled prawns marinated in garlic, rosemary, and green chili, served with Campaillou bread DGS | 100

Tuna tartare with avocado & dried apricots, served on Campaillou bread DGS | 68

Sea bream ceviche with aji amarillo, tomatoes and coriander S | 60

Grilled aubergine topped with spiced minced lamb, cherry tomatoes and nuts NG | 60

Beef tartare made of cured tenderloin with cream cheese, served on Campaillou bread DG | 80

Kofta in tomato emulsion DN | 100

SOUP

Red lentil soup with chili, topped with baked croutons DGV | 32

SANDWICHES

Falafel souvlaki with tzatziki, savoy cabbage, gherkins and sauce vierge PGV | 48

Spicy tuna sandwich with beef tomato on Campaillou bread PG | 56

Grilled chicken souvlaki with tzatziki, marinated onion, tomatoes and sumac PG | 52

Minute steak sandwich served on Campaillou bread PG | 60

Short rib burger with guacamole and jalapeños, served with chips PGN | 100

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MAINS

Penne Arrabiata (spicy) DGV | 82 Roasted cauliflower risotto DV | 80 Truffle Rigatoni with mushrooms, cream sauce and fresh truffle shavings DGV | 172 Gnocchi with melted burrata cheese DG | 95 Seafood Risotto with prawns, calamari in a basil-infused tomato sauce and pistachios DSN | 133 Homemade Tagliatelle with lobster and cherry tomatoes DG | 230 Grilled Sea bass with artichoke, fennel and root vegetables á la Polita DS | 132 Whole Sea bass wrapped and baked in vine leaves and encrusted with Harissa* 5 | 264 Grilled Salmon fillet with green beans and okra in cherry tomato sauce 5 | 115 Grilled Baby Chicken with dried apricots, fried shallots and pistachio NG | 130 Veal Milanese with rocket salad and tartare sauce DG | 168 Sliced Beef Ribeye 400g, served with grilled vegetables and mustard dressing* D | 260 Char-grilled Ribeye steak 260g, with shallot, caper relish and mustard sauce D | 178 Beef short rib with parmesan risotto D | 165 Grilled Lamb Cutlets with tzatziki and homemade pita bread DG | 164 Slow cooked lamb shank with couscous $N \mid 155$

SIDES

Chips with oregano $V \mid 28$ Broccoli with lemon and chili $DV \mid 28$ Spaghetti Pomodoro with tomato and basil $DGV \mid 28$ Cherry tomato salad with dry ricotta $DV \mid 40$ Ratatouille $V \mid 28$ Basmati rice $D \mid 28$

desserts & coffee

DESSERTS

Pear Tatin with malt ice cream PG | 60

Caramel cake with Brûlée custard & vanilla ice cream PG | 45

Warm chocolate mousse with vanilla ice cream PG | 55

Saffron Milk cake with whipped cream PNG | 46

TLH Umm Ali with malt ice cream PNG | 56

Sticky Toffee Pudding PNG | 56

French Toast with milk ice cream PG | 71

Passion fruit and Yuzu Cheesecake PNG | 56

Tiramisu PG | 54

Popelinis selection of three PNG | 32

Blondie (per piece) PG | 16

Homemade Ice Cream (per scoop) P | 16

COFFEE

Our coffee blends are exclusive to The Lighthouse and can be purchased upon request.

Made with single origin arabica beans, each batch is sourced from Ethiopia and roasted locally offering a rich complexity and unique flavor.

Espresso 15	Cappuccino 21
Double Espresso 19	Mocha 32
Macchiato, Cortado, Piccolo 19	Affogato, with vanilla ice cream, chocolate,
Double Macchiato 21	biscuit and caramel 38
Spanish Latte 25 Americano 19 Flat White 21 Latte 21	Iced Americano 19
	Iced Cappuccino 21
	Iced Latte 21
	Iced Mocha 32
	French Press 30
	Toppings: vanilla, caramel, orgeat, hazelnut 6

beverages

SMOOTHIES & MILKSHAKES

Merry Berry raspberry, blackberry, blueberry, basil and orange juice | 34

Banana Twist banana, salted caramel and almond milk N | 34

"The Green" Hulk avocado, cucumber, apple, celery and orange juice | 34

Wake Up Call espresso, honey, chocolate (41% cocoa) and whole milk P | 34

Le Protein Fix Greek yoghurt, banana, strawberry P | 34

Milkshake: Vanilla, chocolate or strawberry P | 34

MOCKTAILS

Virgin Mojito fresh mint, lime | 31

Optional flavors: passion fruit, strawberry, raspberry, pineapple purée

The Japanese yuzu juice, tonic water | 31

Orange Passion Fruit passion fruit, orange juice and soda | 31

Spicy Watermelon lime juice, jalapeño, mint | 31

Fruit Punch green apple, orange, banana, ginger, cinnamon and soda water | 31

FRESH JUICES & LEMONADES

Fresh juice: orange, apple, watermelon or carrot | 28

A's Booster green apple juice, carrot juice, orange juice and ginger | 28

Le Detox green apple juice, cucumber, spinach, lemon and ginger | 28

The Dutch orgeat, lemon, soda water | 28

The Provencal lavender, lemon, soda water | 28

The Alpine elderflower, lemon, soda water | 28

Rosa rose, lemon, soda water | 28

beverages

TEA & INFUSIONS

Our specialty teas & blends are a product of homegrown tea purveyors, Avantcha, one of the region's leading tea companies. Directly sourced from the finest estates globally, Avantcha teas are handpicked and certified organic.

Sapphire Jasmine Needle a decadent blue infusion with subtle notes of jasmine | 21

Dragon Well Long Jing delicate notes of fruits and nuts | 21

Jasmine Phoenix Pearls green tea pearls with jasmine flowers | 21

Chamomile Blossoms aromatic and soothing with whole chamomile flowers | 21

Rush Hour Berry combination of flavorful garden and forest berries | 21

Rooibos Vanilla Earl Grey fragrant rooibos mixed with lavender blossoms, vanilla and jasmine petals | 21

Hibiscus Flowers an intense ruby infusion with whole hibiscus flowers | 21

Tie Guan Yin Oolong with a mellow floral and sweet aroma | 21

Assam Breakfast strong and full bodied with malt flavors | 21

Majestic Earl Oolong with a mellow floral and sweet aroma | 21

MATCHA

Matcha Kagoshima | 21

HOMEMADE ICED TEA

Lemon, Passion Fruit, Peach | 28

WATER & SOFT DRINKS

MonViso Still/ Sparkling (small) | 17

MonViso Still/Sparkling (large) | 28

Pepsi, Diet Pepsi, 7up, Diet 7up | 17

Tonic, Soda Water, Ginger Ale, Ginger Beer | 28

Red Bull / Red Bull Sugar Free | 33

There is taste in people, visual taste, taste in emotion-and there is taste in acts, taste in morality. Intelligence, as well, is really a kind of taste: taste in ideas.

SUSAN SONTAG, NOTES ON "CAMP," 1964



