

1 GOI CUON (2 cuon) \$8

Two Spring Rolls stuffed with vermicelli, lettuce, with a side of peanut sauce for dipping. Choice of:

Tom (Shrimp)

Ga Nuong (Grilled Chicken)

Thit Nuong (Grilled Pork)

Dau Hu (Fried Tofu)

2 CHA GIO (4 cuon) \$10

Four Fried Vietnamese Eggrolls with a side of lettuce, mint, cilantro and fish sauce for dipping.

3 CHA GIO CHAY (4 cuon) \$9

Four Fried Vegetarian Eggrolls with a side of lettuce, mint, cilantro and plum sauce for dipping.

4 CANH GA CHIEN \$13

Fried Chicken Wings seasoned with Garlic Salt and black pepper with onions, bell peppers, and jalapenos.

5 XOI CHIEN

- (2) Fried Sticky Rice Patties \$10
- (2) Fried Sticky Rice Patties and Grilled Pork \$17
- (2) Fried Sticky Rice Patties and Grilled Chicken \$17
- (2) Fried Sticky Rice Patties and Grilled Flank Steak \$20

8 SOUP HOANH THANH

Wonton Soup \$10/cup \$15/bowl

9 BANH MI BO KHO

Beef Stew with French Bread. \$17

10 BANH MIGA CARI

Curry Chicken Wing Stew with French Bread. \$17

11 CHAO

Rice Porridge \$15

Choice of:

Ground Beef

Chicken

Long

Huyet

12 GOI GA

Chilled Cabbage Chicken Salad. \$17

13 GOINGO SENTOM THIT

Lotus Root Salad mixed with shredded pork, shrimp, cucumber, carrots, celery, onions, and topped with roasted peanuts. \$19













CLASSIC VIETNAMESE NOODLE SOUP

Pho is a classic Vietnamese staple. Hearty. Filling. And Satisfying. Each bowl of soup is served with a side of fresh mint, cilantro, bean sprouts, and lime.

Topped with onion and cilantro

*15 PHOTAI

Rice Noodle Soup with Medium Rare Beef \$14

*16 PHOTAL NAM BOVIEN

Rice Noodle Soup with Rare Beef, Brisket, and Meatball \$18

*17 PHO TOM

Rice Noodle Soup with Shrimp \$19

18 PHO GA NUOC

Rice Noodle Soup with Chicken \$14

19 PHO GA KHO

Seasoned Noodles and Chicken with soup on the side. \$15

20 PHO CHAY

Rice Noodle Soup Tofu and Mixed Vegetables. \$17 (vegetarian broth upon request)

21 PHO GA RAU CAI

Rice Noodle Soup with Chicken and Mixed Vegtables. \$19

21A PHO TOM RAW CAI

Rice Noodle Soup with Shrimp and Mixed Vegetables. \$23





TRADITIONAL VIETNAMESE NOODLE SOUPS

Much of Vietnamese food is comfort food, so the following soups are exactly that - Savory and Comforting.

1 22 B∪N BO H∪€

Hot and Spicy Noodle Soup with Sliced Beef \$17

23 BANH CANH

Udon Noodle Soup in savory tomato broth. Choice of: Chicken, Shrimp, or Tofu. \$17

24 MI HOANH THANH

Egg Noodle Soup with Wonton. \$17

25 HUTIEU

Flat Rice Noodle Soup in Pork Broth

Choice of: Pork and Shrimp \$17 Tofu and Vegetables \$17 Chicken \$15 Beef Stew \$17

26 MI

Egg Noodle Soup in Pork Broth

Choice of: Pork and Shrimp \$17 Tofu and Vegetables \$17 Chicken \$15 Beef Stew \$17



STIR-FRIED NOODLE DISHES

28 MIXAO MEM

Stir-Fried Soft Egg Noodles with Seafood and Mixed Vegetables \$22 with Meat, Seafood, and Mixed Vegetables \$22 with Tofu and Mixed Vegetables \$18

29 MIXAO DON

Crispy-Fried Egg Noodles with Seafood and Mixed Vegetables \$22 with Meat, Seafood, and Mixed Vegetables \$22 with Tofu and Mixed Vegetables \$18

30 HUTIEUXAO

Thin Flat Rice Noodles with Seafood and Mixed Vegetables \$22 with Meat, Seafood, and Mixed Vegetables \$22 with Tofu and Mixed Vegetables \$18 with Beef and Chinese Broccoli \$22

31 BUN SINGAPORE

Singapore Vermicelli Noodles stir-fried in curry seasoning, with pork, shrimp, bean sprouts, bell peppers, onions, and egg. \$18

\$32 BUN SINGAPORE DAU HU

Singapore Vermicelli Noodles stir-fried in curry seasoning, with tofu, bean sprouts, bell peppers, onions, and egg. \$16

127 BUN SINGAPORE GA

Singapore Vermicelli Noodles stir-fried in curry seasoning, with chicken, bean sprouts, bell peppers, onions, and egg. \$17





VERMICELLI BOWLS

The following bowls are served with a base of fresh lettuce, cucumber, and bean sprouts, and topped with fried onions and green scallions.

+Add Broccoli \$5.95 +Add Eggrolls \$5 +Add Fried Egg \$2

Grilled Chicken \$16 34 BUN GANUONG CHA GIO

BUN GA NUONG

Grilled Chicken and Vietnamese Eggrolls \$18

35 BUN THIT NUONG Grilled Pork \$16

36 BUN THIT NUONG CHA GIO Grilled Pork and Vietnamese Eggrolls \$18

37 BUN BO NUONG Grilled Flank Steak \$19

38 BUN DAU HUXAO Stir-Fried Tofu \$15

39 BUNTOM NUONG Grilled Honey-Glazed Shrimp \$18

40 BUN CHA GIO CHAY Fried Vegetarian Eggrolls \$15

41 BUN CHA GIO Vietnamese Eggrolls \$16







The following platters are all served with a plate of fresh lettuce leaves, cucumber, carrots, bean sprouts, mint, cilantro, and rice paper for wrapping, and topped with fried onions, scallions, and roasted peanuts over pressed vermicelli.

- 42 BANH HOITHIT NUONG Grilled Pork \$26
- 43 BANH HOI GA NUONG Grilled Chicken \$26
- 44 BANH HOI DAV HV CHIEN Fried Tofu \$22
- 45 BANH HOI TOM NUONG Grilled Shrimp \$29
- 46 BANH HOI BO NUONG XA Grilled Flank Steak \$30
- 48 BANH HOITHAP CAM
 Combination Fajitas (Choice of any two) \$38





Rice Plates are a staple in the streets of Saigon and have traditionally been intended for individual servings that are satisfying in portion and taste.

+Add Broccoli \$5.95 +Add Eggrolls \$5 +Add Fried Egg \$2

- 49 COM GA NUONG
 Grilled Chicken and Rice \$14
- 50 COM THIT NUONG Grilled Pork and Rice \$14
- 51 COM BO NUONG Grilled Flank Steak and Rice \$17
- 52 COM SUON NUONG
 Grilled Pork Chops and Rice \$16
- 53 COM SUON RIM Simmered Pork Riblets and Rice \$18
- 54 COM TOM NUONG
 Grilled Honey-Glazed Shrimp and Rice \$15
- 55 COM SUON TOM RIM Simmered Pork Riblets, Shrimp, and Rice \$22







Stir-Fried seasoned rice mixed with peas, scallions, and eggs.

- 58 COM CHIEN TOM with Shrimp \$17
- 59 COM CHIEN BO with Beef \$17
- 60 COM CHIEN GA with Chicken \$15
- 61 COM CHIEN XA XIV with Pork \$15
- 62 COM CHIEN THAP CAM
 Combination of Shrimp, Chicken, and Pork \$19
- 63 COM CHIEN CHAY
 with Tofu and Mixed Vegetables \$15



VIETNAMESE FAMILY-STYLE SOUPS

Family-Style soups are traditionally meant for sharing at the table to compliment other classic Vietnamese dishes.

165 CANH CH∪A

Vietnamese Hot and Sour Soup <u>Choice of:</u> Chicken or Tofu \$21, Catfish Fillet or Shrimp \$23 tomatoes, bean sprouts, cumin, mint, and Vietnamese spices make this soup a classic recipe that is hearty, savory, and comforting.

- 66 CANH CAI THAP CAM
 Mixed Vegetable Soup with Shrimp and Chicken. \$20
- 67 CANH CAI TOM
 Mixed Vegetable Soup with Shrimp \$20
- 68 CANH RAV CAI CHAY
 Mixed Vegetable Soup with Tofu \$20







72 DAU HU RANG MUOI

Salt-Toasted Tofu

Battered and fried tofu stir-fried with garlic, onions, bell peppers, and jalapenos in a creamy ginger sauce. \$17

Add Broccoli 5.95 Add Asparagus 5.95 Add Snow Peas 5.95 Add Mushroom 5.95 Add All Four Above 18.95 (no substitutions)



73 DAV HV LVC LAC

Garlic Tofu

Crispy fried tofu stir-fried with garlic, onions, bell peppers, and jalapenos in a rich garlic pepper sauce. \$17

Add Broccoli 5.95 Add Asparagus 5.95 Add Snow Peas 5.95 Add Mushroom 5.95 Add All Four Above 18.95 (no substitutions)



74 DAU HU CHUA CAY

Spicy General Mai's Tofu

Battered and fried tofu stir-fried with Mai's version of General Tso's sauce. \$17

175 DA∪ H∪ XAO XA OT

Spicy Chilli Lemongrass Tofu Fried tofu stir-fried with minced lemongrass, onions, and spicy chilli. \$15

₹76 DAU HUXAO CARI

Curry Tofu

Fried tofu stir-fried with curry. \$14

78 DAU HUXAO RAU CAI

Tofu stir-fried with Mixed Vegetables. \$15



VEGETABLE DISHES

The following vegetable dishes may be prepared steamed or stir-fried with your choice of Garlic Sauce or Oyster Sauce or Steamed.

- 80 LA DAV HOA LAN Snow Pea Leaves \$17
- 81 RAV CAI Mixed Vegetables \$15
- 82 DAV QVE Fresh Green Beans \$14
- 83 CAI LAN Chinese Broccoli \$15
- 84 BONG CAI Broccoli \$14







The following dishes are all served with steam rice.

90 SUON RIM MAN

Simmered Pork Ribs in a Black Pepper Sauce. \$22

91 SUON RANG MUOI

Deep Fried Salt and Pepper Riblets. \$21

92 SUON TOM RIM MAN

Simmered Pork Ribs and Shrimp in a Black Pepper Sauce. \$26





BEEF DISHES

The following dishes are all served with steam rice.

* ♥ 97 BO L∪C LAC

Garlic Beef - Mai's Signature Dish

Chunks of tender filet mignon, seasoned and marinated to perfection, then stir-fried with garlic cloves, onions, bell peppers, and jalapeno topped over a bed of lettuce and tomato in a vinegarette dressing. \$22

Add Broccoli 5.95 Add Asparagus 5.95 Add Snow Peas 5.95 Add Mushroom 5.95 Add All Four Above 18.95 (no substitutions)



*98 BOTAL CHANH

Vietnamese Beef Carpaccio Thinly sliced beef prepared medium-rare, topped within cumin, mint, onion, and roasted peanuts. \$21

99 BO MONG CO Mongolian Beef \$18

Beef Sate with Asparagus \$18

101 BO XAO BONG CAI Beef and Broccoli \$16

102 BO XAO THAP CAM
Beef with Mixed Vegetables \$18

103 BO XAO CAI LAN
Beef with Chinese Broccoli \$18

104 BO XAO LA DAV HOA LAN

Beef and Snowpea Leaves Stir-fried Beef with Oyster Sauce topped over Snowpea Leaves. \$23







The following dishes are all served with steam rice.

106 GA LUC LAC

Garlic Chicken

Chunks of chicken stir-fried with garlic cloves, onions, bell peppers, and jalapenos served over a bed of lettuce and tomato in a vinegarette dressing. \$22

Add Broccoli 5.95
Add Asparagus 5.95
Add Snow Peas 5.95
Add Mushroom 5.95
Add All Four Above 18.95
(no substitutions)



108 GA XAO CAI LAN
Chicken with Chinese Broccoli \$17

110 GA MONG CO

Mongolian Chicken \$17

111 GAXAO SATE MANG TAY
Chicken with Asparagus \$17

112 GAXAO LA DAV HOA LAN
Chicken with Snow Pea Leaves \$22

113 GAXAO THAP CAX Chicken and Mixed Vegetables \$17

114 GA CHUA NGOT Sweet and Sour Chicken \$15









Mon Do Right SEAFOOD DISHES

116 CA KHO TO

Bone-In Catfish Fillets simmered in caramelized \$23

121 MUC RANG MUOI Spicy Salt and Pepper Fried Squid \$22

122 DO BIEN XAO THAP CAM
Shrimp and Squid stir-fried with Mixed Vegetables \$23

123 TOM RANG MUOI Salt-Toasted Shrimp \$22

124 TOM LUC LAC Garlic Shrimp \$22

> Add Broccoli 5.95 Add Asparagus 5.95 Add Snow Peas 5.95 Add Mushroom 5.95 Add All Four Above 18.95

125 TOM MONG CO

Mongolian Shrimp \$17

126 TOM XAO THAP CAM
Shrimp with Mixed Vegetables \$19

127 TOM XAO LA DAV HOA LAN Shrimp with Snowpea Leaves \$23







BEVERAGES

NUOC NGOT

Fountain Sodas \$3 Coke, Sprite, Diet Coke, Dr. Pepper

DA CHANH

Fresh Lemonade (no refills) \$3 Soda Lemonade (no refills) \$4 Arnold Palmer (no refills) \$3

SUA DAU NANH

Soy Bean Milk \$3

TRA DA

Freshly Brewed Ice-Tea \$3

TRA NONG

Hot Tea / Green / Jasmine \$3

CA PHE SUA

Vietnamese Coffee Iced or Hot \$7

THAI TEA

Freshly Brewed Thai Tea \$4

COCONUT JUICE

Sweet Coconut Juice \$6

JUICES (no refills)

Cranberry, Orange Juice, Pineapple, Ruby Red Grapefruit \$3

NUOC LANH

Bottle Water \$4

RED BULL \$6

CLUB SODA \$4

TOPO CHICO \$5

SIGNATURE COCKTAILS

Saigon Expresso Martini \$15

Vodka, Bailey's, Frangelico, Vietnamese Coffee

Mai's Mule \$15

Vodka, ginger beer, lime juice with mint leaf

Vietnamese 75 \$15

Gin, lemon juice, simple syrup, sparkling wine, twist of lemon

Saigon Southside \$15

Gin, lime juice, simple syrup, fresh muddled mint

Pink Moon Paloma \$15

Tequila, ruby red grapefruit juice, lime juice, simple syrup, mint

Manhatttan Mai \$15

Whiskey, sweet vermouth, bitter, cherry

Carajillo \$15

Liquor 43, Vietnamese Coffee

MAI-GARITAS ___SAKE

The Classic Mai-Garita \$15

Teguila, lime, simple syrup

Flavor Options: Mango, Peach,

Raspberry, Strawberry,

The Grand Margarita \$16

Featuring Espolon Tequila Blanco and Grand Marnier

Gekkeikan Sake \$16/Carafe Domestic Beer \$6

Budweiser, Bud Light, Miller Lite, Michelob Ultra

Import Beer \$7

Asahi, Blue Moon, Corona, Dos Equis, Heineken, Kirin, Modelo, Shiner Bock, Sapporo, TsingTao

MAI-TINIS

BEERS

The Mai-Tini \$15

Vodka, coconut syrup, muddled ginger, lime juice, pineapple juice

Lychee Mai-Tini \$15

Vodka, sweetened lychee juice, Soho lychee liquor, lychee fruit

Sour Apple Mai-Tini \$15

Vodka and sour apple liquor

Lotus Blossom Mai-Tini \$15

Vodka, Gekkeikan Sake, pear syrup, lime juice, lychee fruit

.MAI-JITOS

The Classic Mai-Jito \$15

Rum, lime, mint, simple syrup, soda water <u>Flavor Options:</u> Coconut, Mango, Strawberry, Watermelon

WINES

WHITE

Riesling J Lohr Bay Mist-Monterey, CA

Pinot Grigio Chloe - Italy

Sauvignon Blanc Whitehaven - New Zealand

Chardonnay Franciscan - California

\$10 glass \$36 bottle **RED**

Red Blend Unshackeled, Prisoner Wine Co. - CA

Merlot Seven Falls - Washington State

Cabernet Franciscan - California

ROSE La Jolie Fleur - Iprovence, FR

The History of Mai's Restaurant

MISSION: We are committed to providing a truly authentic and delicious Vietnamese dining experience to our patrons. Excellence in product, service, and hospitality is what we strive for. We measure our success by the loyalty of our patrons and staff.

Mai's Restaurant was founded in 1978 by Phin and Phac Nguyen as a means to provide for their family of eight children. And like most Vietnamese households, family businesses were exactly that, operated by and for the family. Of the eight, the name of their daughter, "Mai" was selected for it's simplicity in pronunciation and significant meaning, "Golden Flower" which is a token of prosperity and luck. Little did they know how Mai's would have evolved years later.



Daughter, Mai Nguyen, had big hopes and dreams for her family's business. And for that reason, in 1990, the restaurant was handed down to her upon her parent's intent to retire. Mai's vision was to take her family's restaurant beyond the Vietnamese community, seeking patrons from all walks of life throughout the City of Houston. In 1991, it appears that Houston had officially been introduced to Vietnamese cuisine through Mai's Restaurant, receiving local media coverage thanks to the recognition of their loyal patrons. In Mai's eyes, her big hopes and dreams had been achieved.

On February 15, 2010. Mai's Restaurant was destroyed by and accidental fire. That day, the entire Mai's family stood outside in tears. Generations of hard work was in flames and ash. Fortunately, no lives were sacrificed in the unfortunate event. The Houston Chronicle featured a front page story of the fire, referring to Mai's Restaurant as a "Landmark" in Houston.

The Nguyen Family was uplifted by the support of the community and their patrons. So much so, that it had become a renewed strength for them to rebuild and renew And so the story begins for the next chapter of Mai's Restaurant. Mai Nguyen's eldest daughter, Anna Pham, who like her mother, has been working at the restaurant since childhood, has become the third generation successor of the family business. Anna too has big hopes and dreams for Mai's. Her vision and interpretation of the business is as you see it today - a blend of new and old. Anna was inspired by the history behind her family business, so much sweat and tears had gone in preserving the authenticity of precious family recipes. However, she envisioned a modern transformation for the restaurant. To Anna Pham, this was the rebirth of Mai's.

Today, Mai's Restaurant remains true to offering authentic Vietnamese cuisine to all of our patrons in a comfortable, casual dining environment. Our goal is to provide superior excellence in food and hospitality, and to exceed the expectations of all our guests.