

The

LOBO

Sugar



— JULIO LOBO —
1898 - 1983



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Was a powerful Cuban sugar trader and financier. He was the richest man in pre-revolutionary Cuba and the last of the island's haute bourgeoisie.

Julio Lobo remains emblematic of a certain way of life that came to an abrupt end when Fidel Castro marched into Havana. Known in his day as the King of Sugar, Lobo was, from the late 1930s to 1960, the most powerful force in the world sugar market, controlling vast swathes of the island's sugar interests. At the start of the Cuban Revolution in 1959, Lobo's fortune was estimated at close to \$200 million. His assets included 14 sugar mills, over 300,000 acres of land, a bank, an insurance company, and offices in Havana, New York, London, Madrid, and Manila.

Born in 1898, the year of Cuba's independence, Lobo's extraordinary life mirrors the many rises and final fall of the troubled Cuban republic. The details of Lobo's life are fit for Hollywood. He twice cornered the international sugar market and had the largest collection of Napoleonica outside of France, including the emperor's back teeth and death mask. Today, the collection is housed in Havana at the Museo Napoleonico. He once faced a firing squad only to be pardoned at the last moment and later survived a gangland shooting. He courted movie stars from Bette Davis to Joan Fontaine and, when Esther Williams came to visit, he filled the swimming pool at his sprawling estate with perfume.

Such are the legends of which revolutions are made, and later justified. But Lobo was also a progressive and a philanthropist; his genius was so widely acknowledged that Che Guevara personally offered him the position of Minister of Sugar in the Communist regime. When Lobo declined, knowing that their worldviews could never be compatible, his properties were nationalised, most of his fortune vanished overnight and he was exiled from the island, never to return to his beloved Cuba.

RUM FLIGHTS

Our Rum Flights are dedicated to showcasing the range and depth of our rum portfolio.

We have put together several little flights that allow you to sample 6 different rums from a given region.

FLIGHT TIME

Approximately 1.5 hours

MINIMUM PASSENGERS

4 people

DEPARTURE TIMES

Monday to Thursday 6pm or earlier

Friday and Saturday 5pm or earlier

IN-FLIGHT FOOD

Complimentary snacks provided

FLIGHT BOOKINGS

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CENTRAL AMERICAN

\$60

This flight takes you on a ride lifting off in Mexico, heading south east through the rum meccas of Central America and setting you down in one of our favourite rum making countries, Guyana.



CARIBBEAN ISLANDS

\$70

Jamaica, St Lucia, Barbados, oh my! This flight includes some stand out rums from some stand out locations.



FRENCH AGRICOLE

\$80

Designed to showcase rhum agricole at its finest. This flight takes you on a tour through the French islands, showing you what makes rhum agricole so special.



STAFF FAVOURITES

\$90

We've done all the work so you don't have to. This flight offers all kinds of goodies, while helping you get to know our bar team one rum at a time.

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SOUTH AMERICAN

\$100

Hugging the most northern part of South America, this is a decadent display of premium and extravagant rums as well as several different vintages and ageing techniques.



CASK FINISHES

\$150

This flight takes you on a journey around the world cask by cask. Starting off in Spain and making its way to France, with some cheeky detours to Scotland and Mexico.



FIRST CLASS

\$250

For those of you with a taste for the finer things in life. From Antigua to the Dominican Republic, this flight takes you on a decadent trip that showcases some top quality rums. Sit back and get comfortable.



HIGH ROLLERS

**PLEASE CONTACT US
FOR PRICES**

We've searched the globe to bring you some extraordinary expressions of rum. Take a step back in time, starting with the pirates in the 1800s and travelling through some obscure and limited releases.

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RUMS WE'RE LOVING

PUSSER'S NAVY

\$14

Originally served on the ship of the Royal Navy as a daily ration until the '70s, Pusser's Navy got its name from the crew member serving the Rum to the sailors; 'The Purser'.

WRAY AND NEPHEW

\$14

Hailing from Jamaica, this all-time favorite is one of the world's most famous unaged overproof Rum. Make sure not to have one too many!

CLAIRIN COMMUNAL

\$15

Clairin, meaning 'Clear' in Creole, is a rustic Haitian sugarcane spirit made from fresh cane juice. Clairin Communal harmoniously blends four rums made by Clairin producers from small communities in different corners of Haiti.

DARK MATTER SPICED

\$13

Aberdeen, Scotland is not usually the first place that pops into your head when you think about rum. Dark Matter Distillery is the first rum distillery in Scotland and they produce a molasses-based rum using real fruit and spices.

WHISKY JURY - CLARENDON MM

\$60

A true tropical fruit bomb from the Money Musk distillery located in Jamaica. This delicious Rum is aged for 25 years and is limited to 270 bottles world-wide. Have a taste while you can!

SOLTERA ORO

\$13

This little gem is crafted in Australia's only solo female led distillery. This molasses based cane spirit is aged for 8 months before finding it's way into your glass! A real taste of Australia with hints of canned peaches and subtle vanilla.

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LIMITED EDITIONS



HEMMINGWAY DAIQUIRI

\$24

Created for Ernest Hemmingway at the world famous 'El Floridita' bar in Cuba. This fruity and refreshing take on the classic Daiquiri will satisfy your holiday cravings.

SOLTERA WHITE RUM, MARASCHINO, GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, LIME JUICE AND A DASH OF SUGAR



PALMETTO

\$24

This Manhattan-esque cocktail was first mentioned in Harry Craddock's 1930 'Savoy cocktail book'. This booze forward number is a perfect pre-dinner drink.

SOLTERA WHITE RUM, SWEET VERMOUTH, ORANGE BITTERS



JUNGLE BIRD

\$24

Originally served as a welcome drink at the 'Aviary bar' in Kuala Lumpur's Hilton Hotel. This classic drink was named after the presence of tropical birds in surrounding pools.

SOLTERA WHITE RUM, CAMPARI, PINEAPPLE, LIME AND A DASH OF SUGAR

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COCKTAILS



OLD GROGRAM

\$23

Lobo's flagship and iconic cocktail!

**LOBO'S SPICED RUM, LEMON, SUGAR AND
LOBO'S FAMOUS STOUT VERMOUTH.
OH, AND FLAMES!**



WHITE NEGRONI DAIQUIRI

\$23

*What better way to mix two of our
favourite classics than in this delightfully
refreshing libation.*

**PLANTATION 3 STAR RUM, LILLET, SUZE,
LEMON, SUGAR AND A DASH OF ORANGE-
BITTERS**



FANCLUB

\$25

*"A Flavour pairing old as time..."
"Who am I?"*

**HENNESSY VS COGNAC, CLARIFIED CHOCO-
ORANGE, ORANGE BITTERS, MAGIC CITRUS
AND TOPPED WITH SODA**



READY, AIM, RUM

\$24

*We're taking fire at the classic tepache.
Light, refreshing and fruity! Pew pew!*

**FLOR DE CANA 12 RUM, LOBO'S HOUSE
SPICED PINEAPPLE FERMENT**

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NEW TRINITY

\$23

A barrel-aged Vieux Carré. The barrel has been washed with Pedro Ximénez, red wine and a dash of soy sauce. Ocassionly, we can get serious.

BARREL-AGED BACARDI 8 RUM, HENNESSY VS, NOILLY PRAT, GRAND MARNIER AND AN OLIVE



STAY CLASSIC, SAN DIEGO

\$24

This is a decision you won't regret!

BACARDI SUPERIOR RUM, CRANBERRY-SEABLITE OLEO, VERJUS, POPPY SEED LIQUOR, CHAMPAGNE FOAM AND FRUIT PEARLS



TOO LUCKY

\$24

Served with a baby rubber ducky floating in an apple green sea. How can you say no to this fluffy number.

SKYY VODKA, MASSENEZ PEAR, GREEN APPLE, LEMON, CARDAMOM, GREEN APPLE FOAM AND A DUCK



1934

\$25

Sorcerers have nothing on Samuel, he's given new life to a Zombie from 1934! Beware, this one will bite!

BACARDI ORO RUM, HAMPDEN ESTATE 8YR, PLANTATION OFTD, CLARIFIED CITRUS, HOUSEMADE FALERNUM WITH CINNAMON ABSINTHE FUEGO'D ON TOP

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RIFLEBIRD

\$23

Take a hike through the forest with this umami twist on a tiki favourite.

BACARDI ORO RUM, CAMPARI, SHITAKE MUSHROOM, PINEAPPLE, LEMON AND A DASH OF SUGAR



EL SUENO ROSA

\$23

Tall, sweet and vegetal. Just like Pez!

BOMBAY DRY GIN, SUMAC VERMOUTH, PARSNIP SYRUP AND DASH OF MAGIC CITRUS



POINT NEMO

\$25

You can have one if that's your thing... Just expect to have another!

HIBISCUS BACARDI SUPERIOR RUM, BACARDI 8, PLANTATION OFTD, ORANGE, PASSIONFRUIT, VANILLA AND PINK PEPPERCORN



SOUR DISPUTE

\$25

Historians have heavily debated the origin of the Pina Colada, leaving a sour taste in many mouths. This modern twist is hoping to do just that!

ESPOLON BLANCO TEQUILA, VIDA MESCAL, COCONUT HORCHATA, MAGIC MANGO, EGG WHITE AND A DASH OF BLACK WALNUT BITTERS

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COWABUNGA

\$23

When it comes to fun drinks, Raymond's got your back, just like your favourite turtles.

BACARDI SUPERIOR RUM, MASSENEZ BASIL, CHIPOTLE SYRUP, CLARIFIED TOMATO, SWISS CHEESE RICE VINEGAR



PAPY'S PARADOX

\$25

Grandpa would expect a beer and a shot, but is it?

DOORLY'S 3YR RUM, MONTENEGRO, FERNET, LYCHEE CORDIAL, JASMINE TEA SODA



GREENSLEEVES

\$23

Nowadays an ice cream truck is rare to come by, so we thought it would be a nice gesture to bring it to you.

BACARDI SUPERIOR RUM, CUCUMBER ICE CREAM, LEMON, LIME ZEST AND A DASH OF SUGAR



RUM N RYE OLD FASHIONED

Our take on an Old Fashioned. A simple and delicious way to mix two of our favourite spirits.


WILD TURKEY RYE, BROWN GOMME, ANGOSTURA AND ORANGE BITTERS WITH YOUR CHOICE OF:

#1 BACARDI 8 RUM \$24

#2 PRIVATEER NEW ENGLAND RUM \$31

#3 BRIX TAWNY FINISH RUM \$39

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CHAMPAGNE & SPARKLING

NV

PUNCHEON DARTS PROSECCO

\$13

\$70

KING VALLEY, VICTORIA

apple, honey, citrus

NV

MOËT & CHANDON

\$135

ÉPERNAY, CHAMPAGNE

classic, rich, long finish

NV

RUINART BLANC DE BLANC

750ML \$330

1.5L \$650

REIMS, CHAMPAGNE

apples, apricots, shortbread

2008

VEUVE CLICQUOT 'LA GRANDE DAME'

\$700

REIMS, CHAMPAGNE

citrus, almonds, brioche

NV

KRUG GRANDE CUVÉE

\$800

REIMS, CHAMPAGNE

toasted bread, hazelnut, nougat

NV


RUINART ROSÉ

\$380

REIMS, CHAMPAGNE

subtle, fruity, red fruit

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WHITE WINE

2022

VOYAGER ESTATE SEMILLON

SAUVIGNON BLANC

MARGARET RIVER, WA

citrus, mineral acidity, textural finish

\$14

\$74

2023

MARGAN CHARDONNAY

HUNTER VALLEY, NSW

rich, almond, bright citrus

\$16

\$80

2017

AMISFIELD CHENIN BLANC

CENTRAL OTAGO, NZ

fresh, crisp, green apple finish

\$78

2020

SPRINGVALE PINOT GRIS

FREYCINET COAST, TAS

enticing pear, citrusy, floral

\$86

2022

PIERRICK LAROCHE PETIT CHABLIS

BURGUNDY, FRA

white floral, citrus, classic minerality

\$105

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ROSE & ORANGE

2022

SHERRAH GRENACHE ROSE

\$15

\$74

MCLAREN VALE, SA

aromatic, dry, delicate

2022

CHATEAU L'AUMERADE ROSE

\$97

PROVENCE, FRA

dry, red fruits, pomegranate

2022


BLIND CORNER ORANGE

\$74

MARGARET RIVER, WA

tropical, refreshing, rainbows





RED WINE

2022

KALLESKE CLARRY'S GSM

\$16

\$82

BAROSSA VALLEY, SA

balanced, berry fruits, chewy earthiness

2023

MULLINE 'NOUVEAU' PINOT NOIR

\$18

\$92

GEE LONG, VIC

dark fruits, berries, spice notes

2020

CELON LETANG CINSULT

\$72

LANGUEDOC, FRA

raspberry, tart cherry, herbaceous edge

2021

TESORO DE LOS ANDES MALBEC

\$78

MENDOZA, ARG

medium-bodied, black fruits, salted plums

2021

VOYAGER ESTATE 'COASTAL' CABERNET

\$84

MARGARET RIVER, WA

bright, fresh tannins, crunchy acidity

2017

SAMUEL'S GORGE SHIRAZ

\$102

MCLAREN VALE, SA

rich palate, blackcurrant, molasses

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BEER & CIDER

BALTER \$12
'CERVEZA' LAGER 4.0%
Gold Coast, QLD

KAIJU \$13
'KRUSH' TROPICAL PALE ALE 4.7%
Dandenong South, VIC

NEGRA MODELO \$13
DARK ALE 5.3%
Mexico City, MEX

YULLI'S \$14
'AMANDA' MANDARIN IPA 6.7%
Alexandria, NSW

BROOKVALE UNION \$13
GINGER BEER 4.0%
Manly, NSW

LOBO \$14
APPLE CIDER 5.5%
Adelaide Hills, SA

GRIFTER \$12.5
'SERPENTS KISS' WATERMELON PILSNER 4.9%
Marrickville, NSW

HEAPS NORMAL \$9
QUIET XPA 0.5%
Regency Park, SA

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LOBO



- TWENTIETH EDITION -



*Don't
forget
the Rum!*

*Basement Lot 1,
209 Clarence Street Sydney, NSW*