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# BOURBON BLUES BBQ

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# SIPPING NOTES

Table 1

	Nose	Taste	Finish
Buffalo Trace	Complex aroma of vanilla, mint and molasses	Pleasantly sweet to the taste with notes of brown sugar and spice that give way to oak, toffee, dark fruit and anise	This whiskey finishes long and smooth with serious depth.
Blanton's	Deep, satisfying nose of nutmeg and spices	Powerful dry vanilla notes in harmony with hints of honey amid strong caramel and corn	A medium finish composed of returning corn and nutmeg flavors
Eagle Rare	Complex, with aromas of toffee, hints of orange peel, herbs, honey, leather and oak	The taste is bold, dry and delicate with notes of candied almonds and very rich cocoa	The finish is dry and lingering
1792 Full Proof	Sweet vanilla & caramel	Incredible deep and smoky taste with Spice notes	Strong and long lasting full flavor
1792 Small Batch	Notes of spice and toasted nuts	Spice mingles with sweet caramel and vanilla	Brash and bold, yet smooth and balanced
Stagg Jr	Rich and Robust Vanilla & Caramel	Rich, sweet, chocolate and brown sugar flavors mingle in perfect balance with the bold rye spiciness	The boundless finish lingers with hints of cherries, cloves and smokiness.
Rock Hill Farms	Aromatic notes of toasted walnut, dried red fruits, spice, cocoa and marshmallow	Flavors of dark chocolate, chocolate covered almond, coffee, tobacco and dark caramel.	The finish is smooth, silky, toffee sweet and honeyed
E.H. Taylor, Jr Small Batch	Lightly toasted oak, with dried figs and butterscotch	Tastes of caramel corn sweetness, mingled with butterscotch and licorice	A soft mouth-feel that turns into subtle spices of pepper and tobacco

Table 2

	Nose	Taste	Finish
Jim Beam Black	A deep nose with a mix of caramel, oak, cinnamon and vanilla	Full bodied, heavier caramel, well-balanced, rich and flavorful	
Knob Creek	Toasted nuts, grains & oak	Rich, sweet, woody, full-bodied...almost fruity	Long, smooth & glowing
Basil Hayden	Spice, tea with a hint of peppermint	Spicy & light-bodied with a gentle bite	Dry, clean & brief
Bakers	Fruit, vanilla & caramel	Toasted nuts, fruits, vanilla, & silky texture	Sweet, smooth, medium-long
Bookers	Robust vanilla & caramel, slightly oaky	deep and complex flavors of vanilla, nuts & oak	Long and full
Elijah Craig	Delightfully complex with notes of vanilla bean, sweet fruit and fresh mint	Smooth and warm, pleasantly woody with accents of spice, smoke and nutmeg	Long, sweet and slightly toasty
Elijah Craig Barrel Proof	Caramel with toasted oak, fruit notes of apple and orange	Rich vanilla, caramel and butterscotch along with spices of black pepper and cinnamon at the back of the palate	Nice layered showcasing all flavors, fades slowly then lingers as it cools
Larceny	Fresh bread and toffee, with notes of butterscotch	Buttery caramel and honey, with a rich mouthfeel	Long, gently sweet and savory

Table 3

	Nose	Taste	Finish
Woodford Reserve	Heavy with rich dried fruit, hints of mint and oranges covered with a dusting of cocoa. Faint vanilla and tobacco spice	Rich, chewy, rounded and smooth, with complex citrus, cinnamon and cocoa. Toffee, caramel, chocolate and spice notes abound	Silky smooth, almost creamy at first with a long, warm satisfying tail
Woodford Reserve Double Oak	Rich notes of dark fruit, caramel, sharp honey, chocolate, marzipan and toasted oak	A full-bodied mix of vanilla, dark caramel, hazelnut, apple, fruit and spices	Long and creamy with lingering hints of honeyed apple
Old Forester	strong floral character that swirls with hints of mint, rich tobacco leaf and vanilla accompanied by a touch of oak and pine	Hints of oak, sweet corn and rye grain character. Spicy, with soft vanilla and light orange	Long, warm and slightly drying with a nice level of sweetness.
Old Forester 100	Sweet coffee laced with chocolate, creamy butterscotch and I hint of licorice	Ripe apple and other sweet fruit, bakery spice (clove and nutmeg), and toasted oak	Sweet & light with hints of oak and apple that linger a bit
Old Forester 1870	Notes of clove spice up a medley of citrus fruits...all softened with a sweet flora honeysuckle character	Baking spices flowing into a citrus-fruit mix and shortbread sweetness	Soft with lingering fruit and spice character
Old Forester 1897	Robust and intense caramel with vanilla and roasted coffee notes, accompanied by spiced dark fruit & mature oak	Deep fruit, spice and oak notes layered over dark caramel and vanilla	Big and Bold
Old Forester 1920	Cherry preserves, caramel, dark chocolate, maple syrup and seasoned oak spiciness	Caramel coats layers of malt nuttiness and sweet graham cracker all warmed by green peppercorn and coriander spice brightened with a hint of cedar	Tart apple crispness gives way to a long smoky finish full of toasted marshmallow, chocolate and graham cracker sweetness
Old Forester Statesman	Devil's food, clove and oak spice with an undercurrent of raw vanilla	Buttery leather is quickly dominated by a bold flash of pepper, cinnamon bark and sharp citrus	Intense spice and eucalyptus which fade into orange cream and caramel