

## A Little History First

*"Originally owned by Harry Shaw, Shaw's opened in 1947 as a steakhouse and was located 2 blocks south of the current location at the corner of Broad and Chestnut Streets. Harry Shaw also owned another iconic Lancaster landmark, Hotel Lancaster, which was built in 1941.*

*The Cork family purchased Shaw's from Harry Shaw in 1975 and upon Harry's death in 1978, the Cork family purchased the Hotel Lancaster. For a brief period, the hotel was run as the RJ Pitcher Inn after a man who owned a tavern at the location in 1806. In 1989, the original location of Shaw's at Broad and Chestnut Streets was closed and the restaurant merged with Hotel Lancaster and was renamed Shaw's Restaurant & Inn. While Shaw's Inn closed on November 12, 2016, Shaw's Restaurant will remain an integral part of the living history of downtown Lancaster."*

Fast forward to today- Shaw's Restaurant, Harry's Bar, & the Mabel & Grace Bakery open quietly and showcase their newly renovated spaces. I described their venue a few weeks ago, so I will forgo those details and get to the important part. What's in there?!

You can literally plan your whole day around the offerings. Start your day at Mabel & Grace with coffee and their famous cinnamon rolls, or poppy seed bread, or croissants, or muffins, or your favorite bread! We went to lunch at Shaw's Restaurant and the offerings included appetizers, salads, sandwiches and specialty dishes, all at very reasonable prices! I had the Buddha Bowl with grilled chicken. Oh my was it delicious!! And sitting on the patio made me feel like I was on a vacation! (Thank you Schyler for accommodating our Wild Women!) The lunch menu is served until 4pm when they change over to the dinner menu. Then you could end your day after dinner at Harry's Bar soaking in the traditional yet trendy atmosphere and genuine hospitality! And there you have it, a day at 123 N. Broad St. ☺

Congratulations to Susie and the whole crew for bringing back a popular spot in Lancaster and making it even better!! It's been a thrill watching it all come together!

Here are some pics!



The Entry



Ringing the Bell



The Wild Women!



Burger & Fries



Buddah Bowl  
(was prettier before I  
cut up all the chicken!)



My new Best Friend  
(he did bring out the  
cinnamon rolls!)



Thee Cinnamon Roll!



American Salad