

CASUAL WALKING DISTANCE RESTAURANTS

- **SOLEFOOD RESTAURANT - LOCATED IN THE LOBBY EXT. 7300**
Our swanky yet "unpretentious" new American restaurant offers the freshest ingredients and the finest flavors that Philadelphia has to offer. Available for breakfast, lunch and dinner so no need to leave the hotel.
- **SOTTO — BROAD & LOCUST STS. (215) 546-6800**
Seafood: This Avenue of the Arts newcomer is a welcome addition. The food & service are of equal stature. Go for dinner or just a cocktail, the bar atmosphere is fabulous.
- **POMPEII — BROAD & SANSOM STS. (215) 735-8400**
Regional Italian: Expect gusty Italian dishes made with passionate creativity, along with not-to-be- believed desserts, all served by handsome, earnest neighborhood joes. The dining room has high ceilings and roman artwork that add a welcoming touch.
- **PASION! — 211 S. 15TH STREET (215) 875-9895**
Nuevo-Latin: this Center city south american is one of the city's hottest newcomers in every sense of the word; foodies are packing the sevice bar and the richly appointed dining room where they're rewarded with bold tastes and superior presentations.
- **FRANGELICA- 200 S. 12TH ST. (215) 731-9930**
American-eclectic: An "undiscovered" eclectic bistro only 3 blocks from the hotel. An excellent, unpretentious, date restaurant. The décor is "gothic" & the food is innovative, all at a great value.
- **DMITRI'S- 12TH & LOCUST STREET (215) 627-9059**
Mediterranean: known for their consistently fresh seafood and innovative style, this spot is the third location and it's finest. Bring friends for tapas style sharing.
- **RUTH'S CHRIS STEAKHOUSE — 260 S. BROAD ST. (215) 790-1515**
Steak/American: This center city institution is known for their generous portions of excellent steaks. The staff is courteous and attentive.
- **JOSEPH POON — 1002 ARCH ST. (215) 928-9333**
Asian fusion: This Asian fusion in Chinatown serves up large portions by a sweet staff. Chef/owner Joseph Poon has been called "the unofficial mayor of Chinatown". Most likely because of his friendly & spirited nature.
- **CARIBOU CAFÉ- 1126 WALNUT ST. (215) 625-9535**
French: This cozy, hip center city french bistro is like being in Paris. Complete with stylish food, magnificent desserts, artsy decor and a great selection of beers.
- **GENJI- 1720 SANSOM ST. (215) 564-1720**
Japanese/sushi: The ultrafresh, excellent sushi and wide variety of Japanese dishes at this center city "cool clean" restaurant will tempt you through and through.

OTHER AREAS TO EXPLORE

*INDEPENDENCE NATIONAL HISTORIC PARK LOCATED ON MARKET STREET
BEGINNING AT 6TH STREET*

- JONES- 700 CHESTNUT ST. (215) 223-5663
American: A casual comfort-food restaurant and lounge with a laid-back atmosphere, affordable fare, and great late-night scene.
- FORK- 306 MARKET ST. (215) 625-9425
New American: A nationally acclaimed bistro offering delicious food that is seasonal, fresh and inventive. The menu is printed daily and reflects international influences from around the world.
- CONTINENTAL – 138 MARKET ST. (215) 923-6069
New American/Asian: It looks like a diner from the outside but inside it is a trendy bar/restaurant. The menu is very varied with lots of fusion cuisine.
- There are many other choices on Market Street between 2nd and 5th Streets

BEST KNOWN CHEESESTEAKS

- PAT'S- 1237 E PASSYUNK AVE (215) 468-1546
 - GENO'S- 1219 S. 9TH ST (215) 389-0659
- PAT'S AND GENO'S ARE ACROSS THE STREET FROM EACH OTHER AND FOR THOSE WITH AN IRON STOMACH, TRY THE SIDE BY SIDE TASTE TEST!
- GENO'S- 1219 S. 9TH ST (215) 389-0659
- JIM'S- 400 SOUTH STREET. (215) 928-1911