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# Dining



## Babu Ji

Take a trip to this Alphabet City spot for savory and sweet Indian street-food specialties, such as on-the-bone goat curry and papdi chaat (pictured, left to right). Of note, the ginger and green chili spiced yogurt kebab, served

in beet juice, is a vibrant introduction to any meal here. A self-serve case holds a selection of refreshing craft beers, from well-known to gluten-free brews. [www.babujinyc.com](http://www.babujinyc.com). 175 Ave. B, at E. 11th St., 212.951.1082. Map 1, J8



## Michael Jordan's The Steakhouse N.Y.C.

A steak and seafood haven nestled in Grand Central Terminal. [www.michaeljordannyc.com](http://www.michaeljordannyc.com). 23 Vanderbilt Ave., btw E. 43rd & E. 45th sts., 212.655.2300. Map 1, F6

## Chelsea+ Meatpacking District

**MORIMOTO—Japanese.** Enjoy fine dishes such as oyster foie gras and tuna pizza. L (Mon-Fri), D (nightly). [www.morimotonyc.com](http://www.morimotonyc.com). 88 10th Ave., btw W. 15th & W. 16th sts., 212.989.8883. \$\$\$\$ Map 1, I4

**THE RED CAT—New American.** Fresh seasonal cuisine in a warm setting. L (Mon-Fri), D (nightly), Brunch (Sat & Sun). [www.theredcat.com](http://www.theredcat.com). 227 10th Ave., btw W. 23rd & W. 24th sts., 212.242.1122. \$\$\$ Map 1, J4

**SOCARRAT PAELLA BAR—Spanish/Tapas.** The signature saffron rice dish comes in eight varieties such as carne with short ribs. L & D (daily), Brunch (Sat & Sun). [www.socarratrestaurants.com](http://www.socarratrestaurants.com). 259 W. 19th St., btw Seventh & Eighth

aves., 212.462.1000. \$\$\$ Map 1, I5; and one other NYC location.

## Chinatown+Little Italy

**LA ESQUINA—Latin American.** An aluminum-sided taqueria serves elevated Mexican fare. B, L & D (daily). [www.esquinanyc.com](http://www.esquinanyc.com). 114 Kenmare St., btw Centre & Lafayette sts., 646.613.7100. \$\$ Map 1, L7

**NICE GREEN BO—Chinese.** A zero-frills establishment specializes in soup dumplings. L & D (daily). [www.nicegreenbo.com](http://www.nicegreenbo.com). 66 Bayard St., btw Elizabeth & Mott sts., 212.625.2359. \$ Map 1, M7

**TARTINERY—French.** Updated bistro fare in a chic modern space. Dishes on the menu include sandwiches on rustic bread and fresh soups. L & D (daily), Brunch (Sat & Sun). [.com. 209 Mulberry St., at Spring St., 212.300.5838. \\$\\$ Map 1, L7; and two other NYC locations.](http://www.tartinery</a></p>
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## East Village

**ALDER—Modern American.** Dishes offered include oxtail stew. D (Mon-Sun), Brunch (Sun). [www.aldernyc.com](http://www.aldernyc.com). 157 Second Ave., btw E. 9th & E. 10th sts., 212.539.1900. \$\$ Map 1, D18

**ARTICHOKE—Italian.** A popular spot for pizza. L & D (daily). [www.artichokepizza.com](http://www.artichokepizza.com). 328 E. 14th St., btw First & Second aves., 212.228.2004. \$\$ Map 1, J7; and two other NYC locations.

**LE MIDI BAR & RESTAURANT—Classic French.** A cozy restaurant in an open-air space. Traditional French country fare is on the menu with such succulent dishes as coq au vin and escargot. L (Mon-Fri), D (nightly), Brunch (Sat &



ON THE WATER Munch and sip classic American fare and libations with a view of the East River at Watermark Bar ([www.watermarkny.com](http://www.watermarkny.com)).