

bar bambino

essential wine bar and café

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opened in 2007. owner: christopher losa chef: elizabeth binder
\$\$: all major credit cards accepted
lunch. dinner. brunch. reservations accepted

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I find myself getting suspicious when somebody gushes about something. Are they being paid to be so positive? Is their discerning radar a bit skewed? Yet, here I am ready to gush about *Bar Bambino*. I really love this place. Love love love. And last I checked my offshore bank account, Christopher is not paying me to say so. What's got me in such a lather? This is the type of spot that's fantastic because it comes without pretense, and yet is carefully considered from the thoughtful wine list to a cheese selection gorgeously displayed in it's own glass room to the simple Italian cuisine. Love.

imbibe / devour:

selection of over 175 wines
house & artisanal cured meats
artisanal cheeses
olive oil flight
egg, truffle salt & parmigiano-reggiano bruschette
cestini stuffed with oxtail
puglian style braised lamb shank
napoleon of huckleberry semifreddo