

# LAST SUPPER

If the world were ending tomorrow, what would be your last meal? Would you devour a whole menu or keep it simple with a burger and fries? CITY asked people from the worlds of design, fashion, and the arts to **place their final order**.

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"AS MIMI SHERATON SAID BEFORE ME, MY LAST SUPPER WOULD TAKE PLACE AT L'AMI LOUIS IN PARIS WHERE I WOULD TRY EVERYTHING ON THE MENU WITH A CHÂTEAU LATOUR 1990. BUT NO LIQUEUR!"  
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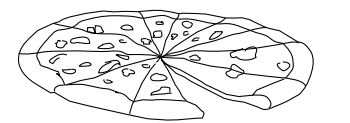
"MY FAVORITE MEAL, CRAB SALAD WITH SALMON AND SPINACH."  
**RICHARD SERRA** ARTIST

"A MEAT PIE WITH MUSHY PEAS ON TOP FROM HARRY'S CAFE-DE-WHEELS IN SYDNEY WITH A BOTTLE OF 1985 SALON CHAMPAGNE."  
**MARC NEWSON** DESIGNER

"I'D START WITH A MARTINI AND THREE FAT BLUE-CHEESE-STUFFED OLIVES AND A DOZEN OF THE BEST OYSTERS OF ALL VARIETIES. THEN, WOOD-GRILLED THAI MIGNONETTE, A KOBE BEEF BURGER WITH APPLE-WOOD SMOKED BACON, AGED GRUYERE CHEESE, CARAMELIZED ONIONS, SAUTÉED PORCINI MUSHROOMS WITH HOT, CRISPY FRENCH FRIES WITH AIOLI MADE WITH FRESH WHITE TRUFFLE—AND I MEAN STRAIGHT FROM THE SOIL, WIPED OFF AND SHAVED. I ALSO WANT GREEK SALAD WITH A SLICE OF FETA CHEESE, KALAMATA OLIVES AND PEPPERONCINI, A VANILLA BEAN ICE CREAM SHAKE WITH A SHOT OF OUZO TO GIVE IT A LITTLE ANISEED KICK, AND PEANUT BUTTER-GIANDUJA TRUFFLES."  
**CAT CORA** FOOD NETWORK'S IRON CHEF

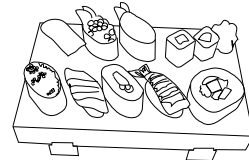
"I WOULD WANT MY FIANCÉ, ALEX, TO COOK ME ONE OF HER INCREDIBLE VEGAN DINNERS, SO WE COULD SHARE OUR LAST MEAL. THEN I'D GO OUT AND GET A STEAK AND A GUINNESS."  
**MORGAN SPURLOCK** FILMMAKER OF THE ACADEMY AWARD-NOMINATED FILM SUPER SIZE ME

"PIZZA! THE BIGGEST PIZZA EVER! BUT ONLY IF I DIED THE SECOND I FINISHED IT. OTHERWISE MY WHEAT ALLERGY WOULD MAKE MY DEATH-BED A DOUBLE DOWNER."  
**SARAH VOWELL** AUTHOR OF ASSASSINATION VACATION



"BREAD, WATER, AND LOVE WOULD WORK JUST FINE. HOWEVER, A SUNDAY FAMILY LUNCH WOULD BE A CONSOLING AND A DELICIOUS WAY TO SPEND MY LAST HOURS. I ENVISION A SLICE OF FOIE GRAS WITH HOMEMADE BRIOCHE TO START, FOLLOWED BY ROAST PIGEON AND THE FRESHEST OF SPRING PEAS. A GLASS OR TWO OF A GREAT RED BURGUNDY WOULD BE JUST RIGHT. I HAVE A STRONG MEMORY OF A 1947 VOLNAY CAILLERETS FROM BOUCHARD THAT WOULD SERVE WELL. FOR DESSERT, DEFINITELY AN APRICOT TART."  
**MIREILLE GUILIANO** CEO CLICQUOT, INC. AND AUTHOR OF FRENCH WOMEN DON'T GET FAT

"DEFINITELY SUSHI. IT'S MY LIFE'S WORK AND MY FAVORITE FOOD!"  
**NOBU MATSUHISA**  
CHEF AND RESTAURATEUR

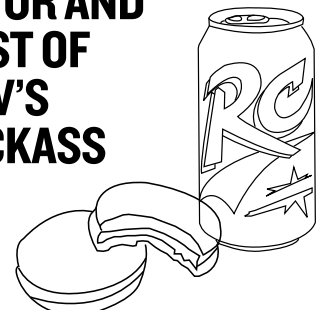


"ON ONE HAND, I'D BE TEMPTED TO EAT SOMETHING WITH NOSTALGIC SIGNIFICANCE, LIKE PROUST'S MADELEINE, BUT THEN AGAIN, A BIG GASTRONOMIC BLOWOUT MIGHT BE NICE. TACOS FROM REAL FOOD DAILY IN LOS ANGELES, CHOCOLATE CHEESECAKE FROM TEANY IN NEW YORK, AND ROOT BEER. ADOLESCENT CHOICES, BUT HONEST."  
**MOBY** MUSICIAN

"TINY BOW FROM JOE'S SHANGHAI (NYC) AS AN APPETIZER, TAFEL-SPITZ, AN AUSTRIAN BOILED CUT OF BEEF, WITH SPINACH AND ROSTI AS A MAIN COURSE, A CHEESE PLATE INCLUDING MASCARPONE TORTA, WEST AUSTRIAN ALPINE CHEESE AND GRUYERE, AND A COUPLE OF TRUFFLES FROM SPRUENGLI IN ZURICH."  
**STEFAN SAGMEISTER** GRAPHIC DESIGNER

"BEEF HARD-SHELL TACOS AND CHOCOLATE CAKE... YES, TOGETHER!"  
**KATE SPADE** DESIGNER

"RC COLA AND A MOON PIE."  
**JOHNNY KNOXVILLE** ACTOR AND HOST OF MTV'S JACKASS



"A GERMAN BRATWURST, FRENCH FRIES WITH KETCHUP AND MAYO, A CRANBERRY CLUB SODA, AND CHOCOLATE ICE CREAM WITH HOT RHUBARB SAUCE. I AM PREGNANT, SO MY TASTE BUDS MAY BE A BIT OFF."  
**HEIDI KLUM** MODEL

"FRIED FOIE GROIS—NOT A TERRINE, THE WHOLE LIVER—FOLLOWED BY LEMON AND SAGE ROAST CHICKEN WITH MOROCCAN LEMON ROAST POTATOES. FOR DESSERT, WILD RASPBERRIES WITH MINT CHOCOLATES FROM MAISON DU CHOCOLAT. ALL WITH A BOTTLE OF RIDGEMONT SANTA CRUZ 1999."  
**JO CRAVEN** BRITISH VOGUE

"DINNER AT HOME IN YAKIMA, WASHINGTON, WITH MY DAD COOKING 'BURGS ON THE BARBECUE, SURROUNDED BY FAMILY AND FRIENDS, DRINKING A GRANT'S ALE FROM THE LOCAL BREWERY, AND TELLING TALL GOLF TALES. NOT A BAD WAY TO GO."  
**KYLE MACLACHLAN** ACTOR

"MY LAST MEAL WOULD BE A PROGRESSIVE EATING JOURNEY: OYSTERS AND PEARLS AT PER SE, GNUDI FROM THE SPOTTED PIG, ROASTED SWEETBREADS FROM CRAFTBAR, AND A BIG, FAT BURGER AND FRIES FROM FIVE POINTS. FOR DESSERT, A CHOCOLATE-CHIP COOKIE FROM LE PAIN QUOTIDIEN. YOU CAN DIET WHEN YOU'RE DEAD."  
**ANDREA STRONG** FOOD CRITIC AND AUTHOR OF THESTRONGBUZZ.COM

"A BIG, HAIRY STEAK AND A DIET HEMLOCK."  
**KINKY FRIEDMAN** HUMORIST AND TEXAS GUBERNATORIAL CANDIDATE



"I WOULD DINE AT 66 WITH A VERY LARGE GROUP OF FRIENDS AND WOULD LEAVE THE CHOICE OF FOOD TO CHEF JEAN-GEORGES."  
**RICHARD MEIER** ARCHITECT

"TO START, SALON CHAMPAGNE AND BLINIS WITH SOUR CREAM AND BELUGA CAVIAR—HOLD THE ONIONS AND GARLIC. I'M ALLERGI! THEN MIDDLE ADRIATIC GIANT SEA SCAMPI AL SALE, STEAMED ALASKAN HALIBUT WITH CREAM SAUCE, MORELS AND FAVA BEANS DRIZZLED WITH ALBA TRUFFLES AND OLIVE OIL, AND A GLASS OF BORGO DEL TIGLIO CHARDONNAY. I'D FINISH UP WITH A VALRHONA CHOCOLATE SOUFFLÉ AND AN ILLY ESPRESSO, OF COURSE."  
**ANDREA ILLY** CEO, ILLYCAFFÈ