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**BREAKFAST 7 am - 11 am**

*(Saturday & Sunday until 12 pm)*

**Atticus Striata 5.50**

*Baked layers of egg, sun-dried tomatoes, herbed bread, sweet sausage and sharp cheddar cheese*

**Vegetarian Frittata 5.50**

*Italian egg specialty baked with mushrooms, cheddar cheese, potato, onions and zucchini*

**Complete Breakfast 6.95**

*Two organic eggs, brioche roll, croissant or toast, orange juice, and coffee or tea or any single size espresso beverage*

**Breakfast Sandwich 5.50**

*Two organic eggs on a choice of brioche roll, croissant or toast. Choice of Jalapeño Bacon, Ham or Turkey and Cheddar or Gruyère*

**Hot Cereal 4.95**

*Five grain cereal served with Clover Honey and Dried Cranberries*

**Granola Parfait 5.95**

*Honey-kissed yogurt, Nate's Naturals Granola and fresh fruit*

**Nate's Naturals Granola 4.25**

*Served in a cup with choice of milk or yogurt.*

**Fresh Fruit Cup 4.95**

**BREAKFAST PASTRIES**

**Scones 2.00**

*Chocolate Chip, Black Currant, Ginger, Walnut, Oatmeal Maple Syrup, Blueberry*

**Muffin 2.00**

*Blueberry Praline, Bran, Banana Praline, Pumpkin Cranberry, Morning Glory*

**Croissant 2.50**

*Plain, Chocolate, Whole Wheat*

**Sticky Bun 2.95**

**Brioche 1.25**

**Bread STIX 1.25 (with cream cheese 1.75)**

*Onion, Roasted Garlic, Olive Oil*



# 'Tis the Season for Black Bean Soup

● **COFFEE... STILL \$1.00!**

Organic - Fair Trade - 12 oz

*Are we out of the Recession?*

*The pundits and politicians can't decide.*

*And we think it's a little too early to say it's over.*

*We're keeping our recession-busting coffee prices for awhile longer.*

● **MULLED CIDER \$1.95**

● **HARDCOVER SALE**

15% Off New Releases

(All hardcovers, except bargain & kids books)

● **PRIX FIXE DINNER**

**ONLY \$12.99!**

Daily after 5 pm (see details inside)

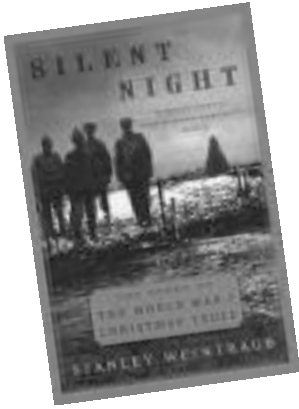


## Stanley Weintraub's *Silent Night*

History is peppered with oddments and ironies, and one of the strangest is this. A few days before the first Christmas of that long bloodletting then called the Great War, hundreds of thousands of cold, trench-bound combatants put aside their arms and, in defiance of their orders, tacitly agreed to stop the killing in honor of the holiday.

That informal truce began with small acts: here opposing Scottish and German troops would toss newspapers, ration tins, and friendly remarks across the lines; there ambulance parties, clearing the dead from the barbed-wire hell of no man's land, would stop to share cigarettes and handshakes. Soon it spread, so that by Christmas Eve the armies of France, England, and Germany were serenading each other with Christmas carols and sentimental ballads and denouncing the conflict with cries of "*À bas la guerre!*" and "*Nie wieder Krieg!*" The truce was, writes Stanley Weintraub, a remarkable episode, and, though "dismissed in official histories as an aberration of no consequence," it was so compelling that many who observed it wrote in near-disbelief to their families and hometown newspapers to report the extraordinary event.

In the end, writes Weintraub, the truce ended with a few stray bullets that escalated into total war, and that would fill the air for just shy of four more Christmases to come; further, isolated attempts at informal peacemaking would fail. But what, Weintraub wonders at the close of this inspired study, would have happened if the soldiers on both sides had refused to take up arms again? His counterfactual scenarios are intriguing, and well worth pondering.



### DESSERTS

*No preservatives, no cake mixes, no artificial flavorings!*

**Dark Chocolate Chip Delight Cupcake 2.95**

**Brownie 2.50**

*Walnut, Butterscotch, Aztec, Blondie*

**Atticus Cookie 1.95**

*Sugar, Oatmeal Cranberry, Chocolate Chip, Triple Chocolate*

**Tea Bread 2.50**

*Zucchini, Banana, Apple, Carrot*

**Tiramisu 5.95**

*add an Espresso for 50 cents*

**Bread Pudding 5.95**

*A 12 oz single portion made with Brioche.  
Rum Raisin or Mixed Berry*

**Truffles 2.50**

*Ivory, Cappuccino, Passionfruit, Cranberry,  
Peanut Butter Bite, Maple Walnut, Pumpkin Spice*

*Truffles also available in gold gift boxes:*

**Single Pyramid 3.00**

**Box of Two 6.00**

**Box of Six 15.00**

**FRESH FRUIT CUP 4.95**

*Medley of Strawberries, red grapes, melon and apples  
tossed with a splash of citrus.*

*Add Yogurt for 50 cents.*

**TAKE HOME LOAVES:**

*(All varieties kosher)*

*Parisian Baguette, Classic Ciabatta, Olive Oil Ciabatta,  
Roasted Garlic Ciabatta, Wheat Ciabatta,  
Rosemary Focaccia, Seven Grain Bâtard,  
Cranberry Pecan Multigrain, Country Sourdough*

**BREAD BASKET ASSORTMENT 3.75**

*Mix and match any three flavors listed above.*

### COLD BEVERAGES

**Lemonade 1.75**

**Iced Tea 1.75**

*Fresh brewed, Raspberry, or Plain*

**Frozen Granita 1.75**

*Pomegranate or Peach Lemonade*

**Fountain Sodas 1.75**

**Italian Sodas 1.75**

*Raspberry, Passion Fruit, Lemon*

### HOT DRINKS

**Coffee 1.00 lg. 1.30**

*Always Organic, Always Fair Trade!*

**Brewed Coffee**

*House Blend, Dark Roast or Decaffeinated*

**Mulled Apple Cider 1.95**

**Cafe au Lait 1.25 lg. 1.50**

**Harney and Sons Tea 1.75**

*English Breakfast, Earl Grey, Green Tea,  
Peppermint, Orange Pekoe, Egyptian Chamomile,  
Passion Plum, Decaffeinated Ceylon*

**Espresso 1.00 dbl. 1.30**

**Espresso Drinks 1.75 lg. 2.00**

*Cappuccino - Mocha Latte - Caramel Latte*

**Chai 3.00 lg. 3.50**

**Dark Hot Cocoa 1.75 lg. 1.95**

**Hot Cocoa**

*Atticus' own recipe*

**Mexican Hot Chocolate**

*Made with spiced hard chocolate*

**Try mixing...  
It's delicious!**

## LUNCH & DINNER 11 am - 9 pm

*(Saturday & Sunday start at 12pm)*

### SOUPS

*All soups and salads are served with Chabaso Rolls*

**Homemade, No Preservatives,  
Sustainable when possible.**

*cup 4.50 bowl 5.50*

#### **Atticus Black Bean**

*Served with Diced Sweet Onions  
and Sour Cream. Not Vegetarian.*

#### **Soups of the Day**

*Includes one vegetarian choice daily.*

### SALADS

*All salads are served with Chabaso Rolls*

#### **♥ Roasted Pear 8.95**

*Meschun, Roasted Pears, Maple Glazed  
Pecans, Gorgonzola and Dried Cranberries.  
Served with Cranberry Vinaigrette*

#### **♥ Avocados, Walnuts & Feta Cheese 8.95**

*Served on a Bed of Meschun and Grape Tomatoes*

#### **Lemon Chicken 8.95**

*Grilled Lemon Chicken Breast atop a Bed of Meschun  
and Grape Tomatoes*

#### **Café Salad 8.95**

*Ham, Turkey, Gruyere, Cheddar, Grape Tomatoes,  
Cucumbers, and Red Onions on Meschun Greens*

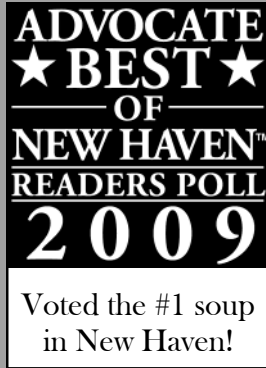
#### **♥ Side Salad 5.95**

*Meschun, Chabaso Croutons, Red Peppers, English  
Cucumbers and Grape Tomatoes*

### ATTICUS SALAD DRESSINGS

*Cilantro Vinaigrette, Cranberry Vinaigrette, Creamy  
Dijon, Balsamic Vinaigrette*

♥ Vegetarian Option



### COMBINATION SPECIALS

#### **Regular 8.95**

*Choice of two of the following: ½ Sandwich,  
Side Salad, Cup of Soup*

#### **Premium 9.95**

*Choice of two of the following: ½ Sandwich or  
½ Panino, with Cup of Soup or Special Salad*

### SANDWICHES

*All Sandwiches Served on 4oz Ciabatta Rolls  
Bread Substitution Add \$1.00*

#### **Atticus Classic 8.50**

*Smoked Turkey or Black Forest Ham, Gruyère or  
Vermont Cheddar*

#### **Southwest Turkey Club 8.95**

*Sliced Smoked Turkey, Jalapeño Bacon, Vermont  
Cheddar, Lettuce, Tomato, and Chipotle Mayonnaise*

#### **♥ Fresh Mozzarella 7.95**

*Fresh Mozzarella, Vine Ripe Tomatoes  
and Basil Drizzled with Extra Virgin Olive Oil*

#### **♥ Hummus 7.95**

*Hummus, Vermont Cheddar, Lettuce, Tomato,  
Cucumbers, Roasted Red Pepper and Dijon Dressing*

### GRILLED PANINI

#### **Atticus Panino 9.50**

*Smoked Turkey or Black Forest Ham,  
Gruyère or Vermont Cheddar*

#### **♥ Tomato Panino 8.95**

*Vine Ripe Tomatoes, Mozzarella and Fresh Pesto*

#### **♥ Portobello 8.95**

*Portobello Mushrooms, Goat Cheese,  
Tapenade and Roasted Red Pepper*

#### **Cuban Pork on Brioche 8.95**

*Pulled Pork, Grilled Onion, Chipotle Sauce,  
Black Beans, and Cheddar Cheese*

#### **Tacchino Panino 9.95**

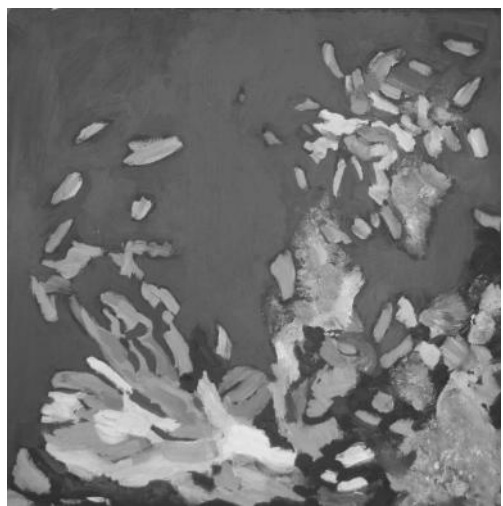
*Smoked Turkey, Cranberry Sauce and Vermont  
Cheddar, Grilled on Chabaso Multi Grain  
Cranberry Focaccia*

### PRIX FIXE DINNER \$12.99 (Daily after 5 pm)

- ☞ Cup of Soup with a Side Salad served with Chabaso Rolls
- ☞ 1/2 Grilled Panino of Choice
- ☞ Cookie, Tea Bread or Truffle
- ☞ Coffee, Tea, Lemonade or Fountain Soda

# BYOB

**After 5 pm - Wine Only - Minimum 2 Guests  
Must Buy Salad, Sandwich or Panini**



### "Oils and Monotypes 2009"

by Elizabeth Steele

*Our current art exhibit runs from November 30 to January 10 and is viewable during business hours. Ask your server for an exhibit catalog with titles and prices.*

### Ten Commitments

**Black Bean Soup:** Always on, always hot. If we're out, the next one is on us.

**Coffee:** Always Organic, always Fair Trade.

**Tea:** Always Organic, always piping hot or ice cold.

**Chabaso Breads:** Always baked fresh daily in Chabaso Bakery's ovens right here in New Haven.

**Books:** We choose our books with care and offer a fresh, intelligent selection of titles handpicked by our team of booksellers. We also have an unrivalled assortment of greeting cards.

**Supporting the Arts:** Our local artist program is designed to promote local artists at no cost to them.

**Sustainability:** We support local growers. Herbs, peppers and tomatoes are grown in our own Chabaso Garden (seasonally).

**Going Green:** Our plastic cups are 100% compostable and our paper cups are made from at least 10% post-consumer material. All disposables we use are made from materials that are either 100% compostable, made from recycled paper or recyclable.

**Table Service:** Ever since 1981 we have taken pride in providing fast, courteous, and efficient table service. We wait on you!

**We care:** Your concerns and comments are important to us. Email me directly at [jrecapet@chabaso.com](mailto:jrecapet@chabaso.com)

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