The Martini
“the elixir of quietude”
E.B. White

When you relax in the historic Georgian surroundings of The Merrion Hotel, it only seems right that you should enjoy a cocktail with equal heritage. The Martini is the perfect choice, a drink that comes with its very own pedigree. It was favoured by countless historical and fictional figures, including Winston Churchill, Truman Capote, Humphrey Bogart, F. Scott Fitzgerald, Ernest Hemingway, as well as Ian Flemming’s suave secret agent, James Bond.

Martinis at The Merrion is a special menu of delicious drinks that use only the most refined spirits, mixed to perfection.
The James Joyce Cocktail

“When I die Dublin will be written in my heart.” James Joyce

Toast the famed Irish writer that honoured his hometown in the epics such as Ulysses and Dubliners with this Bushmills Irish whiskey cocktail.
The Classic Gin Martini*
“The only American invention as perfect as the sonnet.” H.L. Mencken
The King of Cocktails going back to the mid-1800s, created with Tanqueray London Dry Gin. *For a vodka take on this cocktail, ask for Ketel One.

The Grand Fizz Martini
“There can’t be good living where there is not good drinking.” Benjamin Franklin
Champagne bubbles carry the citrus, tropical fruit essence and the unique quality of Tanqueray No. Ten. A drink of elegance & class!

The Pink Martini
“Wise, kind, gentle, generous, sexy, but enough about me, here’s to you.” Anonymous
That pretty much sums up this Tanqueray No. Ten and fresh juice cocktail that will tickle you pink!

The Traditional French Martini
“A votre sante!”
A French toast
The posh character of Tanqueray No. Ten Gin with raspberry & pineapple for a certain ‘je ne sais quoi’.

The Ketel One Gibson Martini*
“Here’s hoping you live forever, and mine is the last voice you hear.” Willard Scott
The tried & true variant on the Ketel One vodka martini with a sweet cocktail onion garnish. *For a Gin Gibson Martini, request Tanqueray No. Ten.

Celtic Cosmo Martini
“Work is the curse of the drinking class.” Oscar Wilde
Take Mr. Wilde at his word and relax with this Ketel One Citroen/Emerald Isle melon twist on this citrus cocktail classic.
Victoria’s Secret Martini
“Women and drink. Too much of either can drive you to the other.” Michael Still

See just what the secret is to this silky Ketel One Citroen raspberry & sour libation.

An Antrim Apple Martini
“Here’s to steak when you’re hungry, Whiskey when you’re dry, A lover when you need one, And Heaven when you die.” An Irish toast

The sour apple delight with Bushmills Irish whiskey at its core.

The Georgian Peach Martini
“I love to sing and I love to drink, but most people like to hear me drink.” George Burns

Enjoy this nectar infused Ciroc vodka cocktail in one of the best Georgian Room’s in Dublin.

Lady Mornington’s Garden Martini
“Earth laughs in flower” Ralph Waldo Emerson

Stroll Lady Mornington’s garden with this floral combination of Ciroc vodka, elderflower & cucumber. It is like a garden in a glass.

Dutch Lemon Tea Time Martini
“There isn’t a single windmill owner in Holland who doesn’t have a second job, for when there is no wind.” Johnny Ball

Tea time like never before with Ketel One with chilled liquorice tea & honey.

Stephen’s Green Martini
“The light music of whiskey falling into a glass - an agreeable interlude.” James Joyce

The unique flavours of Johnnie Walker Green Label blended malt Scotch whisky, mint, honey and chilled green tea make up this exceptional taste experience.

The Royal Tea Martini
“I’ll stick with gin. Champagne is just ginger ale that knows somebody.” Benjamin ‘Hawkeye’ Pierce, M*A*S*H

A Regal mixture of Tanqueray No. Ten, sweetened lemon and chilled Earl Grey tea.
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Key Lime Pie Martini

Try a bit of southern (Dublin) comfort with this Smirnoff Vanilla vodka lime cocktail. No better way to follow-up a good meal than with a bit of the old south.

Hot Irish Monck

Inspired by Lord Stanley Monck who looked out on the cold, rainy Dublin days from his window at No. 22 Merrion Street, wishing he had a hot hazelnut chocolate with Black Bush Irish whiskey.

All Martini’s are priced €13.50