



Fact Sheet

The History

In November 2007, Chef Donald Wilson and Businessman Ron Frieson welcomed guests into *Landon's Restaurant and Bar*. True to its vision, *Landon's* has been touted as the first casual-upscale restaurant in Atlanta's historic Cascade Corridor—a community recognized nationally for African-American prominence and affluence.

The Landon's concept has been an evolving vision for Chef Donald since completing his training at the prestigious Culinary Institute of America in Hyde Park, New York.

Upon completing his formal training, this star on the rise honed his culinary skills in the kitchens of some of Atlanta's most reputed restaurants including Anthony's, The Vinings Club, and the Peasant Uptown. Throughout his professional training, Chef Donald became ardently intrigued with the flavors of the world. Today, his experimentation with intercontinental cuisine has created an industry niche.

After spending more than a decade in the restaurant and hospitality industries, Chef Donald became the Executive Chef for the estate of Bishop Eddie Long, the Senior Pastor for New Birth Missionary Baptist Church in Lithonia, Georgia. While working with Bishop Long, Chef Donald's cuisine was enjoyed and commended by many of this country's most admired and recognized citizens.

In early 2007, with culinary success comfortably finding a home with Chef Donald, the revelation of Landon's began to manifest itself into a tangible reality. Ironically, Businessman Ron Frieson, President Emeritus of Bell South Georgia was also seeking an opportunity to further develop the economy in his community.

During a happenstance conversation between Chef Donald and Ron about pairing exquisite food and fine wines, the two formed a partnership that would give life to Landon's—affectionately named after Chef Donald's son.

The Guest Experience

While at Landon's, guests will find themselves in a familiar and warm-spirited atmosphere, complemented by an elegant modish façade. They will be seated next to community leaders, cross paths with neighbors and catch-up with friends while dining on a stunning array of Modern American cuisine. They will be inspired by the First Impression's *Chilled Seafood Martini*. And then, they will praise the *Wasabi Crusted Tilapia* accompanied by creamy risotto, haricot verts and lemon garlic aioli. At the bar, they will partake in the *Cascade*, a Landon's signature cocktail and end their dining experience by applauding the Cappuccino Crème Brulee.

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The Concept

Landon's Restaurant and Bar is located in the heart of Atlanta's historic Cascade Corridor and provides a stunning array of Modern American cuisine complemented by a warm familiar ambiance. With acclaimed Chef Donald Wilson as its culinary composer, Landon's is defining its niche and is admired for uniquely flavorful and valuable lifestyle-conscious creations. Landon's offers customers a multitude of dining and social solutions including lunch, dinner, Sunday brunch, late night, private and corporate dining, catering and onsite special events.

The Proprietors

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