

# “Brooklyn Mike’s” Top Picks

For

## Italian Eateries & Shops to Visit

Name	Location	Telephone	Notes
<a href="#">B&amp;A Italian Pork Store</a>	Brooklyn, NY	<a href="tel:(718)238-9417">(718) 238-9417</a>	This is an all-time favorite location since I was a kid in Brooklyn. The smell of Italian cheeses is something you will never forget!
<a href="#">B&amp;D Market</a>	Geneva, NY	<a href="tel:315-759-5968">315-759-5968</a>	Home of Madio’s sausage! A great small-town butcher with that Italian flair which includes a deli, bakery, & Italian specialty shop. Looking for lunch, then check out their salad bar that contains their home-made hot salad bar items that change daily.
<a href="#">Bella’s Sicilian Restaurant</a>	Geneva, NY	<a href="tel:(315)759-5404">(315) 759-5404</a>	Geneva, New York’s hidden secret. The table-side singing takes you and that someone special away from reality to a fun-filled evening. Food is great and the steaks will melt in your mouth!
<a href="#">Café CaNole - Italian Restaurant &amp; Bakery</a>	New Hartford, NY	<a href="tel:(315)733-6592">(315) 733-6592</a>	The best sfogliatelle, chocolate covered cannoli, and chocolate or vanilla lobster tail pastries!
<a href="#">Caruso’s Italian Pastry Shop</a>	Utica, NY	<a href="tel:(315)735-9712">(315) 735-9712</a>	The best “Cappuccino” you will ever find along with your favorite Italian Pastry! Say hello to Mike & Carmela who are always happy to serve you!
<a href="#">Casa Italiana - Italian Deli</a>	Canandaigua, NY	<a href="tel:(585)396-0411">(585) 396-0411</a>	This pizzeria & deli is a great place to pick up those Italian items but their Italian subs is definitely a must have for lunch.
<a href="#">Leo’s Italian Bakery &amp; Deli</a>	Rochester, NY	<a href="tel:(585)249-1000">(585) 249-1000</a>	Although their customer service lacks the true Italian culture that requires some addressing. The facility is beautiful and clean. Go in and get those great cookies and cheese products for Sunday dinners.
<a href="#">Lombardi’s - Gourmet Italian Imports &amp; Specialties</a>	Fairport, NY	<a href="tel:(585)388-1330">(585) 388-1330</a>	This is the real deal and a special place! The smell of cheeses, garlic, and Italian traditions tempt your senses and will keep you from leaving. Mary Lombardi takes pride in her Italian food made with pure Italian love. 100s of olive oils and the aged balsamic vinaigrettes that you won’t want to leave without. Gourmet foods & gifts, fine gifts, and kitchenware compliments the fine service you get the minute you walk in the door!  No Connection with - Lombardi’s Market - Italian Deli in Holbrook, NY.
<a href="#">Lombardi’s Market - Italian Deli</a>	Holbrook, NY	<a href="tel:(631)737-8470">(631) 737-8470</a>	Produce, Deli, Hot Foods, Prepared Foods, Butcher, Bakery, Olive Station, Panini Station, Pizzette Station, Specialty Cheeses, Caterer, Family owns several Italian reception halls for weddings parties and special events.  No Connection with - Lombardi’s - Gourmet Italian Imports & Specialties in Fairport, NY.

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<a href="#">Patsy’s Italian Restaurant of New York</a>	New York City, NY	<a href="#">(212) 247-3491</a>	Frank Sinatra’s favorite restaurant. Food & service is 5-star amazing! Ask to see Frank’s table.  Reservations are a must!
<a href="#">Roma’s Italian Sausage &amp; Deli</a>	Utica, NY	<a href="#">(315) 792-1445</a>	The best “Tomato Pie” ever!
<a href="#">Rosalie’s Cucina – Italian Restaurant &amp; Bakery</a>	Skaneateles, NY	<a href="#">(315) 685-2200</a>	Food & service is great and the Banana Budino dessert is a must have so save room.  Reservations are a must!
<a href="#">Rubino’s Italian Food</a>	Irondequoit, NY	<a href="#">(585) 544-5680</a>	This reminded me of the Italian markets of Brooklyn, NY. The Sicilian carriage was great to see in the parking lot. Got to meet owners Joe & Phyllis and Bev the cashier. This place has a Brooklyn flair setup with an Italian grocery store, deli, bakery, bread bakery, butcher shop, coffee shop, pizzeria, gift shop all in one.
<a href="#">Villabate Alba Pasticceria Gelateria - Italian Bakery &amp; Gelato</a>	Brooklyn, NY	<a href="#">(718) 331-8430</a>	This is an all-time favorite bakery since I was a kid in Brooklyn. Once you walk in the door your jaw will drop and so leave your diet at home. Before you leave make sure you get some authentic Italian Gelato!
<a href="#">Vince’s Italian Imports</a>	N. Syracuse, NY	<a href="#">(315) 452-1000</a>	This was my first Italian import store when I returned to NY and my first in Northern Upstate NY. This impeccably clean establishment is run by owner, Sam Mondello. Very nice full line Italian import store that offers cooking classes.