

All Johnson Restaurants

May be good for goats
on the roof but short on
good food. I perceived &
not quality food. Powdered
orange juice & creaming coffee.
Lindenberg Swedish Potatoes
were pretty good.

White Lane Inn

Very lovely - would love
to take this place home.
I love the modern conveniences
with the victorian decor.

Doug Rossenjill
Chicago, IL.
Lorel Alavoc
Oak Park, IL.

Nautical Inn

Friendly bartender,
good selection of wines.
Dinner was excellent.
Service was good but
a bit too prompt.

Bailey's Harbor Yacht Club

Atmospher was elegant.
Service and food were
very good. Dave & Nancy
Westmont, all

White Gull Inn

The fish boil was great!!!
The atmosphere was rustic and
the fish, potatoes, and slaw was
delicious. It's a great time.
P.S. Watch for bones.

Lynn + Dave Hiller
Villa Park IL.

Dudgy Seagull - Excellent
cod on Fri. night. Good
shrimp. Very reasonable.

Nightingale Supper Club -
marvelous food. Regular cut
prime rib - HUGE! (Ribs
were delicious) - unique
sauce. Moderate price.

Reservations a must!

Schartner's - food was
great! Prices reasonable.

Friendly staff. Sun. night
was great - no one was there.

2-1-86

Al & Deanne Brummenger
Villa Park, IL
Judy & Warren
Sheridan
Glen Ellyn, IL

(White Lace Inn - we loved
our stay! You have a
beautiful inn with
superb help!)

White Lace Inn -

Absolutely wonderful!
The most charming place
we could ever have
dreamed of for our
honeymoon - we really
loved our room (#8)
and will certainly
come back again. Fireplace
in room in winter
was fantastic!!

Leri & Brian Treuer
Milwaukee, WI
Feb. 15, 1987

2-16-87 Our stay at the White Luce Inn was delightful - such a beautiful home so well cared for and so quiet even when filled with guests. White Gull Inn in Fish Creek was our favorite Restaurants. Reserve space ^{in the morning} at Inn for Fish Bail at night. Nautical Inn on Sunday night was lovely and quiet excellent Door County Chicken. Do go to the Ridges Sanctuary in Baileys Harbor for a lovely walk with nature, no food. Snowwood has a great blacksmith in an old barn.

3-7-87 - I've been drinking a little before writing this so forgive any grammatical errors. Angela & I have fallen in love with Door County, especially the Sturgeon Bay Area over a period of 14 years. We first came here in June 1973 & stopped at the Cherry Bowl to ask where to stay. They said the Bay Shore Inn. We've been staying there at

least 3 weekends a year ever since. It's great, if you like good old cooking & like to fish go on a hike or take pictures.

In 1986, February we stayed here for the first time & came back again this weekend instead of going to Sturgeon or Fluda. The weather is great, about 70°, caught no fish, Willie was closed, Dolly Knapp was out of town.

But we're snowed out so we went to the Nautical for Prime Rib, will go to Bailey's Harbor Yacht Club tomorrow & to Pook's for chili & a sandwich on Sunday Monday -

Sturgeon Bay we love you
Forget Angela
Steward, MI

March 15, 1987

Our weekend could have been disastrous seeing as it was Friday the 13th and the Ides of March all in one weekend. But we ended up having a great time.

Schantz's - great Friday fish fry - Walleye Pike was delicious as well as inexpensive.

Atmosphere is simple with many of the locals but has a charm of its own - right on the lake.

The Pudgy Squall - weird combination for all you can eat - chicken, spaghetti, stuffing, garlic bread but very good all the same.

Nautical Inn - lobster & shrimp very tasty. Nice bar to go to after dinner.

White Face Inn was new experience for both of us. Room #10 was really pretty - fireplace added the right touch. Very friendly atmosphere - feel very welcome.

Mary Jansen & Jim Kubiczek
Milwaukee, WI

March 20, 1987

What a charming, old world atmosphere we both enjoyed during our stay at the White Face Inn. The hospitality shown to us by our hosts and the Victorian setting helped to make this vacation a most memorable experience for both of us. The Inn at Cedar Crossing is a most quaint and picturesque tea room.

Katie Mc Kellip and David Abrahon
Manitowish, WI

3-31-87

Nautical Inn - The atmosphere was romantic, the food was good and reasonable prices. The bar was a great place to watch the NCAA Championship game - Indiana won!

The White Lace Inn has made our 1st year anniversary romantic and memorable. Our room in the Garden House (#6) was made especially cozy with the fireplace. The morning muffins, juice and tea were delicious.

We'll be sure to come back again!

Laurie & Bill Verdun
Woodridge, Ill.

4/4/87

The Nautical Inn is a busy yet quiet and romantic place to visit for a good meal and very pleasant service.

There is a wide variety of food, drinks, appetizers and best of all - desserts! I would definitely recommend this place for dinner.

Ed and Debbie Oudin
Woodridge, Ill.

4-12-87 WHAT A LOVELY OL'
TOWN - CHARMING!! A CHANCE
FOR US CITY FOLKS!!
WE CERTAINLY WILL RETURN
FOR MORE.

Magg & Shaun Near
Dutton Ct.

4.15.87

Our two day visit
at White Face Inn brought
back fond memories of
our honeymoon stay
at the Country Inn at
Princeton, Mass.

A lovely experience
in Door County!

Warm Regards,
Cynthia & Bernie
Surtz, Elk Grove,
Illinois

4-17-87 This is our 2nd
stay at the White Face
Inn. Our 1st stay was
during the winter of '85
and Sturgeon Bay experienced
it's worst snow in the town's
history. Even so, it could
have been more beautiful
or more romantic. If we
were ever snowed in any
where again, my husband
and I would ~~definitely~~
certainly choose the
White Face Inn.

Ellen & Rob Bee
Chicago, Ill.

4/19/87 Dinner at the
Captain's Inn was excellent.
The queen size prime rib
cut was gigantic and
butter soft. The service
was excellent -

Dinner at The Nautical
Inn was also excellent.
The fish dishes were
quite superb!

Dee & Marilyn
Wheeling, IL

5/8/87 We had a wonderful
time at the White Lace Inn.
Our room was just beautiful
and the fireplace, whirlpool
and beautiful music were
all very romantic. We
had fun exploring the
peninsula in the bright

sunshine and had a nice
dinner at the Nautical Inn.
It was a very lovely va-
cation and we'd like to
come back.

Dave & Monica Babcock
P.S. Dr. Glaines, IL

The innkeepers were very
gracious and the muffins
were delicious!

5-9-87

Our brief stay at the Inn was
the perfect getaway! Quiet,
relaxing and beautiful. We
enjoyed our golf courses and the
Nautical Inn for dinner! We'd
be back next time we need a
break!

Sam & Leta
Weston
Winthrop, WI

5/13/87

The little book is meant to be for restaurants
but who can not say something about the
INN. The White Tree is a lovely place
to stay. The area is lovely and scenic.

The restaurants we went to were 1)
Chartner's: food good, service good
and atmosphere honey and relaxed.

2) Nautical Inn: food delicious 3)
service unhurried and efficient.

Not recommend for people in a
hurry. Sub back to the Inn, quiet
pleasant, peaceful and an experience
in itself. We are glad we came
here and plan to return -- thanks
to our host & hostess.

Bob Jenkins
Don Jenkins
Springfield MO

5/16/87

White Bull Inn Fish Boil is
a "must do" in Wood County.
Lots of fun watching the cook -
excellent food & the cook
plays the accordion while
you eat. Go early & bring
your camera.

We've enjoyed the Inn so
very much. (The muffins
were yummy!) We're already
planning our next visit.

Everyone was so friendly
especially the "Head Innkeeper" -
Dassafraas!

John & Janice Kaddatz
Bettendorf, Iowa

5-24-87

The White Pine Inn

Beautiful Room "B"!
Very clean & warm. An exceptional
place with such a warm
atmosphere! We enjoyed every
minute and look forward to
coming back.

Bay Shore Inn 4305 Bay Shore Dr
Saugerties, NY

Very Good Sunday

Breakfast! If you go there you
must walk around the grounds!

Very Pretty

Wilson's Ice Cream Parlor (In Ephraim)

A Must!

Best Mary Jane
Doughnuts



5-24-87

Nautical Inn.

A lovely place to have
dinner. Excellent & friendly
service along with great
food. Very relaxing
atmosphere & tropical
drinks were very good
also.

Brian G. Vayle
Roselle, Illinois

"The Renaissance Inn" (Sister Bay
or Maple St.)

Very warm & friendly.

Good food & service! A must
see!



5-25-87

Schantneros on the Shore:

Great food, excellent portions, friendly service. I must say for those who visit Sturgeon Bay. Willie (the owner) is very energetic & goes out of his way to make it fun, enjoyable dining experience & highly recommend it.

Brian C. Hayes
Roselle, Illinois

6/4/87

The NORDIC INN

Great food + Excellent Service! Light dinners 'till 5:30 and Gourmet meals most of the time!

A GREAT STIR FRY!

Excellent Cheese Cake!

Between Ephraim and Sister Bay (on 42)

P.S. TRY THE SPICY STIR FRY

Martha + Douglas Kueser
Milw Wis!

The Nautical Inn was a glorified chain-type restaurant - rice, but standard, competent.

Al Johnson's is great if you go for Scandinavian fare. Fish boils are fun to watch & wonderful to eat.

Charlie + Linda
6/9/87

6/11/87 White Gull Inn (Fish Creek)

A relaxing atmosphere & candlelight dinner. The food is fresh & cooked perfectly. The cherry pie is terrific! Country charm & reasonable prices.

Wes + Susan Adams
Tampa, FL

The Summertime Inn (Fish Creek)

This has a very relaxing atmosphere and the meals were very good plus the service & helpful personell were far more than any one could ever have expected.

White Lace Inn:

This was by far the best place I have ever had the pleasure to stay in, the fact is it is just like stepping back in time.

Plus the Bran muffins are the best I have ever tasted.

Mary Burbatt
Chicago, Illinois

Great steaks at C & C Supper Club.
Old Mill Inn is just so-so.
Fisherman's table in Sturgeon
Bay has great, quick,
impressive meals. DB.

Carroll House 6/18/87

This little roadside
grill (just south of Sister
Bay) is a great stop for
a quick meal - that tastes
home made. Wonderful
burgers, sandwiches and the
cherry crisp is fabulous!

Nautical Inn 6/17/87

Excellent food (varied menu)
well prepared and served by
friendly people. Don't miss
the tropical and/or 'ice
cream' drinks, superb!

Tom & Dolores Bantel
Midlothian, IL.

Nautical Inn 6/20/87

Great food & service. The atmosphere was very nice, cozy and romantic. And, just a brief mention about the White Lace Inn. We had a delightful stay in a lovely room. Thanks to the host & hostess for a memorable stay.

Jackie & Bob Maag
Downers Grove, Ill.

Nautical Inn 6-20-87

The fish boil was an interesting experience! The food was very good but the service was very slow.

Ralph & Linda Sherman

6-19-87 Sailing Harbor Yacht Club
Excellent Prime Seafood Buffet.
Beautiful atmosphere & relaxing
music prior to dinner, com-
bined with food makes one want
to return again!

6-20-87 Nautical Inn. "2
of us had the "fish boil"
& 2 had steak" (one
tenderloin & one "Capri
prime rib"). All excellent.
A handsome young waiter
served us well.

We found the White Lace Inn
most interesting. The quietness
was refreshing in light
of today's busy world!
Laird, Betty, Cotton
Hayre, LaVonne, Latta
& Motoma, Thi.

The Nautical Inn: Good Lake
Creek, ate there twice and
both times the food was delicious!
We highly recommend it! A nice
walk from the White Face Inn!
Pelletiers Fish Boil; Fish Creek.

Great Fish Boil @ Pelletiers!
Nice, friendly service. Try it!
Paul & Jan Murawski
Chicago, IL

June 27, 1987

Had supper at the
Nautical Inn - Veal Piccata was
delicious and the service was
good - yesterday ate lunch
at the Inn at Lakeside had the
salad recipe it was excellent
Service was great,

Lonnie Smart Arkington Texas

The Nautical Inn - great
atmosphere & service was
very nice! We liked the
food & atmosphere.

The Glidden Lodge - absolutely
beautiful atmosphere! The
food - Chicken breast - home
made rolls & home made
salad dressing was delicious!
(I recommend the hot bacon
dressing). Great service!

The Cookery - at Fish Creek.
The food is the best I have
ever eaten - all breads,
desserts come fresh from their
own bakery, & they are
"mouth-watering." Home town
service! Ruyel & Betty Rupp
Alvin, Texas

7.1.87

White Sull Inn ^{FISH CREEK} - A must Door Co.
experience. The best Fish Boil
available - good selection
of imported & domestic beers.
Experience is a visual as well as
gustatory treat. Ambiance - rustic,
accordion player Russ is perfect
touch. Service great & friendly.
Watch your evenings only offered
three times weekly. Other evenings
"candlelight dinners" looked
promising.

Bay Shore Inn - SURGEON BAY

Dining on the pretty porch with
linen tablecloths etc. overlooking the
bay at sunset was nice. Service
attentive. Generous portions of food.
Good homemade bread, chowder
excellent. Steak & stuffed pork chops
entrees - overdone & tough. Nice
(Disappointed based on other comments)

Nice walk along the beach afterwards.
Bring your own wine - no alcohol served.

Blue Ox - Bailey Harbor
Bar food -

Cookery - FISH CREEK

Wonderful for lunch - delicious
homemade breads & desserts.
Whitefish chowder excellent food
carefully & tastefully prepared
with a gourmet touch. Reasonably
priced - no alcohol

Hotel Du Nord - Sister Bay

"Modern rustic" atmosphere, great view
of bay at sunset. Exquisite dining
(but can dress casually) Food
deliciously prepared - if you appreciate
gourmet dining you'll love it. Wine
list - varied - prices very reasonable
(dinner for two with wine \$55)

RON + TISH
ST. LOUIS

7/1/87 The C&C Club in Fish Creek was great! Great service, food (Lentor chicken + ~~toft~~ beef brochette!) - terrific lounge entertainment, too. Also enjoyed the Pudgey Seagull in Sturgeon Bay for a sub sandwich and comfortable atmosphere. Nice lunch in Beacon Inn (Bailey's Harbor) - nice & airy. Excellent home-made pie at "Summertime" in Fish Creek - sit up in the Toft if you have a small order.

Our stay at the White Lace Inn was wonderful! We enjoyed our cozy room, the friendly service, hot muffins, and especially that Scandinavian fruit soup!

Marge Querio &
Bill Telf
Sturgeon Bay, WI

7-11-87

Walking & driving in Door County gave us a lot of pleasure. The landscape is unusual, to say the least.

Sturgeon Bay is a nice town to stroll around, too, filled with flowers everywhere.

Weren't we lucky to stay at this pretty place, White Lace Inn, where people & things make our visit pleasant.

Lou & Tom Thompson
Duluth, Minnesota

7/12/87 ^{Fishcreek} The Cookery: We enjoyed
a filling & flavorful dinner.
Good desserts! Good selection - hard to decide
on one dinner.

The Cookery Deli: A MUST
for a picnic lunch in one of
the parks. Delicious gourmet
sandwiches!

Blue Ox - Bailey Harbor: A local
bar - but great hamburgers for
\$2.75.

The Nautical Inn: Good meal.

Ameretto Mousse Pie!!!!

Steven & Jonelle Resniak
Oak Park, IL

Nautical Inn - A Food
Epharm - Colquhoun
Inn "Fish Bait"
Great!

Bailey Harbor Taylor
Club "Bunch"
Super!

We had a
ball at the
"White Face Inn"
will be back!

Try the Washburn
House - Room A.
Romantic!

7/15/87 White Lace Inn - Perfect.
Our rooms (#3 & 6) were wonderful;
Your hospitality, generous. I've
dreamed of owning a home furnished
with antiques and "old fashion" decor.
Seeing your beautiful Inn, I know
it can be done.

We ate at the White Gull Inn &
Al Johnson's place for lunch - good
food; and ate at Bailey's ~~today~~
Yacht Club for dinner - good food
and plenty of it for the price and
good company. A couple who were
met here at the White Lace
joined us.

We enjoyed our stay here at the
White Lace Inn & all of Door
County.

Thanks for everything. I'll be back.
Audrey Clisemann
St. Paul, Minnesota ☺

7/15/87 The people here at the Inn
~~at~~ ^{and} in Door County are very friendly
and helpful.

It's nice to know there are
places you can go that make
you feel at home. Breakfast
was delicious and plentiful.
~~and~~ ~~to~~ Hope to make it back
here to try some of the other rooms
here at the Inn.

Thanks.

Mary Ellen Clisemann
St. Paul, Minn.

July 15, 1987 - our stay at
White lace Inn (the Washburn
house - room A!) was lovely.
Everyone was friendly &
helpful & the flower gardens
are beautiful. This area
reminds us of home (originally)
- Eastern Long Island.

We ate at Al Johnson's
restaurant. The gift shops
are wonderful but we
were disappointed due to
the lack of Swedish
foods - potato sausage,
lutefisk. Its also hard to
eat someone else's Swedish
meatballs when your mom
makes them better. But it
was clean, friendly & the
portions were large! And now
we can say we ate in a
restaurant w/ grass & goats on the

roof! Thanks for a nice stay.
Tom & Dawn Anderson
Roselle, IL 60172

July 16, 1987

We had a lovely stay. We
thank you for your conversation
and company! We ate at the
Gravel House for waffles - great!
We also ate at the Glidden Lodge -
what a beautiful setting! The
food was also good!

The Bay Side Inn has a
fantastic view that is really fun -
the setting & food are a
wonderful combination.

Nancy & Jerry Heidman
Cincinnati, Ohio

July 16, 1987 - you fulfilled my
dream of staying in a Bed &
Breakfast. It was great!
We loved the Blue Iris Cafe
your area is a joy to visit.
We loved it.

Rich + Betty King
Miami, OK. 64358

7/21/87

Bay Shore Inn Fish Boil:

Food was very good.

Picnic like setting on
picnic tables near the
water. The boil itself
not as spectacular
as I expected. No one
to give history &
anecdotes as others do.

~~Our~~

Our room was
wonderful in the

Washburn house -
Best night's sleep ever!
Thank -

Marge + Steven
Madison, WI

Bailey's Harbor Yacht Club

We highly recommend
this restaurant. Excellent location,
ambiance, courteous, knowledgeable
staff; the Cajun Catfish was
out of this world and the
Express Gato was exquisitely
prepared. Even the coffee
was so exceptional we
bought a can to take home!
Finally the price was
very reasonable.

Jim and Nina Trindl
Net. Vernon, ILL

The Blue Iris,

Period furniture gives old, but homey feel with a touch of wholesome romance. The service was very congenial and prompt. We told our waitress we were on a time restriction, due to an 8:30 theatre program we were going to. She put our order on rush, without a lot of fuss. Only drawback was the open area - sound travels and echoes. Overall, though a nice place.

Greg and Vicki Kulp
Mt. Prospect, Ill.
7-29-87

Gay Shore Inn

Good food, large servings, and excellent service. Very charming atmosphere.

Fisherman's Table.

Bad atmosphere, slow service, but the food was good, with very large portions.

Karen and Jeff Nelson
PeKalb, Ill.

8-4-87

Not impressed with the Nautical Inn. Terrible service ~ food alright. It was not as elegant as we expected. If you want something really formal try...

{ Hotel de Nord
The English Inn
Landmark
Daily's Harbor Yacht Club
Had a wonderful stay here at the White Gull Inn!

Kurt & Lynn Worden
Aug 3, 1987

8/6/87

GLIDDEN LODGE - VERY COZY PLACE AND AN EXCELLENT MEAL. THE LODGE REMINDED US A LITTLE OF PLACES IN NORTHERN CALIFORNIA -- WITH A VIEW OF LAKE MICH. INSTEAD OF THE PACIFIC. AS FOR FOOD, THE PORK CHOPS WERE TENDER & THE CHERRY PIE WAS DELICIOUS.

WE STAYED FOR THE SHOW BY THE NEW AGE VAUDEVILLE TROUP. VERY FRANTIC, MORE MISSES THAN HITS. SEE A GOOD MOVIE INSTEAD.

S. BRADDON & C. BEST
HAMDEN, CONNECTICUT

8/5/87

For a wonderful evening, try dinner at the White Gull Inn and get tickets (in advance) for the Peninsula Music Festival / Peninsula Players both in Fish Creek.

Paul Murphy
Richland Center, WI

8/7/87

We both really liked
Lalle's Sea Food (Renaissance
Inn) Very pretty & cozy dining
room and the food was
excellent. Try the Cajun
dishes.

How far two extremes - when
you want to splurge, Bailey's
Harbor Yacht Club offers a
large gourmet menu and an
elegant room w/ good service.
Save it for a special night.

On the other hand, if you're
tired of "cuisine" Wilson's Ice
Cream Parlor in Ephraim is
lots of fun. Sit outside to
watch people or inside to
enjoy the nostalgia (I'm sure it
looked this way in the 50's)

Great hamburgers, onion
ring, malts (the old time kind),
& ice cream!!

Paul & Louise Hughes
Richland Center WI

8/9/87

We spent a week
in Door Co. and ate
at lots of restaurants -
just about all of them
very good. A sampling:

Lunches: Summertime in
Fish Creek - good sand-
wiches but our service
was pretty lousy.

Door Deli in Sister
Bay - huge sandwiches
& great soup - very
reasonable. The Cookery
in Fish Creek - delicious
food & soups. Cupola
Deli - huge delicious
sandwiches, etc.

(Think it's in Egg Harbor)
Bailey's Harbor Yacht
Club - very elegant -

They also have dinner but we didn't eat there. Excellent Prime Rib.

Dinners: Andrus in Sturgeon Bay. Casual but nice atmosphere & good food. Blue Iris in Egg Harbor - delicious food, very pretty inside & friendly service.

Bay Shore Inn -

Sturgeon Bay - we had their chicken dinner on Sat which was "okay" - kinda expensive for what you get but you can have seconds. They don't serve any

alcohol but welcome you to bring your own & provide you with setups. Old Stage Station - good pizza (in Egg Harbor) we took it out.

Gladden Lodge in Sturgeon Bay - very scenic, nice atmosphere excellent food but the Comedy Cabaret show in the bar left much to be desired and is not worth \$7.00. Bayside Tavern in Fish Creek - we stopped for sandwiches there - I'm not much on hamburgers but theirs was the best!

Schattaus on the Shore
Sturgeon Bay - delicious
food but crowded &
cheerful place.

Commodore Inn - ^{Sturgeon Bay}
pretty view of the
harbor - good food.
White Lake Inn -

Great service, the
widest selection of
tea anywhere -
delicious muffins!
(demand the ice cream
ones!) and real
friendly people.

We had the best
time here - couldn't
have thought of a
better way to
celebrate our tenth

anniversary! Bill
has decided to change
his occupation to
official Door County
tour guide and
advisor!

Hope to visit you
again!
Ginda & Bill Wash

22 AUGUST 87

HOTEL DU NORD

BLACKENED WHITEFISH WAS A REAL
TREAT! PAPRIKA BASE w/ PEPPER
COATING & PREPARED w/ A DILL SAUCE.
WILD RICE & GLAZED CARROTS.

KURT HAD THE NY STRIP STEAK -
SAID IT WAS TENDER & TASTY.

ROOM C WHITE LACE INN - THE MUSIC
(Meunier) was wonderful, the (4) towels
(extra absorbent) only added to the
whirlpool bath. What a great way to spend
our 8th ANNIVERSARY. Thanks, MARY MARCANTÉ.

8-22-87

Checking out today after our week-long honeymoon at the White Lace Inn. The perfect honeymoon spot... old world charm and old world manners.

Delicious breakfast at the White Gull Inn at Fish Creek. Highly recommend dinner at the Hotel du Nord -- food is delicious and the atmosphere is elegant.

We hate to go home and thanks to our hosts for a lovely stay.

David & Barbara Ochoa

8-24-87

Nautical Inn:

This was our 2nd time we have been here to eat, only this time we got to watch how the fish boil is done. Really was something to see! The food was very tasty!

Dorco County is such an interesting place to come, lots of things to see & do.

White Lace Inn has such a warm & friendly atmosphere, also very clean.

Richard & Marilyn Hout
Chicago City, MN.

"

P.S. - Our first time, very good & different for us -

Billie & Bob Lopes
Turlock, California

We have found that there are numerous diners and cafes in the Sturgeon Bay area for those people wanting a good meal without a giant check. i.e. Fawn's Diner, Fisherman's Table, Country Kitchen.

Rob AND Liz Dolce
Downers Grove, IL



PS The Inn was a beautiful place to start a honeymoon. The state parks in the area are fantastic!

28 August 1987

The Renaissance Inn

A lovely restaurant with delicious Cajun-style food - wonderful seafood gumbo, blackened red snapper + mouth-watering rolls. Intimate setting with lace curtains (ask for the room with the windows)

and only about 20 seats in the room. Afterwards we watched the sunset on the small, sandy "beach." A romantic evening! (But be prepared for a 40-minute or so ^{dishes} back to the White Lace Inn.)

GOLDEN LODGE

A BEAUTIFULLY RUSTIC SORT OF PLACE, STONE BUILDING WITH BIG BEAMS, ETC. FOOD WAS SO-SO TO GOOD, BUT THE ATMOSPHERE WAS WONDERFUL! TRY TO SIT OVERLOOKING LAKE MICHIGAN, BARELY TEN FEET OUTSIDE THE WINDOW. LOVELY DRIVE TO AND FROM ALSO, THROUGH A NORTH-WOODS SETTING.

Melinda Hope + Bill Homer
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

P.S. A little more expensive than other places - worth it! P.S.S. Make reservations!!

8-30-87

Glidden Lodge ⇒ excellent for atmosphere, great view of lake, also the seafood platter was good though expensive

The Renaissance ⇒ excellent (cajun) food, good atmosphere. Portions are not very generous.

The Cookery ⇒ Great for lunch

Grandmas Place ⇒ Cute atmosphere,

pretty good breakfast

The Iris ⇒ ~~Quaint~~ atmosphere,

pretty good food

The Nightingale ⇒ go here if you enjoy great prime rib

Feb + March
Chicago

9-1-87

We had a wonderfully relaxing time at the White Lake Inn & want to add our comments on a few area restaurants:

We were very disappointed in the White Birch Inn - Construction work was going on - but more important the food was barely mediocre. Who ever heard of spare ribs off the bone? On the other hand, both the Barley Harbor Yacht Club where we had lunch & the Edgewater (in Ephraim) where we ~~sampled~~ experienced the fish boil were terrific. Good food & setting - well worth the trip.

Patti Smith
Arnold Johnson

Kortes English Inn has a
great Sunday Brunch. Lovely
atmosphere as well.

Barry Harbor yacht club was
a great dining experience.

Nautical Inn - Unfriendly &
food was only so-so.

White Lake Inn - A charming
and friendly place. Hope to
be back soon. Debby Simon
Chicago 9/9/87

9/14/87

Once again, a most pleasant
visit. We always get what
we come here for - relaxation.

We highly recommend the
Blue Iris for anyone who enjoys
the ambience and decor of the
White Lake. ~~Love~~ Service was
excellent and the food was both

generous and delicious. Andres
offered good food, reasonable prices,
and a small town atmosphere -
very casual.

We look forward to our return.

Jim & Kathy McElroy
Antioch, Ill.

9/24/87

White Lake Inn was a delight!
charming, relaxing & good company
Nightingales - good Prime Rib sandwich
Andres - small, cozy, good food.
Thank you Justine for the wonderful
service - can't wait to return!

Al & Marie Brooks
Madison, WI

10/5/87 Schartner's - everything was excellent. The service was very good, polite, fast. The food was great, we had New York strip and seafood and enjoyed every mouthful. They also add a very special touch of homemade muffins and homemade preserves with your dinner, we had rubarb preserves and have never tasted anything like it before. We will definitely go back again.

Dan & Sue Frey
Brookfield, WI

10/10/87 The Cookery ^{Fish Creek} - excellent, filling; well-prepared food - the homemade soups were wonderful! We went for dinner, which was reasonably priced; and I understand it's a great lunch spot also. Leave room for desert - they are delicious. Cherry cobbler (crunch!) was exceptional. The White Bull Inn - reservations

far in advance a MUST, especially on this festival weekend. We were lucky and filled a cancellation spot for the Friday night Fish Boil. Dennis & Bonnie also recommend The Village Cafe in Egg Harbour and The Bay Shore Inn in Sturgeon Bay for other good fish boils. It is truly an experience to watch the preparation and the finished product was excellent & white, flaky, very mild! Be careful of the bones - the waitresses will gladly help you to remove them. A charming inn and lovely atmosphere! Shoreline Restaurant - Bills Lake we stopped for a quick lunch - hearty homemade soups & muffins hit the spot. On this cold, dusky day! Beautiful view of Green Bay. Nancy Trippanham
Poland, Ohio

10-11-87 - LANDMARK INN POST

Given the mixed opinions concerning the Landmark Inn restaurant, Dave and I vote a positive "thumbs up"!!!

Our wonderful dining experience included a very competent, courteous waitress (Patricia); excellent meals (steak & shrimp, and chicken conchita plus, plus a delicious nutmeg dessert), and, of course, a breath-taking view.

In conclusion, in our opinion, the Landmark Inn menu should be made available to all guests of the White House. Nancy & Dave Beckman
Kenosha, Wisconsin

10-11-87 POOH'S CORNER PUB
STURGEON BAY

I'VE ALWAYS LOVED THE SMELL OF A GOOD NEIGHBORHOOD SALOON. THE BEER IS ICE COLD, THE BURGERS ARE DELICIOUS AND THEY DON'T SELL ANY CHRISTMAS STUFF THERE.

DICK & JIM

DOWNERS GROVE, IL

WALK 2 BLOCKS SOUTH 2 BLOCK WEST OF THE INN

P.S. JOANNE & SANDY ARE AT THE PING PONG BALL DROP.

October 12, 1987

Andre's (Sturgeon Bay)

Noticed that there were no comments as yet for this very nice restaurant here in S.B. Very reasonable prices, excellent service and good food. The dining room is simple but very charming, and there's a nice bar room, too.

Joe & Mary Bricher Smith

Des Moines, IA

P.S. Our third trip here to the Whiteface (and to Door County), and just as relaxing as ever.

10-22-87

The Landmark. An excellent dinner fare served by friendly, efficient servers. I enjoyed veal oscar, veal, crabmeat and asparagus covered in a mild, yellow cheese sauce. Jeff had the BIGGEST 13oz cut of prime rib either of us have ever seen. The meal was accompanied by a relish tray, fresh bread and choice of potatoe or rice. The view is breath-taking. Make sure to get there early enough to enjoy it! Prices were a little higher than the average restaurant, but worth it!

Barb + Jeff Sharp

10-28-87

We arrived here at the 'Whiteface Inn' a couple of days ago. We got married yesterday, so this was to be a 'honeymoon' the first night we dined at O.C. Supper Club. I had the shrimp. It was so delicious it melted in your mouth. Greg had the steak. The prices were reasonable, the salad bar quite extensive & excellent. A little ~~lacking~~ ^{lacking} on the atmosphere, but still very nice. Last night for our wedding dinner it was 'The Landmark'. The prices were a bit high, but the atmosphere & food were good. Tonight we're trying the fish boil at The White Gull. Our stay at 'The Whiteface'.

5. The fish bowl was different
someone who enjoys picking bones
out of their fish would appreciate
it!

has been wonderful. I
fell in love with the
Main house, its decor &
furnishings. So did Greg.
Our room (room #1) in
the Washburn house was
lovely. We really enjoyed
the fireplace & whirlpool.
(Plenty of room for 2!) The
brass canopy bed was
excellent & the lace
all over the room was
beautiful. The lace pattern
tile in the bathroom was
really pretty. We will
definitely return to
stay here for future
anniversaries. Door County
is nice, but coming so
late in the year, a lot of
places were closed, but
we still had a very enjoyable
stay.
Linda & Greg Sneath

10-31-87 Halloween Weekend - in
Fish Creek they had a haunted house
and a haunted train at Trumbull
Amusement Center. Not too bad, even
two adults could enjoy themselves.

Dinner was at The C.C. supper club.
Just excellent; Glenn had the shark
and I had the tenderloin terrycake
and we ordered 2 bottles of wine
cost was under 35⁰⁰! Dim lighting
excellent service. We were lucky
enough to stay in two separate rooms
#4 & #6; both were very nice although
#6 was our preference. Dennis &
Bonnie did everything they could to
make our stay enjoyable. Hot chocolate
in the late evening, buckets of ice for
romantic candle-light escapades in
your room. The fruit cup soup for
breakfast was very tasty, so were
the bran and pumpkin muffins -
in season - we leave tomorrow, but hope
to return soon. Thanks so much -

Thine & Marie's
through Dore II

11-3-87 → What a wonderful way to spend part of our honeymoon ... a romantic (+ quiet) evening at The White Lace Inn ... + dinner at The White Gull Inn. Both had the best atmosphere. They made you feel like you were in some other time + place. We hope to return for both!

Nancy + Tim LeShult

11/8/87 Bailey Harbor Yacht Club. Very Poor - Had I not made reservations a week in advance I would have avoided the area. Service was better at the last McDonalds or should I say George Webb's.

11/13/87 We had dinner at the Nauticed tonight and it was delicious. Never know if you should go out on Fri. the 13th but it was worth it.

At Andie's on Wed. we had spaghetti + meatballs. Excellent! We've enjoyed our visit at the "White Lace Inn" very much. Very Relaxing.
Dick + Cindy Colburn

11/15/87

Check out time. ☹️. But will be back. The food was the only drawback to our romantic get-a-way. Last night Bailey Harbor Yacht Club was such a letdown. Dry prime rib, over the hill tomatoes, overcooked Ronlader, dirty wine glass and

all very expensive, But
the Torke coffee was great
and we will try the
dining room again in
season. Our best meal
was Thursday night ribs
at Shantner's. But then
we didn't come for the
food!

ahhhhh

Ron + Frida Thornley
Marquette, Michigan

The Nautical Inn

Being a chef, I tend to
be very picky about the
food I get at restaurants.
My wife and I ate at
the Nautical both nights we
stayed here, the stuffed

mushroom caps were terrific,
we had them both nights.
I was a little disappointed
with the veal oscar because
of the fake crabmeat,
but the bressisse was fantastic.
The 2nd night we had a fillet
and cajun shrimp, which were
both very tasty. The atmosphere
is also very nice, the bar
and bartender were also
super, and I would recommend
this restaurant.

Alex + Jennifer Hestley

11/28/87

Fish boil at White Gull Inn
was very good and fun too
however, if you don't like
fish you won't like it.

Phil Galun
Ottawa, WI

11/29/87

Andre's

Good, simple food! Excellent value in mighty specials; Clean, well-run. Newly opened (6 months), but I expect to see big growth in clientele there by our next Door County visit.

We absolutely love the "White Lace Inn."

Nadine & Fred Cahn

Ottawa, WI

Nautical Inn -

12/5/87

Great atmosphere for a quiet intimate dinner excellent service and great food.

Powell's County Inn - Fish Creek

Great ribs and the best pizza north of Chicago.

Casual but still nice enough for a quiet dinner.

Jazzy Band on Weekends.

Bayshore - Fish Creek - Tavern
Pub type atmosphere excellent burgers. Great for lunch or dinner.

Pidgeley Tavern - Bailey Harbor?
Another Pub-type atmosphere with great chilli and good sandwiches - Fresh baked rolls for sandwiches
Great for lunch

The White Lace Inn - a great place to spend a December Honeymoon

Ray: Janet Stachula
Schauamburg Illinois

"The White Gull Inn"

Excellent fish boil! Prices were very reasonable.

Atmosphere was charming. We came to Door County on our honeymoon, and we are very happy we spent it in the "White Gull Inn". We can't wait to return!

Michele and John Bomke
Chicago, Illinois

4/87 Schartner's - good food, fine service, friendly people at a good price. White Gull Inn made our Christmas dream come true! Hope to return soon!

J. Clew. Chicago

12-21-87

Another pleasant anniversary weekend! We ate at the Nautical Inn again - the Veal Oscar is wonderful and the service is very friendly; would highly recommend going. Casual or dressy attire seems acceptable and the dining areas cozy.

Tom and Patti Healy
Buffalo Grove, IL

1-1-88

When we received the brochure in the mail, we both knew we wanted Room #7 in the Garden House. What a beautiful and romantic corner of the world to spend the last days of 1987!

We'll be back - for the fish boil at White Gull Inn, cross-country skiing in Peninsula State Park, and New Year's Eve at the White Birch Inn (Nashville North) - but only if Richard and Shaun are there again

Renaissance Inn, Sister Bay

The service and ambience was excellent. The food was good too, if you like cajun spices. A perfect romantic setting. Reservations a must.

Hiro & Barb Satch, Skokie, Ill
Jan. 17, 1987

Nautical Inn -

Very nice atmosphere with fireplace + soft lighting. For a taste of heaven, try the baked stuffed shrimp, pricey, but worth it.

Bruce & Ciri Stocker 1-21-87

Bailey's Harbor Yacht Club

Nice atmosphere, friendly service, excellent prime rib and steak Diane prepared tableside by Chef Willy. Try the chocolate chocolate cake for dessert.

Schartner's

Different atmosphere than Yacht Club - totally casual but excellent food just the same. Delicious broasted chicken and stuffed pork chops. Very

Large portions. Friendly service.

Cookery

A must for lunch!
Unbelievable sandwiches and desserts (homemade).
Try the toll house cookie pie and one of the open faced sandwiches with mushroom sauce.
Also, they brew a specialty coffee daily - we had mocha. It was delicious!

White Lace Inn

Room No 11 - Garden House - Perfect!!
Cozy and beautifully decorated. We loved our

stay!

Gregory + Suzanne Poulos
Chicago, IL
1/26/87

Schantz's

Very casual country setting.
~~Food~~ Food OK. but not spectacular. Reasonable prices. Friendly atmosphere. Hope they turn the air conditioner ^{on} soon.

Bailey's Harbour Restaurant

Yacht Club
Very good food & nice atmosphere. Nice bar area. Good service. Reasonable prices for quality of food.

The English Inn, Fish Creek

Romantic atmosphere with table side cooking. Food OK, not really good.