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## The Great Irish Tour

Join our man on a bicycle as he circles the Emerald Isle, following the poets and tasting cocktails imbued with the flavours of fourteen counties along the way.

Fleeing the liquorice malts of Dublin for the botanicals of Wicklow, he discovers the strawberry fields of Wexford, the buttery pastures of Kerry, the moss of Mayo, the dulce of Sligo and before returning half cut to the land of Joyce and Wilde with the salty tang of Donegal on his tongue, the apple orchards of Armagh.



Every life is in many days, day after day. We walk through ourselves, meeting robbers, ghosts, giants, old men, young men, wives, widows, brothers-in-love, but always meeting ourselves.

*Ulysses*  
James Joyce



## Finnegan

Creamy stout and liquorice marry triple distilled Irish whiskey and perfectly capture the bright, smoky malt scent of Dublin

*Redbreast 12 Year Old Whiskey*

*Spiced Guinness*

*Cadelo*

*Liquorice*

£16



The reeds are dancing by Coolaney lake,  
And I would like to dance until the reeds  
And the loud wind, the white wave on  
the shore, And all the stars have danced  
themselves to sleep.

*The Land of Heart's Desire*  
WB Yeats

## Land of Heart's Desire

Coastal umami flavours of dulce  
and oyster float above a peaty malt  
while crisp white vermouth gives a  
maritime fruitiness

*Talisker 10-Year-Old Whiskey*

*Oyster Leaf*

*Mancino Vermouth Secco*

*Dry Curaçao*

*White Penja Pepper*

**£16**

There was an Old Man with a beard,  
Who said, 'It is just as I feared!  
Two Owls and a Hen,  
Four Larks and a Wren,  
Have all built their nests in my beard!'

*A Book of Nonsense*  
Edward Lear



## Botanica

A botanical bouquet of blue mallow flowers, sweet berry, dry juniper, and the zest of cinchona

*Monkey 47 Gin*

*Chinotto Nero*

*Lychee & Goji Tea Soda*

*Meadowsweet Tincture*

£16

GALWAY

## 14 Tribes

A powerful partnering of Irish spirits that would brace even the salty tribes of Western Ireland

*Ballyhoo Irish Whiskey*

*Bee Pollen*

*Boatyard Old Tom Gin*

*Irish Malt Soda*

£16



Athy, Blake, Burke, Bodkin, Browne, Deane, Darcy, Lynch.  
Joyce, Kirwan, Martin, Morris, Skerett and French.

*The Fourteen tribes of Galway*

WEXFORD

## Strawberry Blonde

A uniquely complex carousel of ripe strawberries with aromatic notes of bergamot, lavender, camomile and lemon balm

*Italicus Rosolio di Bergamoto*

*Savoia Americano*

*Strawberry Sparkling Wine*

£16

We are strawberry pickers, each  
woman and man  
We are traveller, and caravan.

*We are...Wexford*  
Michael Fortune





## Northern Lights

Like the *Aurora Borealis* which flares across Malin Head, sweet, salt and umami flavours are spiked with bright green cardamom

*Malfy Gin*

*Green Cardamom*

*Seaweed*

*Cocchi Extra Dry Vermouth*

**£16**

Titeann bréithre na teangan domhanda seo  
chun talaimh ceann ar cheann  
ina néalta bána is uathne  
ar nós cuirtíní.

This earthly tongue's syllables  
are grounded once, again  
and then again, rumbling in dark clouds,  
bright, then green, like closing curtains.

*An Chaor Aduaidh / Northern Lights*  
Nuala Ní Dhomhnaill

In lieu of history classes we learned legends of warriors,  
fierce fighting Fianna we were sure lived in our blood.

*Neart ár ngéag*

We waved ash branches for swords,  
flew down hills on steeds with wheels,  
foraged berries, scaring magpies with screams,  
cleared the stream in one leap – this was our land.

*Tír na nÓg*

Alice Kinsella



## Warrior King

A blend of bitter-sweet oranges,  
spices, roots and aromatic herbs as  
uncompromising as the land of the  
legendary warrior Cú Chulainn

*Amaro Santoni*

*Blood Orange*

*Apricot Vermouth*

*Orange Blossom*

£16



Though we live in a world that dreams of ending  
that always seems about to give in  
something that will not acknowledge conclusion  
insists that we forever begin

*Begin*  
Brendan Kennelly

## King Puck

As creamy as Kerry's lush pasture,  
this cocktail has a decadent  
richness with nuts, butter and hints  
of sour cherries and spice

*Santiago de Cuba 11-Year-Old Rum*

*Peanut Butter*

*Orgeat*

*Hazelnut*

*Chocolate*

*Cherry*

*Cashew Milk*

**£16**

MAYO

## Emerald Mariner

The scent of Carageen Moss,  
meadowsweet, red clover and vetch  
from bog and hedgerows alive with  
the tang of the Wild Atlantic Way

*Chivas Gold XV Whisky*

*Supasawa*

*LE Peach & Jasmine Soda*

*Irish Moss Tincture*

£16



A man who is not afraid of the sea will soon be  
drowned, he said, for he will be going out on a  
day he shouldn't. But we do be afraid of the sea,  
and we do only be drowned now and again.

*The Aran Islands*  
J M Synge



And so I said, "The mountain glen  
I'll seek at morning early  
And join the brave united men"  
'While soft wind shook the barley

*The Wind That Shakes the Barley*  
Robert Dwyer Joyce

## Rebel March

A slightly sweet peaty whiskey with a peppery bite, combines with the robust, aromatic scents of mandarin and orange blossom

*Johnnie Walker Blue Label Whiskey*

*GIO Irish Formula*

*Neroli Hydrosol*

**£35**



What you think is the point is not the point at all but only the beginning of the sharpness.

*The Third Policeman*  
Flann O'Brien

## Tipsy Yellaman

An exploration of seemingly contradictory flavours of sherry and honey, baked fruits, clove, and spiked peachy pastry

*Ciroc Vodka*

*Riesling Cordial*

*Peach Nonino Grappa*

*White Verjuice*

*Yellowman*

£16

LEITRIM

## Summer's Blood

Sweet, dry, fruity, fragrant and lip-puckeringly tart like the bountiful wild cherries from the ancient hills of Leitrim

*Chase Gin*

*Coconut*

*Beetroot Wine*

*Lemon*

*Wild Cherry Ratafia*

**£16**



You ate that first one and its flesh was sweet  
Like thickened wine: summer's blood was in it  
Leaving stains upon the tongue and lust for  
Picking..

*Blackberry Picking*  
Seamus Heaney

"Now I invented it (Irish coffee) in the old days when the flyin' boats were coming to Foynes in Ireland. They were havin' a celebration like for the new lines and they wanted a drink with a warm glow in it. There's some say that I put whiskey in it to take away the taste of the horrible Irish coffee. But that's not true. It was a drink I took every morning for my hangover. ...I drank it black. But with all vice presidents and the big people comin' to Foynes for the celebrations, I floated the cream on top for the taste and the looks of it...it's odd to think it all came out of my hangover."

*The Bakersfield Californian, 1955  
interview with Jim Sheridan, chef at  
Foynes (now Shannon) airport*



## Sheridan

Based on the original Irish coffee, acidic floral flavours are expertly balanced with Manuka honey and a rich, biscuity cream

*The Busker Pot Still Irish Whiskey*

*Dandelion Coffee*

*Five Farms Irish Cream Foam*

*Disaronno*

*Manuka Honey Water*



## Divine Temptation

Inspired by the legendary orchards of Armagh we've created a crisp, vegetal spin on the Appletini

*Gattertop Botanic No. 7 Vodka*

*Granny's Garden Tea*

*Jalapeño Oil*

*Nettle Cordial*

£16

'She ate the apple and gave it also to Adam who had not the moral courage to resist her.'

*A Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man*  
James Joyce

### **Illustrations by Steve McCarthy**

A Dublin-born art maker and obsessive picture-builder with a keen interest in colour and character, Steve has managed to sneak his singular style into many forms, from Cartoon Saloon's Oscar-nominated feature film *Song of the Sea* to work for international brands and prizewinning children's books including *A Sailor went to Sea Sea Sea* which won the Bord Gáis Children's book of the year. His debut Author-illustrated picture book *The Wilderness* is published this autumn.

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