

Papa's Pilar Mai Tai



TIPS:

1. How can you keep from smiling right down to your soul with a drink so flavorfully rich in love for life? First, there's the rum, Papa's Pilar, made fittingly as a tribute to Ernest "Papa" Hemingway, who, just like the rum was "bold, well-traveled, uniquely American". Then there's Vic "Trader Vic" Bergeron, creator of the Mai Tai (Tahitian for "out of this world") and

remembered for saying, “Anybody who says I didn’t create the Mai Tai is a dirty rotten stinker!”

2. Rule of Thumb (to make two 4-ounce drinks): For every 2 ounces of lime juice, add about 1/2 teaspoon sugar, 1 ounce almond (orgeat) syrup, 1 ounce orange curaçao (orange flavored brandy & cognac) 2 ounces white or amber rum and 2 ounces dark rum.

Preparation Time: 5 minutes

Ingredients

(for two 4-ounce drinks)

2 Ounces Lime Juice

1/2 teaspoon sugar

1 Ounce Almond (Orgeat) Syrup

1 Ounce Orange Curaçao

2 Ounces **Papa's Pilar Blonde Rum**

2 Ounces Papa's Pilar Dark Rum Ice



Equipment

Citrus Juicer

Sharp Knife

Cutting Board

2-Piece Drink Shaker (or Measuring Cup)

Teaspoon

Cocktail Glass



1. Use a sharp knife to cut 2 limes in half.



2. Squeeze 2 ounces lime juice into the glass piece of a drink shaker (or measuring cup).



3. Add and stir 1/2 teaspoon sugar until the sugar dissolves.

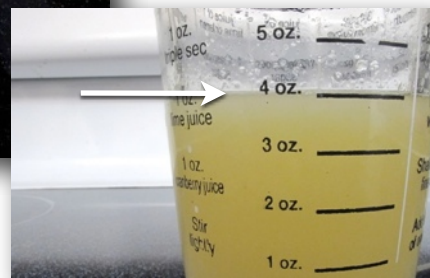


4. Add the following:

1 ounce almond (orgeat) syrup



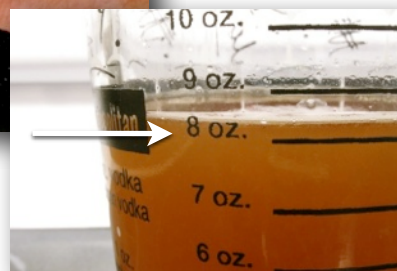
1 ounce orange curaçao



2 ounces Papa's Pilar blonde rum



2 ounces Papa's Pilar dark rum



5. Fill the metal piece of the drink shaker about half full with ice (or add a good handful of ice to the drink in a measuring cup).



Pour the drink from the glass piece into the metal tumbler and press the top of the glass piece into the top of the metal tumbler with just enough pressure to create a snug seal.



Shake the drink briskly (preferably over the sink, especially if you're new to this) for about 10 seconds.



After shaking, remove the glass piece from the metal tumbler as shown.

NOTE: If the seal between the glass and metal pieces is very snug, keep a good grip on both pieces and gently tap the top of the metal piece on the edge of a countertop to loosen the seal between the two drink shaker

pieces as shown in the lower right picture.



6. Fill each glass about 2/3 full with drink and ice,...



...top each glass with ice...



...and serve.

