

Casa Escobar Westlake

A Brief History of Casa Escobar

Kathy Escobar Harvey's great-grandparents Pasquel and Simona Escobar opened a small taqueria in West Los Angeles in 1924. Kathy's grandparents Juan and Rosa continued the tradition by opening the first "Casa Escobar" in 1946. Her father Peter Escobar helped run that restaurant until opening a "Casa Escobar" of his own. Peter has since owned and operated several restaurants all over Southern California, including Casa Escobar in Marina Del Rey. Like her father, and her father's father before her, Kathy introduces the authentic Sonoran recipes of her grandmother Rosa, and blends them with influences from her Chef; Chef Enrique from Mexico City as well as dishes from the coastal region of Veracruz and of Oaxaca. The vibrant Latin colors and interior of Casa Escobar Westlake were envisioned by Kathy herself, and constructed by her husband Russell. The newly remodeled restaurant is reminiscent of the rich, Sonoran traditions of the 1940's; contrasted by a pulsating and colorful Latin ambiance. The flavors of Mexico truly come alive at Casa Escobar Westlake especially when complemented by what is one of the best margaritas in town.

Kathy Escobar Harvey and Russell Harvey owned and operated Casa Escobar in Malibu and they are delighted to continue the tradition of Casa Escobar in their latest venture in Westlake Village.