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Born in Mexico, I began working in kitchens at 16 and quickly discovered my passion for cooking and connecting with people. My love for food started at home—my mom was the first to teach me how to cook, and her recipes are still at the heart of what I do.

Favorite food memory?

TODAY, I RECOMMEND

Enchiladas

Every time I cook, I remember something Chef Steven once told me: "Always think of someone special when you cook." For me, that's my family—they inspire every meal I prepare.

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What does hospitality mean to you?

Hospitality means making people feel welcome, cared for, and appreciated. It's not just about serving food—it's about creating a positive experience for every guest. When someone walks in, I want them to feel like they're at home. A smile, good food, and genuine care can turn a simple meal into a meaningful moment.



Karina

She was born and raised in Geneseo. She's up to any challenge that involves being in the kitchen either at work or home. Including trying to make 50 new recipes for 2025 (any suggestions??). She's been to 38 states. Her latest journey was driving to Oregon with her sister. The highlight of the trip was being at Devils Tower at 4am. The next trip takes her out of the country to Switzerland and Italy. She loves to hang out with her family and likes to try new foods/ cuisines.

TODAY, I RECOMMEND

Our Tacos and breakfast burritos

Favorite food memory? **f f** For my sister's birthday she wanted an upside-down pineapple cake. It was as flat as a pancake with a cherry on top. I have yet to make another pineapple upside down cake.

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smile.

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