Ancient Age · Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey · 80° · 6

Ancient Age got its start in 1946 at the Buffalo Trace Distillery. This corn-dominated mash bill is aged around 3 years in barrel. This is the brand that your father drank because it was smooth, flavorful, and easy on the wallet.

Baker’s · 7 Year · Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey · 107° · 12

This whiskey is named after Baker Beam who is the grandnephew of Jim Beam. This bourbon is aged for 7 years and fermented with a special strain of yeast that has been in the family for over 60 years.

Basil Hayden’s · Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey · 80° · 11

Aged for 8 years, this contains more rye than the other products in the Booker Noe’s small batch line. This recipe was created in 1796 by Master Distiller Basil Hayden, Sr., to set the flavor of his bourbon apart from other bourbons on the market. The rye gives this bourbon a subtle, spicy character.

Booker’s · 7 Year · Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey · Barrel Proof · 12

This bourbon is aged 6 to 8 years and bottled directly from barrel to bottle. The proof varies every year but is usually between 121° and 127°. This bourbon is uncut, unfiltered, and unapologetic.

Bowman Brothers · Small Batch · Virginia Straight Bourbon Whiskey · 90° · 10

This distillery pays homage to the Bowman family, who, right after prohibition, started distilling excess corn, rye, and barley. This whiskey is made using a copper pot that is still aged for 7 years in charred new American Oak. Col. John J Bowman, great uncle of the founder, was someone who helped build the south.

Buffalo Trace · Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey · 90° · 6

This is a distillery that has changed hands and names a few times over the past few hundred years. Named after the path buffalo cut during migration, this path was also followed by one of the manliest men in American history, Daniel Boone. This is the largest production whiskey that comes from the place where some of the most sought after whiskies are created. This whiskey is usually 6 to 8 years old.
Calumet Farm · Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey · 86° · 12

The farm was founded by a baking soda family who purchased a ranch in Lexington and started racing thoroughbred horses. They've been successful with baking soda, horse racing, and now whiskey. Drink this, and feel like Lexington royalty.

Colonel E.H. Taylor · Small Batch · Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey · 100° · Bottled in Bond · 15

Colonel E.H. Taylor is credited with getting the Bottled in Bond act passed. Through his efforts he saved money for distillers and set a certain standard of quality in the whiskey world. Also, his whiskies are delicious.

Eagle Rare · Single Barrel · 10 Year · Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey · 90° · 10

Aged whiskey is getting harder to find, Eagle Rare, produced at Buffalo Trace Distillery, is a very fine example of what a little patience can reward. Every year eagle rare acknowledges someone who they deem truly inspirational and heroic and donates a large sum of money to the charity of their choice.

Early Times · Kentucky Whisky · 80° · 6

This whisky is named after Early Times Station as the water surrounding the station was limestone rich and, thereby, perfect for use making whisky. This is one of the most popular whiskies in the world.

Elijah Craig · 12 Year · Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey · 94° · 15

Elijah Craig is credited for being the first to store his Whiskey in charred barrels. This process gave his whiskey more of a robust flavour, and it was soon adopted as the standard for Kentucky Bourbon. This selection, a great example of old, small batch whiskey, is pulled from a selection of no more than 100 barrels.

Elmer T. Lee · Single Barrel · Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey · 90° · 10

Col. Albert B. Blanton did not hire Elmer the day he showed up, but, luckily for us, Elmer went to work the next week despite not being hired. In time, Elmer went on to become the master distiller at George T. Stagg Distillery and Master Distiller Emeritus for Buffalo Trace. This whiskey is a house favorite.

Evan Williams · 1783 · Small Batch · Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey · 86° · 6

Named for the year Evan Williams founded his distillery, 1783 comes from an 80 barrel selection, making it a true Small Batch Bourbon.
George Dickel · Barrel Select · Tennessee Whisky · 86° · 12

George Dickel founded his distillery in the 1870s in Cascade Hollow, where he discovered that whisky made in the winter was mellower than its peers made during the summer. The Barrel Select comes from a total of what is viewed as the perfect ten and is then aged 10 to 12 years.

George Dickel · Superior No. 12 · Tennessee Whisky · 90° · 10

This whisky is comprised of a blend of older more mellow barrels that is first chill-filtered then charcoal-filtered. This higher proof whisky is a great example of how good Tennessee can taste.

High West · Double Rye! · Park City, Utah · 92° · 15

This comes from the first distillery in Utah since the 1870’s. This is a blend of 2 year and 16 year rye that hits the palate with all the spices you’d expect. This complex and smooth whiskey is very easy to sip neat.

Jack Daniel’s · Gentleman Jack · Rare Tennessee Whiskey · 80° · 10

First created in 1981, this Whiskey is mellowed not once, but twice, through the famous charcoal filter system. This makes this whiskey twice as mellow, because, as we all know, gentlemen like elegant beverages.

Jack Daniel’s · Old No. 7 Brand · Tennessee Whiskey · 80° · 9

Jasper “Jack” Newton Daniel learned distillation from a Reverend in the 1880s, and he owned his own distillery by the age of 13. What does Old No. 7 mean? Apparently only Jack knows.

Jack Daniel’s · Single Barrel Select · Tennessee Whiskey · 94° · 13

At Jack Daniel’s, the Single Barrel Select is the very best offering. Some would argue, in fact, that it is the best whiskey that the great state of Tennessee has to offer. First created in 1988, only 100 barrels are chosen for this, and it is intentionally bottled at a higher proof.

John J. Bowman Pioneer Spirit · Single Barrel · Virginia Straight Bourbon Whiskey · 100° · 16

Colonel John J. Bowman, great uncle to Abraham Bowman and founder of this Virginia Distillery, established one of the earliest settlements in Kentucky. The Bourbon is first distilled at Buffalo Trace, and then shipped 500 miles away to Virginia. Here it is distilled 2 more times and aged for around 10 years in a cooler climate.
Larceny · Very Special Small Batch · Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey · 92° · 10

This whiskey, aged for about 6 years, pays homage to Treasury Agent John E. Fitzgerald, who was known to have had very good taste in whiskey. John had the keys and the palate to find/drink/steal(?) his favorite bourbons that, through his job, only he had access to. This is a smooth, balanced drink.

Maker’s Mark · Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whisky · 90° · 9

“It tastes expensive...and is.” This is one of their slogans, and they stay true to it. This brand makes high quality whisky. If you noted the absence of the e, this is no accident. Maker’s Mark choses to both honor the founder’s heritage and to elevate the standards by which these whiskies are made. Maker’s Mark is generally aged for around 6 years and bottled when the distillers all agree that it should be.

Old Crow · Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey · 80° · 5

Dr. James C. Crow created the sour mash method that has - to this day - become standard in whiskey making. This whiskey has been in the glass of many of our presidents and even some odd ball writers. Fear and Loathing in Walland anyone?

Old Crow · Reserve · Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey · 86° · 5

First of all, this whiskey is no longer in production, so drink up. This one is aged for 4 years (compared to the little brother, Old Crow, which is aged a year less). This whiskey is soft, sweet, creamy, and easy to love.

Old Grand-Dad · Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey · 114° · 5

Old Grand Dad is Basil Hayden. This whiskey was first made in 1882 by Colonel R.B. Hayden to honor his Grand Father. During Prohibition Old Grand-Dad was produced and permitted as Medicine. If you’re a little under the weather, have a shot of Medicine!

Old Forester · Signature · Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey · 100° · 10

After George Garvin Brown bottled the first ever Bourbon, he stated, “This is mine, I guarantee every drop.” This was first created in 1870 and Old Forester are damn proud of that.

Old Overholt · Straight Rye Whiskey · 80° · 10

Known as one of the “Olds”, there are claims this was the whiskey poured as “medicine” for the U.S. Navy in WWII. This Pennsylvania style rye, aged no less than three years, was originally created by Abraham Overholt (1784-1870). Try this in a Manhattan.
**Dogwood Whiskey**

**Old Weller · Antique · Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey · 107° · 12**

Now distilled at Buffalo Trace, this is the original wheated whiskey. Aged around 7 years, Antique is often compared to whiskeys that will cost hundreds more a glass. For me and my hundreds, I’ll drink this. Don’t be afraid to drink this one neat!

**Pikesville · Supreme · Straight Rye Whiskey · 80° · 10**

This type of rye originated in Maryland and comes across as more subtle and softer in style than the more popular Pennsylvanian. In the 1700s, this was a very popular style of drink. Being made with the cover crop from tobacco farming, this was cheaper to produce into whiskey rather than to ship the grains off.

**Rittenhouse · Straight Rye Whiskey · 100° · 10**

This whiskey is aged for 4 years and bottled in bond. Overall, it’s complex with a creamy texture possessing baking spices on the palate and nose. By the way, it was named the North American Whiskey of the Year in 2006, so, yeah, it’s good.

**W.L. Weller · 12 year · Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey · 90° · 15**

These wheated whiskeys are highly regarded and, consequently, not very easy to get your hands on. This style of whiskey first came into production in the 1840’s, and Weller is credited with originating the style. Get this one while you can because Blackberry Farm buys all that comes to East Tennessee.
**W.L. Weller • Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey • 90° • 10**

This whiskey is named after William Larue Weller (1825–1899) as he has been credited with producing the first whiskey using wheat instead of rye in the mashbill. When you see this as an option, you may not want to miss the chance: these whiskeys have become scarce over the years because they are rumored to be the leftovers from the illusive Pappy Van Winkle.

**Wild Turkey • Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey • 101° • 8**

This blend of whiskeys varies between 6 and 8 years old. Even though the proof is high, this whiskey drinks softer than one might think. Do not be afraid to try this one neat or simply on the rocks.

**Wild Turkey • Kentucky Spirit • Single Barrel • Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey • 101° • 15**

There are over 90 years of combined whiskey making experience at Wild Turkey, and those hands have crafted Kentucky Spirit as the prodigal son of whiskey. Jimmy Russell has deemed barrels between 8 and 10 years old exceptional enough to be Kentucky Spirit. If you don’t like this one, take it up with Jimmy.

**Woodford Reserve • Distiller’s Select • Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey • 90.4° • 9**

This whiskey has a mash bill with a high percentage of rye, making it a little on the spicy side. Because it is triple distilled, Woodford Reserve comes across as all the more elegant on the palate. Though this particular whiskey has been overseen by 7 master distillers in the past 140 years, they all agree it should be aged for no less than six years to reach full potential.
Germain-Robin

This brandy house is located in Northern California and produces spirits from noble grapes. The most famous brandies in the world from France are made from work horse grapes of little nobility. At Germain Robin, these spirits are crafted with wines that are great for drinking before being upgraded through distillation and barrel ageing.

**Apple Brandy XO · 100**

**Augustin’s Blend · Bottled 7/21/12 · Blended 1988 Pinot noir & 1989 Colombard · 100**

**G-R30 · Aged 30 Years · 70**

**Greenway Distillers · Absinthe Superieure · Brandy Distilled with aromatic Herbs · 17**

**Old Havana · 18**

**Select Barrel XO · 16**

**Single Barrel v139 · Distilled 1992 · Bottled 3/05/08 · 100% Semillon · 26**

**Single Barrel v171 · Distilled 1986 · Bottled 7/08/10 · 100% Colombard · 26**

**Single Barrel v217 · Distilled 2001 · Bottled 2/25/14 · 100% Pinot Noir · 26**

**Small Blend no. 1 · 45**

* Austin Ranch 1990 Pinot Noir Brandy 18.9%
* Carneros 1994 Pinot Noir Brandy 11.1%
* Hildreth Ranch 1983 Comombard Brandy 67%
* Faibles Brandy distilled in 1987 2%

**Small Blend no. 3 · 45**

* Lovin Vineyard 1985 Gamay Beaujolais Brandy 20%
* Roderer 1996 Pinot Noir Brandy 20%
* Welch Vineyard 1997 Colombard Brandy 40%
* Kieffer Ranch 1997 Colombard Brandy 19%
* Muscat/Riesling/Viognier Brandies distilled in 1996 1%

**Charbay · no. 89 · Distilled in 1989 · Aged 24 years in French Oak · 25**

**Castarède · Armagnac · 18**

**Baron de Lustrac · Cépage Bacco · Distilled in 1980 · Bottled in 2006 · Bas Armagnac · 40**

**Audry · Mémorial · Fine Champagne Cognac · 27**

**Paul Giraud · V.S.O.P. · Premier Cru Cognac · 20**

**Maison Surrenne · Distilled in 1984 · Bottled in 1998 · Unblended Cognac · 20**