

## THE CATTLEMAN'S BAR AND GRILL

The Cattleman's Bar and Grill was originally established in 1910 as the Santa Fe Bar. The saloon stood close to the Santa Fe depot near North Cortez and Sheldon Streets. The weary passengers would leave the trains and 'cool their heels' at the bar, and stay at the next door Bucky O'Neils Hotel. Through the years, things changed at the Santa Fe Bar, including especially during prohibition. It was then called the Santa Fe Buffet, which served food instead of *booze*, although judging by a calendar with pin up girls, it looks like you could have sneaked a drink.

It changed hands through the years, changing names and owners. In the 1950's, it was known as the 'Esquire', and finally became the Cattleman's in the 1960's. In 1984, businessman Chuck Roberts bought it, and started its major debut as a steakhouse. With much work, he started to make the place more 'respectable' and offer good food. As years passed, it became known for its excellent steaks, and its down-home service and bartending. It stayed a 'hole-in-the-wall', a place favored by locals, and history-seeking tourists. In October of 2001, it was time to leave the historic building at 224 North Cortez, and relocate to a larger place of business at 669 East Sheldon Street, the notorious 'Sheldon Street Saloon' building.

After 20 in the business, owner Chuck Roberts and son, Chef Scott Roberts have turned a small 'hole-in-the-wall' business into a staple in Prescott dining. If you ask most local residents, The Cattleman's is the place to have a steak. After many years of tradition and improvements, The Cattleman's legacy will continue and only get stronger with the years.

**Cattleman's Bar & Grill**  
***Great Steaks Burgers BBQ***  
**669 East Sheldon St Prescott, AZ 86301**  
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**Open Daily 11:00 AM**