

STRAIGHT UP ADVENTURES IN WHISKEY



Cary Ann Fuller

Spirit Guide



Cary Ann developed a passion for whiskey over the last few decades. Working her way from restaurant management into supplier and wholesaler roles, her love of all things brown water inspired the creation of Straight Up 615. Through this outlet, Cary Ann discusses the happenings and trends in the whiskey business from her unique perspective.

Cary Ann earned her Certified Specialist of Spirits award from the Society of Wine Educators and Level 3 Award in Spirits from the Wine & Spirit Education Trust. She strives to continue her education, finding opportunities to learn from industry veterans, historians, and ambassadors. As a Stave & Thief Society Executive Bourbon Steward, she focuses on educating enthusiasts and industry members alike.





Cary Ann produced the first virtual version of the Nashville Whiskey Festival in 2020, created the Taste of Tennessee festival to highlight the state's distillers and craft brewers, produced a documentary, *Straight Up Kentucky Bourbon*, produces and moderates panels and seminars, provides consultation, and regularly participates in barrel selections and sensory training. Cary Ann has developed close relationships with distillers and distilleries across the country. She is also a regular cast member on the award-winning podcast, *Sips, Suds, & Smokes*, and monthly columnist for *The Whiskey Wash*.

No matter the activity, Cary Ann is always Straight Up.



BESPOKE EVENTS

Your whiskey adventure is specifically curated to meet your interests, time, and budget. From Whiskey 101 to barrel selections; from hands on distillery visits to regional tastings; no glass is left empty.

EXAMPLES:

- Tennessee Waltz- taste through the history of Tennessee whiskey, exploring both heritage and craft spirits of the Volunteer state with an eye on the traditions and lore of the local elixir.
- Whiskey 101- What's the difference between bourbon & Tennessee whiskey? Explore the world of whiskey with some basic knowledge and extraordinary pours.
- Gone Pickin'- Wow factor 10: your group is guided through the selection of a single barrel of local whiskey and everyone goes home with their own personalized bottle.

APPEARANCES STARTING AT \$2,500
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