

CANEEL BAY =

Caribbean rum has played an integral role in the history and culture of the Virgin Islands. The production of rum and sugar was at its peak in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries when most was exported to Denmark and other European ports. In operation until 1885, the Caneel Bay Sugar Mill (now the location of the Equator Restaurant) was one of twenty-five such mills on the island of St. John.

Please enjoy this bottle of Cruzan Rum[®] with our compliments – an experience which will embody the flavors of the Danish West Indies and capture the very essence that is Caneel Bay, the region's premier resort since the 1950's and the heart of the Virgin Islands National Park.

Cruzan (pronounced CROO_zan) is the name given to the inhabitants of the neighboring island of St. Croix and the name that graced the rum produced on the Estate Diamond distillery in Frederiksted since 1760 by the Netthropp family for five generations.

Today Cruzan Rum is best enjoyed straight-up like cognac, or mixed in a cocktail; while many connoisseurs proclaim a "Rum and Coca-Cola[®]" the quintessential drink of the Caribbean. Whatever your preference, sample this "taste" of Caneel Bay with our best wishes for an enjoyable stay.

Come back and see us again!

For a refreshing alternative to Rum and Coca-Cola, pour two fingers of rum over plenty of ice in a tall glass, add a splash of orange juice and top up with Sprite.

Sip and retire to the deck.