



THRILLIST'S BEST BBQ

THE 33 JOINTS AROUND THE COUNTRY YOU NEED TO TRY

Atlanta, GA
FAT MATT'S RIB SHACK
What you're getting: Ribs & Chicken Combo

Austin, TX
FRANKLIN BARBECUE
What you're getting: Brisket

Austin, TX
JOHN MUELLER MEAT CO.
What you're getting: Brisket and a beef rib

Ayden, NC
SKYLIGHT INN
What you're getting: BBQ Sandwich with slaw

Brooklyn, NY
BRISKETTOWN/ DELANEY BARBECUE
What you're getting: Brisket, duh

Brooklyn, NY
FETTE SAU
What you're getting: Brisket and a beef rib

Chicago, IL
SMOQUE
What you're getting: Brisket & St. Louis spare ribs

Dallas, TX
LOCKHART SMOKEHOUSE
What you're getting: Beef shoulder clod

Dallas, TX
PECAN LODGE
What you're getting: The Three Meat BBQ Combo with brisket, beef ribs, and sausage (plus the M-m-mac 'n cheese as your side), AND a "Hot Mess"

Decatur, AL
BIG BOB GIBSON BAR-B-Q
What you're getting: Whole chicken, white sauce

Goldsboro, NC
WILBER'S BARBECUE
What you're getting: The Barbecue Pork Plate (and maybe 1/2 chicken barbecued, all dark meat)

Hemingway, SC
SCOTT'S BAR-B-QUE
What you're getting: A half pit-cooked BBQ hog (if you call ahead), or 1lb of pulled pork with a side of fried skins (if you didn't)

Kansas City, MO
ARTHUR BRYANT'S BBQ
What you're getting: Pork ribs, original sauce

Kansas City, MO
LC'S BAR-B-Q
What you're getting: Burnt ends sandwich

Kansas City, MO
OKLAHOMA JOE'S
What you're getting: Ribs & burnt ends (if they have 'em)

Lexington, NC
LEXINGTON BARBECUE
What you're getting: Chopped BBQ sandwich with some "outside brown"

Lexington, TX
SNOW'S BBQ
What you're getting: Whatever's left

Llano, TX
COOPER'S OLD TIME PIT BAR-B-QUE
What you're getting: The BBQ Pork Chop, aka "The Big Chop"

Lockhart, TX
BLACK'S BARBECUE
What you're getting: Brisket, beef ribs

Lockhart, TX
KREUZ MARKET
What you're getting: Brisket, jalapeno sausage, pork chop

Luling, TX
CITY MARKET
What you're getting: Pork ribs and sausage

Memphis, TN
CHARLIE VERGOS' RENDEZVOUS
What you're getting: Large order of the charcoal-broiled pork ribs, and the sausage and cheese appetizer

Memphis, TN
CENTRAL BBQ
What you're getting: A full slab of ribs served "1/2 and 1/2", and the chips and bleu cheese

Memphis, TN
PAYNE'S BAR-B-QUE
What you're getting: Chopped pork sandwich (jumbo size)

Murphysboro, IL
17TH ST. BAR AND GRILL
What you're getting: Ribs

New Orleans, LA
THE JOINT
What you're getting: Ribs, pulled pork, mac & cheese

Portland, OR
PODNAH'S PIT
What you're getting: The Pitmaster

Raleigh, NC
CLYDE COOPER'S BARBECUE
What you're getting: Chopped pork, hush puppies, pork rinds

St. Louis, MO
PAPPY'S SMOKEHOUSE
What you're getting: A full slab of ribs and burnt ends combo meal

San Diego, CA
PHIL'S BBQ
What you're getting: The El Toro sandwich and a half rack of baby back ribs

Syracuse, NY
DINOSAUR BAR-B-QUE
What You're Getting: Tres Hombres (pork, brisket, ribs)

Taylor, TX
LOUIE MUELLER BARBECUE
What you're getting: The beef brisket, and a Texas beef rib

Tuscaloosa, AL
DREAMLAND BBQ
What you're getting: Ribs, then banana pudding

