

To Make a Good Cowboy Margarita

1 lime halved

Coarse salt

1/2 cup freshly squeezed lime juice, *from about 4 limes*

1 tablespoon sugar

1/4 cup Grand Marnier

1/4 cup Triple Sec

1 cup Makers Mark Bourbon

Ice



To salt the margarita glasses, rub the outside rims of 4 big glasses with a cut lime and press them lightly into a plate of kosher salt, to coat.

Combine the lime juice, sugar, Grand Marnier, Triple Sec, Makers Mark Bourbon, and a big handful of ice in a cocktail shaker (or blender). Shake the margarita really well, for a good 20 seconds, and strain into the salt rimmed glasses filled with ice.