

# A Banquet for Ultra Bankruptcy

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## Hands-free Chicken Dialler

*Cooked chicken cubes arranged in the format of a mobile phone dialling pad. Each blank has a small piece of fruit or vegetable placed within it. This dish is served on an email and must be eaten with the hands.*

## Prawn and Beef Cakes Chemosynthesis

*Minced prawns and fillet steak flavoured with kelp and formed into pyramids, gently fried on all sides in pumice infused oil. These pyramids are served on an industrial terracotta tile.*

## Savannah Hallmark

*This simple meal comprises a 2cm cube of steak wrapped in 23ct gold leaf, placed upon a 4cm cube of bean curd surrounded by a froth of wheat grass. The dish is served atop a map of a diamond-rich desert area in Africa.*

## Continuous Paste Machine

*A luxurious paste made from mango, passion fruit, sugar, rose water and cocoa powder. Exquisitely shaped extrusions of this paste are carefully piped from a piping bag into a glass Petri dish, which is itself placed on the very top of a fairly large electrical battery.*

*The paste is eaten with chopsticks and will be replenished until the piping bag is empty.*

## False Freedom Food

*The basis of this dish is a three-colour terrine of beetroot, spinach and apple. The terrine; cut into a pentagram is served upon a photograph of Che Guevara, which is stencilled in cocoa powder.  
The dish is sucked through a straw.*

## The Ponzi Tower of Ascending Epicure

*This elaborate and complex recipe comprises 5 layers built in the style of a ziggurat. Each layer represents the ascending hierarchy of human needs as proposed by Abraham Maslow in his universally recognised categorisation of motivational needs. You do not have to finish this dish.*

*Bread base: Physiological needs  
Potato omelette: Safety and Security  
Chocolate cake: Love and Belonging  
Saffron Cake: Self-Esteem  
Cherry: Self-Actualisation*