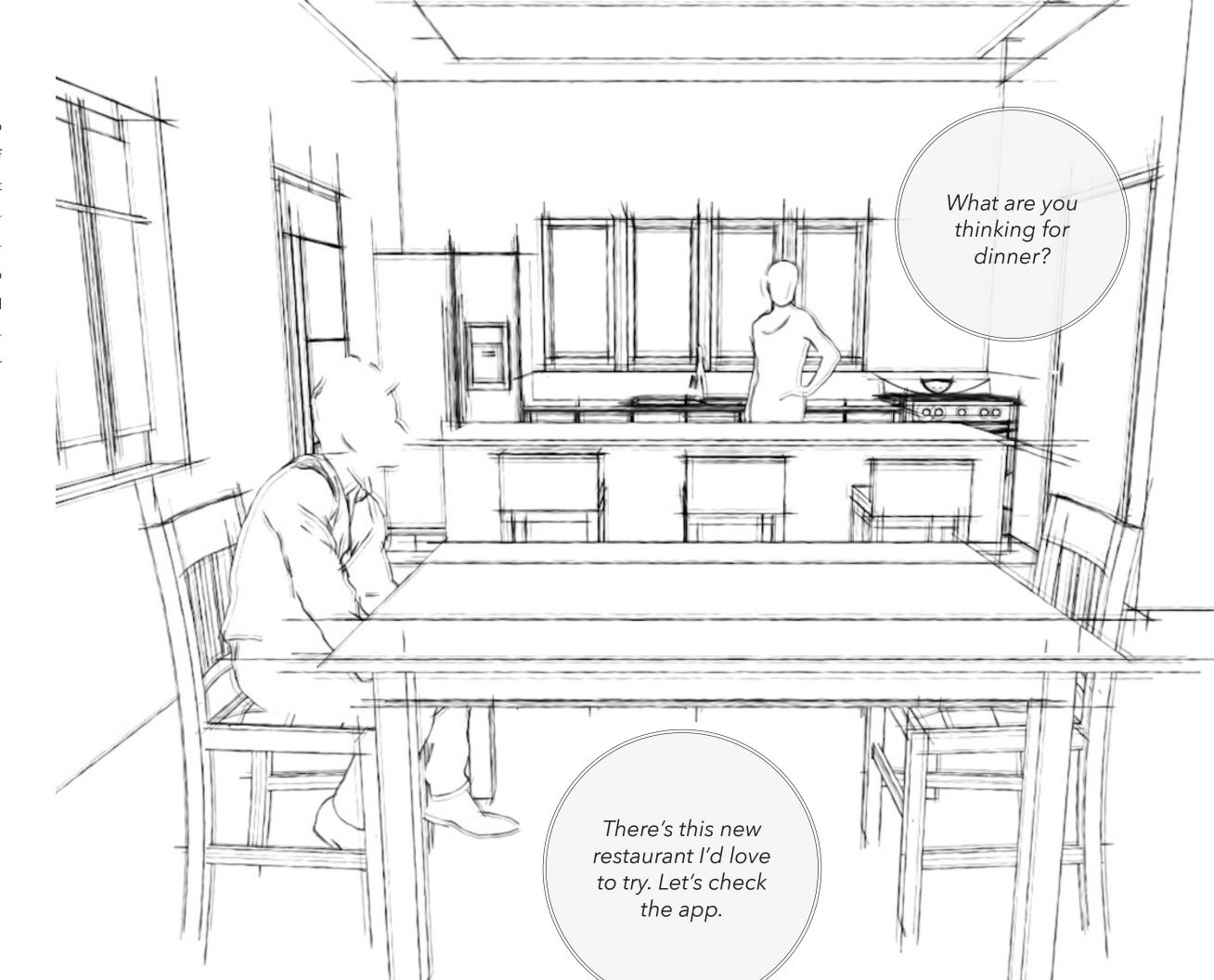
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An experience vision into the future of restaurant dining

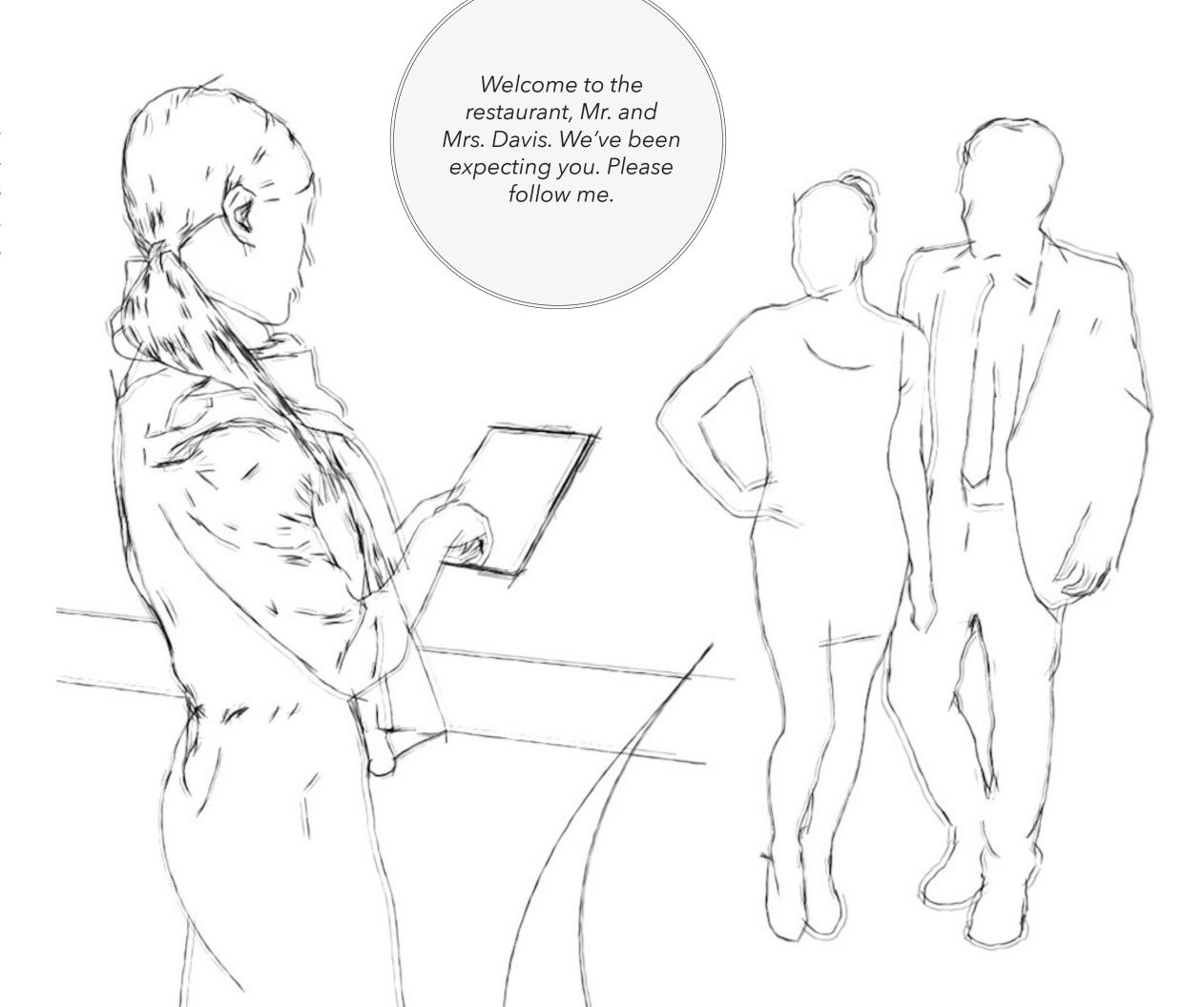
I. THE APP

In 2030, restaurant dining is no longer a guessing game. A state of the art restaurant app syncs with smart tables in your local area. You get real-time information on open tables, wait-times, reservations, and a down to the second timer of when you should leave your house. You can even preorder you meal and have it waiting for you, if you so choose.



2. WELCOME

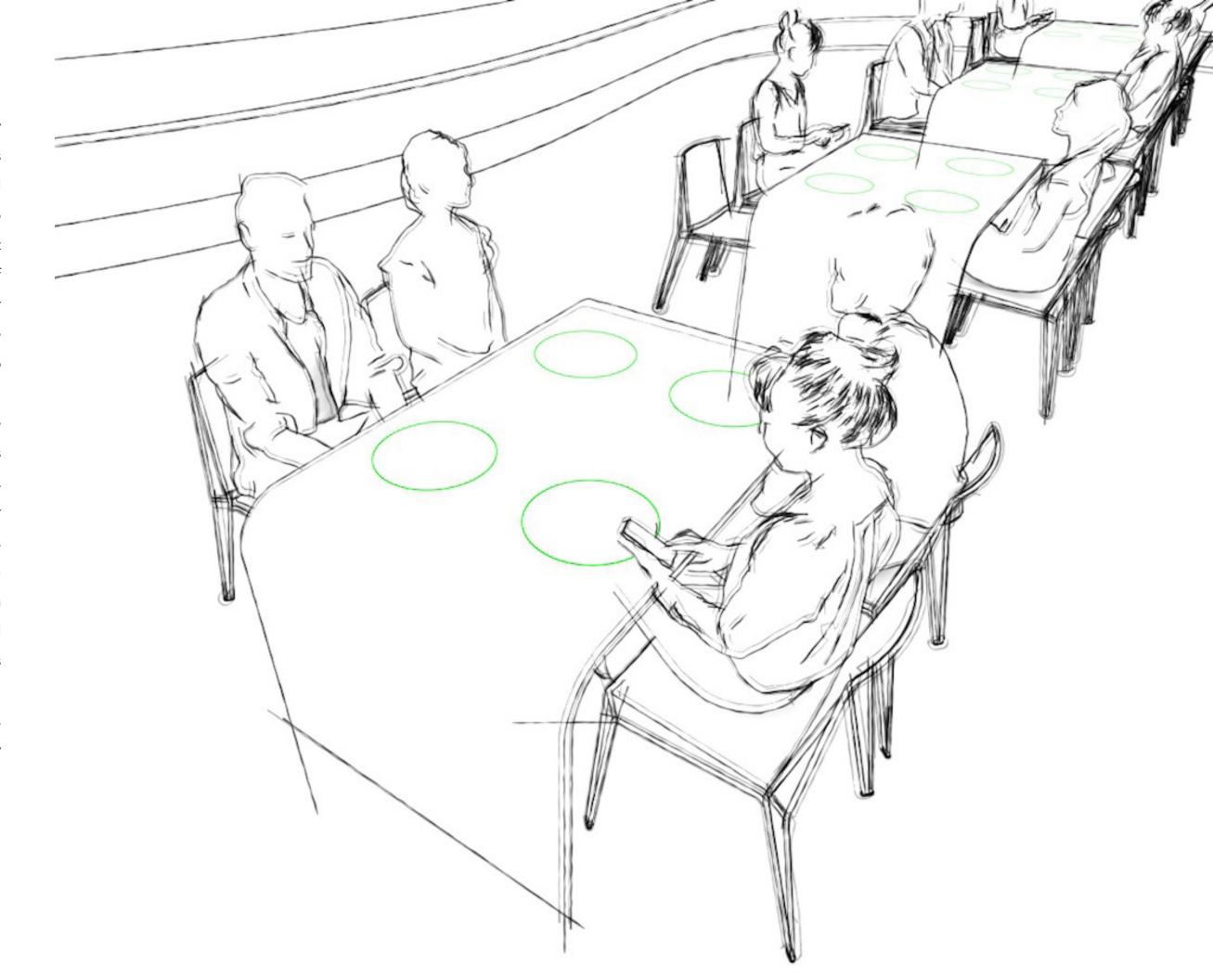
As your device crosses the threshold, the hostess is alerted of your arrival. She welcomes you in. Your table is ready and mapped out on her tablet, so she can seamlessly escort you to your seats.



3. SMART TABLES

Unlike prototypes from the early 2020's, today's smart table interfaces are relatively simple. Early UX had become so cluttered, there was no room to put down your food without covering up a menu! In 2030, Most of the heavy tech lifting is done by your trusty handheld device, leaving the table free to do what it was meant to do.

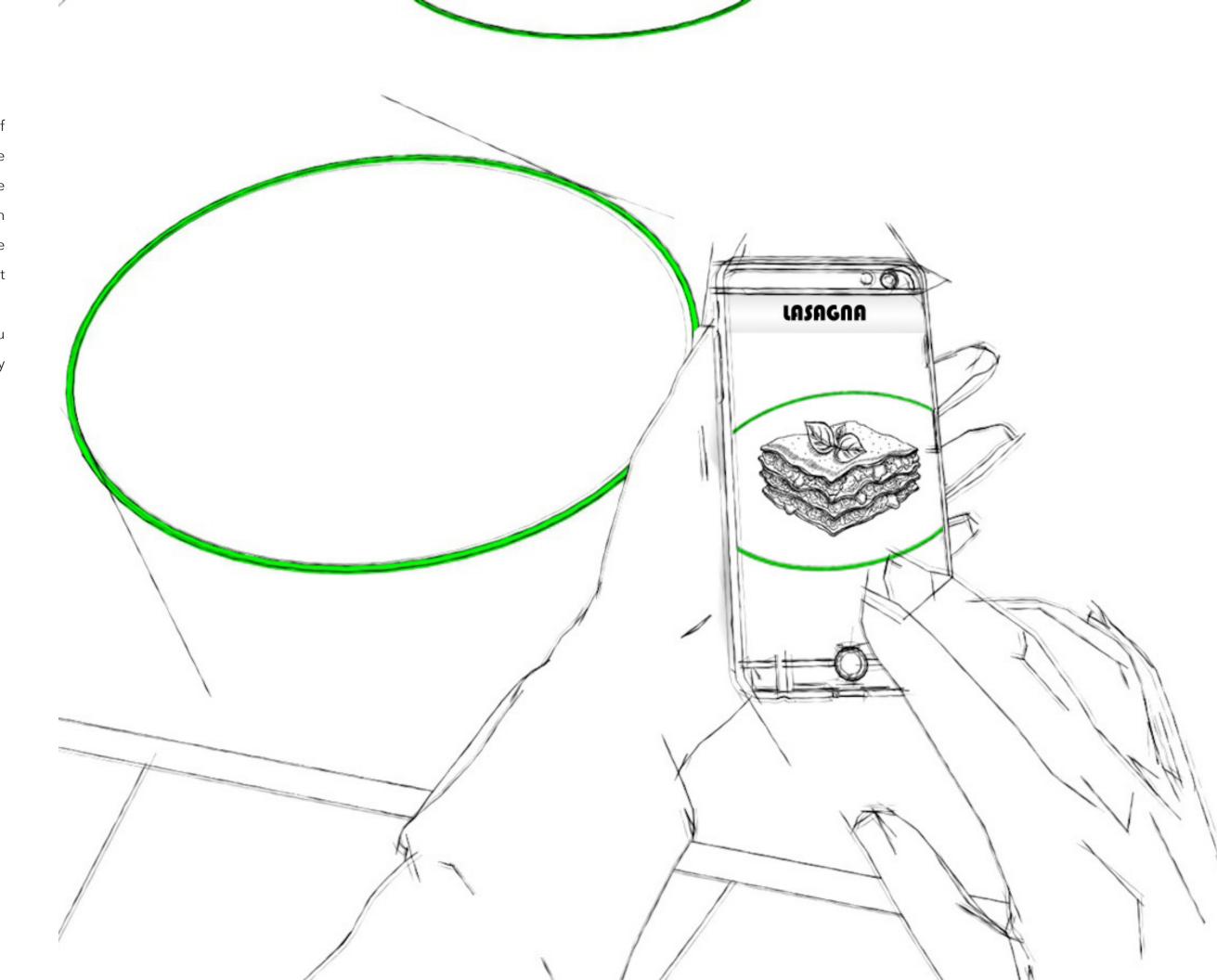
In today's world waiting has become and unnecessary inconvenience. As such, the waiter's role has shifted. Because orders are placed on your device, you order when you're ready, pay when you're ready, and leave when you're ready. However it wouldn't be a restaurant experience if it were devoid of all human interaction, so concierges are available by touching the call button to help with the technology, make suggestions, and assist with any other needs.



4. AR MENUS

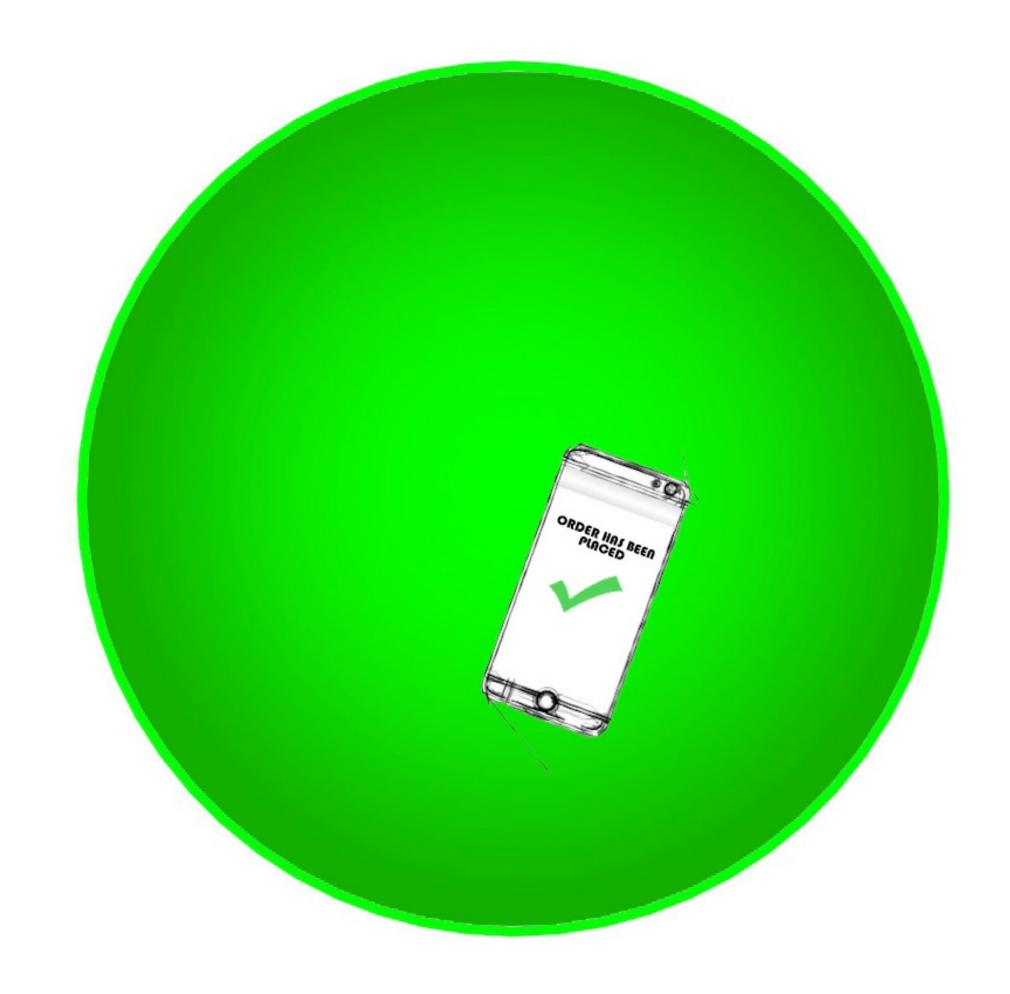
Menus are smarter now. Because of decentralized Health ID tokens made popular during the last decade, the app can pull your health information to remove menu items that you may be allergic to. The app will also suggest item based on your preferences.

You can scroll through the AR menu to get a preview of your meal. Simply swipe to add it to your order.



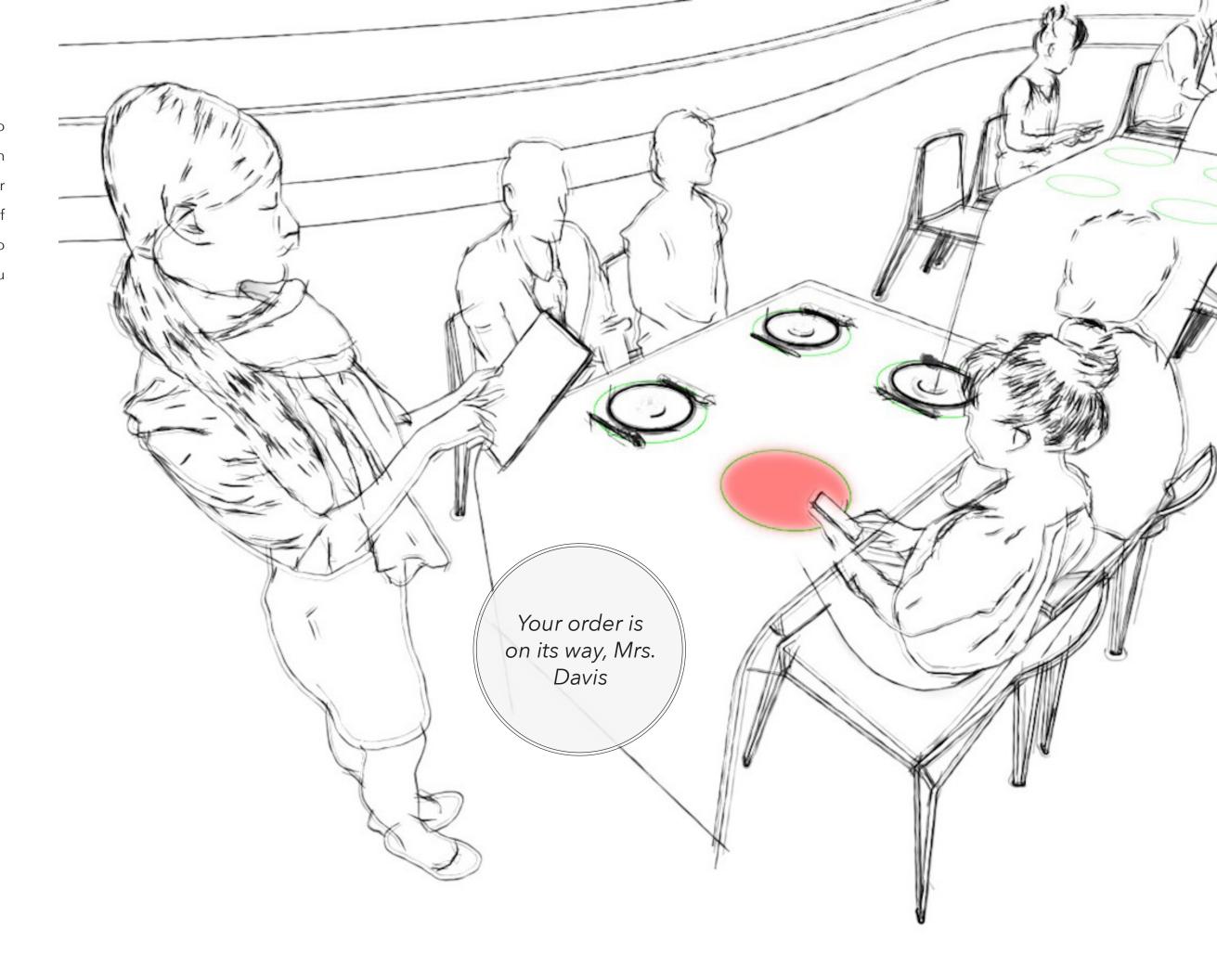
5. ORDERING

Once your have made your selections, place your device on the table to begin syncing your order. Viola! Your food is being prepared. You can select the option to have all the orders for your entire table arrive together or separately. If you choose separately, you're probably a jerk.



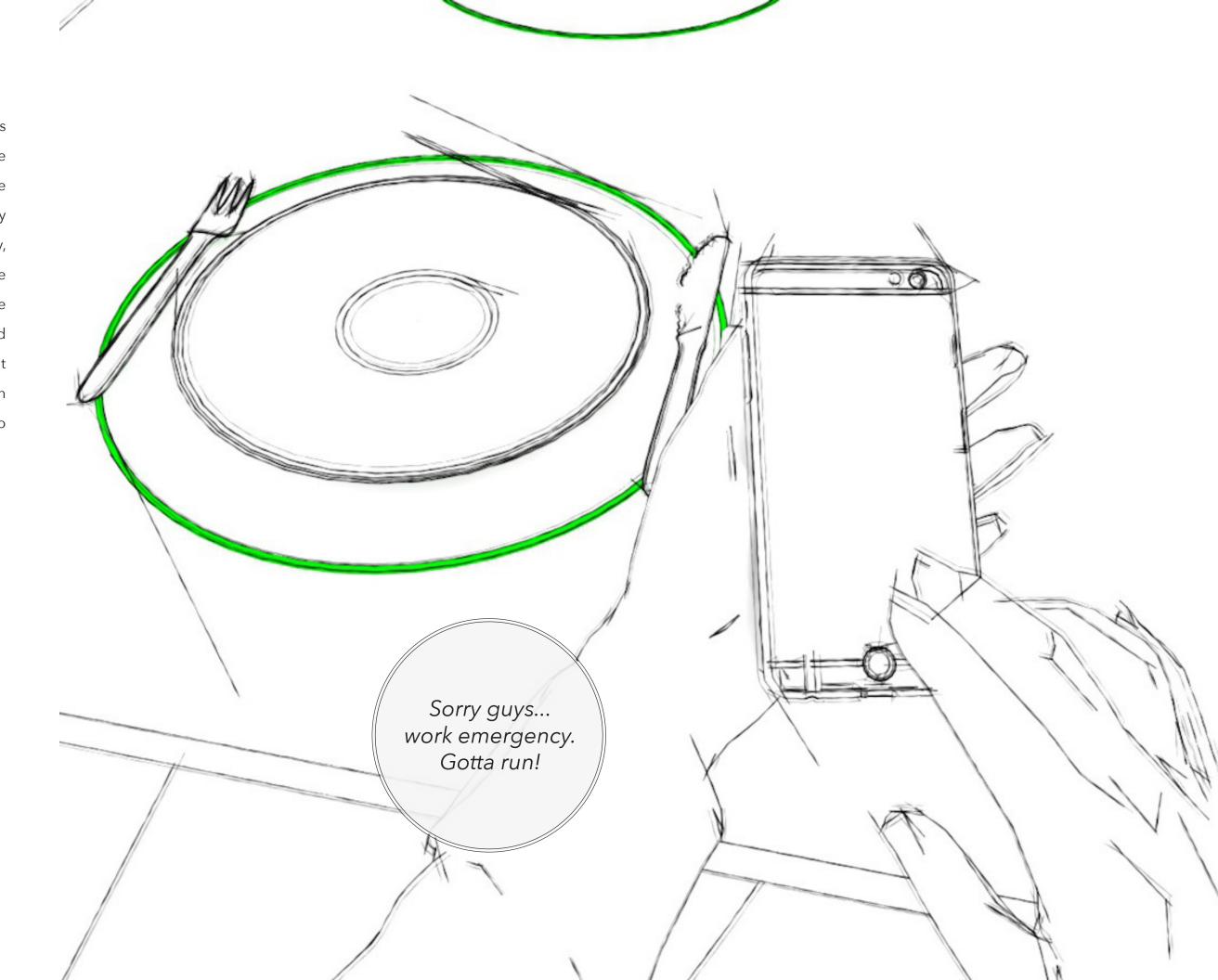
6. FEEDBACK

Your smart table place mats also function as feedback, turning from green to red, as your order is closer to arriving. No more wondering if your order has been forgotten! It also serves to alert the concierge that you have been waiting.



7. PAYMENT

The process of paying the bill has been completely modernized. The smart tables, by default, separate the bills by seat. You can choose to pay separately, together, or split evenly, and you don't all have to pay at the same time. Remember, you choose when you are ready to pay. If you need to leave early, the smart tables make it easy to do to. No more waving down waiters, or waiting for credit cards to be returned. Just pay and go.



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As you can see, the restaurant dining experience has become much more streamlined. As our lives become increasingly over-scheduled, it's nice to be able to spend your limited free time dining rather than planning, flailing to catch a waiter's eye, or arguing over the bill. In a time when technology has our lives moving faster and faster it also has the ability to help us slow down.

If only for dinner.

