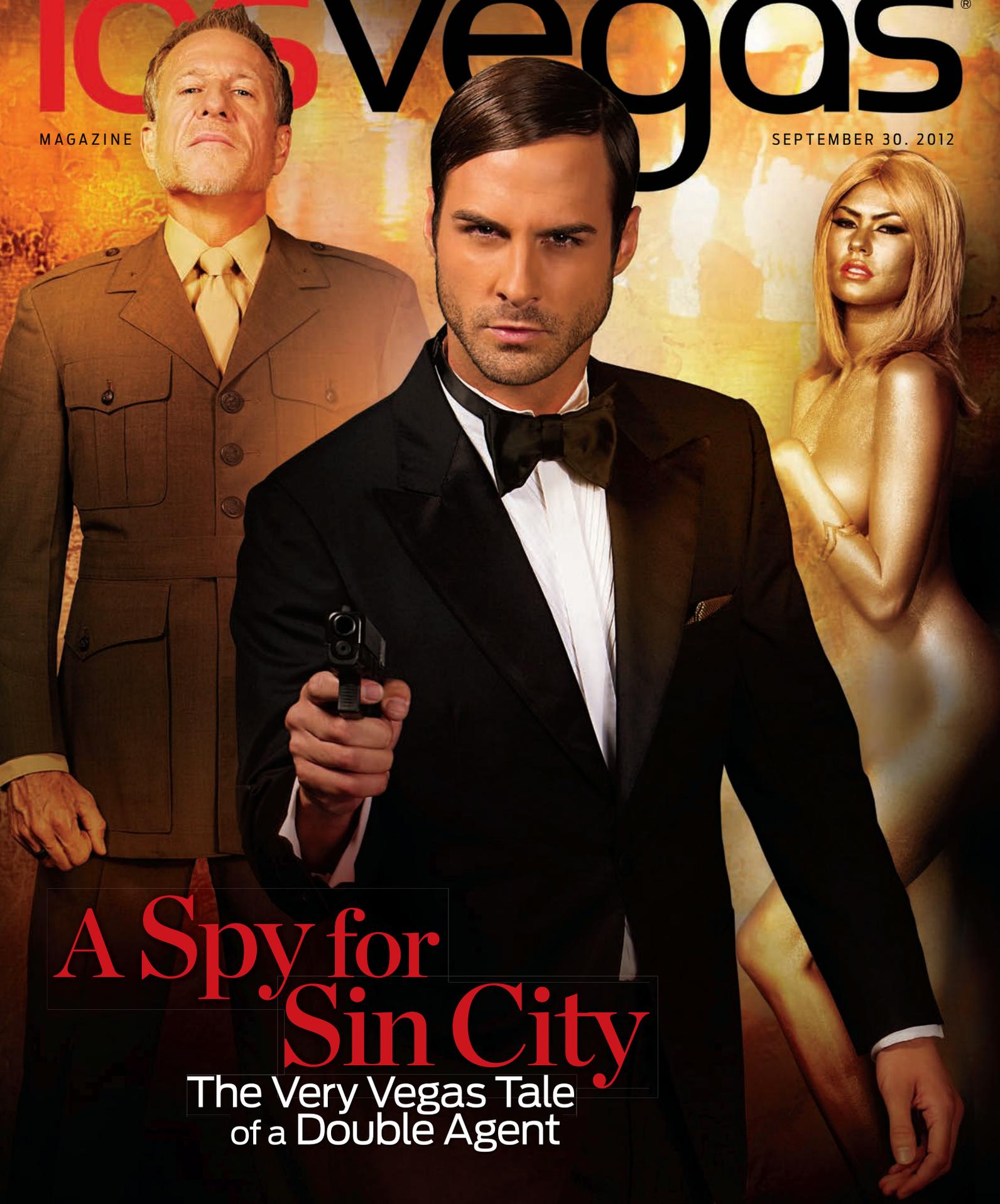


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A Spy for Sin City

The Very Vegas Tale
of a Double Agent



Flavor Haven

There are few things that seem to connect one to the world as food does. Indian food, in particular, with its incredible flavors and fragrances, puts you in a place that is far from the everyday. **Origin India**, one of Las Vegas' premier spots for the cuisine, will transport you across the globe with its newest offering, an extensive lunch buffet. Just \$11.95, the buffet features a range of dishes with the Origin touch, from papri chaat to chicken makhani and Bombay aloo, plus fresh naan, and is available 11:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. An a la carte menu is also available. Call 702.734.6342 for information or visit the restaurant at 4480 Paradise Road.



Sunday Funday

With the football season in full swing, Stratosphere is in on all the action with its **Pro Football Headquarters**. It offers fans a chance to watch all the action inside the Stratosphere Theater, which is stocked with goodies for game day. Watch the pigskin fly on nine giant screens, put down some cash at one of the betting stations or blackjack tables, order a hearty breakfast or lunch or drink your meals with \$6.50 pitchers of Bud and Bud Light, \$10 pitchers of margaritas or Bloody Marys. Another bonus is free Wi-Fi, so feel free to bring your laptops. There's also the chance to score some free stays at the hotel through weekly drawings. And from the weekly drawings, winners will be entered into a final contest with prizes that include cash and entry into Stratosphere's Big Game Party. The tailgating hub offers free admission and doors open at 9 a.m. every Sunday, running through the end of the playoffs in January. For more information, call 702.380.7777.

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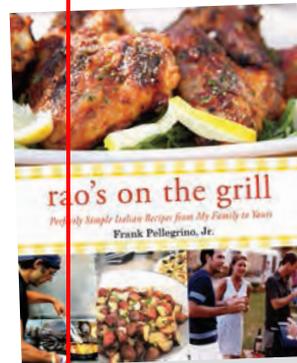


If You Can't Score a Table...

Rao's consumer goods are the next best thing to dining there

An East Harlem institution since 1896, Rao's was the definition of exclusivity, the pinnacle of "it" dining. Up until 2006, there were only 10 Rao's tables in the world—until the clouds parted and a light shone down upon Caesars Palace, where a second, larger Rao's

opened. But even if you still can't score that coveted table, you can take a piece of Rao's home with you.



Rao's progeny (and co-owner) Frank Pellegrino Jr. released *Rao's on the Grill* (\$35) over the summer, offering the family's unique take on barbecuing. If you're lucky, you might even be able to get Pellegrino (a

frequent presence at the Caesars Palace location) to sign a copy himself.

There's a whole slew of other Rao's items, too, including a signature sauce, marinades, pasta, red wine dressing, pizza sauce and roasted peppers. If you can't find it at the restaurant, check online. Also look out for the namesake Rao's wines, and raise a toast to the first family of Italian restaurants.

Rao's at Caesars Palace is open 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Wed.-Sun. and 5-10:30 p.m. daily. For more on Rao's Specialty Foods go to raos.com.

