

Cheryl Henry President

Cheryl Henry serves as President of Ruth's Chris Steak House and leads a company with more than 80 restaurants, 5,000 team members and nearly \$500 million in annual sales. She is also a member of Darden Restaurants' Executive Team.

Prior to Darden's acquisition of Ruth's Chris in 2023, Cheryl served as Ruth's Chris' Chief Executive Officer and Chairperson of the Board. Previously, Cheryl also held a variety of roles within the company, including as Chief Operating Officer and Chief Branding Officer. Prior to joining Ruth's Chris, Cheryl was Chief of Staff for the Mayor of Orlando.



She holds a bachelor's degree from the University of Massachusetts Lowell and an MBA from Rollins College.

Founded by Ruth Fertel in New Orleans, Louisiana, Ruth's Chris Steak House is well-known for its signature steaks served on 500-degree sizzling plates. The restaurant's focus on offering the best service and providing an unmatched level of hospitality has persevered since the first Ruth's Chris opened in 1965.

Ruth's Chris is part of the Darden family of restaurants. Darden owns and operates more than 1,900 Olive Garden, LongHorn Steakhouse, Yard House, Ruth's Chris Steak House, Cheddar's Scratch Kitchen, The Capital Grille, Seasons 52, Eddie V's and Bahama Breeze restaurants in North America.