

## Contestant Bios- Chefs



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Age: 28

Resides: San Diego, CA

Coming from a family involved in the restaurant business, food was always how Sally's family knew they were loved and provided for. At the young age of 21, she decided to open her own restaurant, an "upscale Asian hotpot" concept in La Jolla, CA. Unaware of the appropriate lease terms, Sally spent almost \$100k of her and her parents' money, only to have the space sold to a neighbor who doubled the lease. Still struggling from the financial repercussions of this bad deal, Sally is determined to recover and eventually run "an empire" in the restaurant business that will support herself and her parents in their old age.