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RONALD REAGAN: DEATH OF A SALESMAN

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Italian RESTAURANTS

Tosca 4038 EAST TREMONT AVENUE,
BRONX, 718.239.3300 A Stone's throw from the
Throgs Neck Bridge (what's a throg, anyway?), Tosca
inherited a coal oven from a bakery, and immediately
put it to use turning out excellent pizzas in the style
of the old masters from Brooklyn and Manhattan.
Though the menu touches all the bases of northern
and southern Italian cooking, the best stuff is
southern: eggplant rollatini and escarole soup.

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