Quality begins with the basics



Improve Your Bottle Ketchup Service

- 1. Daily replacement of ketchup bottles is best and advisable. A fresh, clean bottle makes a great first impression.
- 2. Do not reuse bottles.
- 3. To clean the tops of opened ketchup bottles and the inside of the caps, <u>use</u> a dry, clean paper napkin or paper towel. Do not use wet cloths; a common cause of contamination which can result in fermentation.
- 4. Refrigerate opened bottles during non-business hours.
- **Do not refill ketchup bottles.** Refilling reduces product quality, freshness and appearance.

10 Reasons Not To Refill Your Ketchup Bottles

- **1.** New bottles have the freshest tasting ketchup.
- 2. Fresh bottles allow you to serve the best looking ketchup.
 There are no dark or uneven layers.
- **3.** New bottles make the best first impression on your customers:
 - -labels are clean and fresh looking
 - —there's no excess ketchup on the rim or cap
 - —bottles are filled to the proper level
- 4. Refilled bottles can spoil.

- **5.** Repeated refilling may result in yeast fermentation.
- **6.** Refilling can result in spilled and wasted bulk ketchup.
- 7. It's time consuming.
- **8.** It's a messy job most employees try to avoid.
- **9.** Higher labor costs eliminate economies.
- 10. Fresh ketchup tastes better. It's a clear sign of the care you take in every detail.

