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featuring

TOP
CALIFORNIA
WINES



DISCOVER OUR LATEST COLLECTION, IN STORES AND ONLINE **SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 2019**

wines of the month

Sweet '16s

SUBMISSION CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016

California
628230 (D) 750 mL \$19.95 ✂

TASTING NOTE: You know those bottles that bring you to your knees? This is one of them. **Backstory:** One of the better wine agencies in Toronto, Halpern Enterprises, went to California to scout a \$20 Cab that kills it – and they came back with this very serious find. With a crushed velvet mouth feel – all polished on top and plush underneath – this wine draws you in with flavours of ripe mixed berries, café latte, smoked plum, milk chocolate, toasted tobacco and vanilla cream. Elegant yet slightly brooding, this wine is a steal. **Score: 96** (Carolyn Evans Hammond, *Toronto Star*, July 6, 2018)

Full-bodied & Smooth

CAPARZO ROSSO DI MONTALCINO 2016

DOC, Tuscany, Italy
333575 (XD) 750 mL \$19.95 🍷

TASTING NOTE: Bright and fresh, boasting cherry, raspberry, earth and iron flavors. Balanced, with a burst of energy on the finish. Drink now. 12,000 cases made. **Score: 90** (Bruce Sanderson, *winespectator.com*, Oct. 31, 2018)

Medium-bodied & Fruity



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**GOLDEN
STATEMENTS**
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GOLDEN STATEME

California's wine scene has it all: big names, cult followings, bottled sunshine and cutting-edge expressions. In short, there's something for any wine lover, be it an impactful holiday gift or an impressive plus-one to bring along to a festive gathering. Read on for a selection of **statement-making Cali wines** and the inside scoop on what makes them special.



NTS

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All the wines and spirits in this catalogue can be ordered online at lcb.com or through our app.





Created by the winemaking dream team of Mondavi and Moueix, this wine is a classic customer favourite and a must-have for every collector. A blend inspired by the wines of Bordeaux, it's got massive complexity and impeccable structure that can reward patience or provide a superb experience right away."

Gillian

Product Consultant
Ancaster



DOMINUS NAPANOOK 2015

Napa Valley
(Christian Moueix)

96 points (James Suckling, jamesuckling.com)

Full-bodied & Smooth

212357 (XD) 750 mL \$134.95

FOR COMPLETE TASTING NOTE AND TO ORDER ONLINE, SEE PAGE 26.





**STAGS' LEAP WINERY THE LEAP
CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016**

Estate grown, Stags Leap District,
Napa Valley

From a winery founded in 1893, The Leap is sourced from select blocks within the winery's estate vineyard that are, on average, 25 years old. Expect an approachably elegant, silky wine with evocations of dark fruit, espresso and spices.

Full-bodied & Smooth

142844 (XD) 750 mL \$119.95 ✎

**BERINGER PRIVATE RESERVE
CHARDONNAY 2017**

Napa Valley

Beringer, which was founded in 1876, is one of California's first premium producers and is now the state's oldest continuously operating winery. This beautifully rich, ripe, oak-aged Chardonnay is from the Private Reserve portfolio, which represents the winery's pinnacle of quality.

**93+ points (Lisa Perrotti-Brown, MW,
robertparker.com)**

Full-bodied & Rich

026682 (D) 750 mL \$64.95 ✎

FOR COMPLETE TASTING NOTES AND TO ORDER
ONLINE, SEE PAGES 24 TO 27.



Elegant, expressive, rich and full, Kistler's Sonoma Mountain Chardonnay is the perfect representation of what California does best. With its luxuriously creamy texture and beautifully integrated oak, it's an unforgettable gift for any Chardonnay lover or collector of fine wines."

Jennifer

Product Consultant
Scarborough



**KISTLER SONOMA MOUNTAIN
CHARDONNAY 2017**
Sonoma Mountain, Sonoma County

Full-bodied & Rich

183921 (XD) 750 mL \$114.95 ✓

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ONLINE, SEE PAGE 25.



Kistler

*Sonoma Mountain
Chardonnay*

2017

57 barrels of this vintage were produced

“Vintages offers a spectacular and inspiring collection of wines from all over the world. Maybe you want to impress that California wine connoisseur in your life, or pick up a last-minute crowd-pleaser for a holiday gathering? We’ve got you covered.”

Gillian

Product Consultant
Ancaster



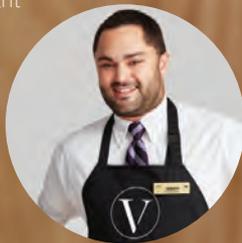
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Available in stores or at lcbo.com.



Vintages has something special for everyone, for every occasion, on every budget. Around the holidays we get in many exclusive wines from premium producers that we may only see once a year, including big names from California. We can even help make a gift extra special by wrapping it up nicely to make it easy for you!”

Jerry

Product Consultant
Gravenhurst





ST. SUPÉRY ÉLU 2015

Napa Valley

St. Supéry's wines are made exclusively from estate fruit and are certified Napa Green sustainable. This savoury, multidimensional wine is a blend of Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Malbec, Cabernet Franc and Petit Verdot.

94 points (James Suckling, jamesuckling.com)

Full-bodied & Firm
052191 (XD) 750 mL
\$99.95 ➔

Sustainable product

SILVER OAK NAPA VALLEY CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2014

Napa Valley

Silver Oak ages their Cabernet in white American oak sourced from their own cooperage, imparting coconut notes and a creamy texture to the wine. Always a collector favourite, this wine includes dollops of Merlot, Cab Franc, Petit Verdot and Malbec.

Full-bodied & Firm
936039 (XD) 750 mL
\$204.95 ✂

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SHAFER RED SHOULDER RANCH CHARDONNAY 2016
Carneros, Napa Valley

Red Shoulder Ranch is a hillside vineyard in Los Carneros, where the Napa Valley meets the northernmost rim of San Francisco Bay. This oak-aged Chardonnay is both pretty and powerful, with floral notes and rich tropical fruit.

94 points (Virginie Boone, *Wine Enthusiast*)

Full-bodied & Rich
045583 (XD) 750 mL
\$84.95 ✓

ROBERT MONDAVI TO KALON VINEYARD RESERVE FUMÉ BLANC 2015
Napa Valley

One of the founding fathers of the California wine scene, Robert Mondavi based his signature white wine style, Fumé Blanc, on Sauvignon Blanc. This expressive, complex wine comes from a historic vineyard originally planted in 1960.

93 points (MaryAnn Worobiec, *winespectator.com*)

Aromatic & Flavourful
326165 (XD) 750 mL
\$59.95 ✓

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This is an iconic Cabernet from a widely recognized name in California wine. It always makes an impressive gift and is a spectacular wine to bring along for the host who's invited you to their home for a holiday dinner."

Bryce

Product Consultant
Oakville



**DUCKHORN
CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016**
Napa Valley

Full-bodied & Firm

024190 (XD) 750 mL \$89.95 ✓

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ONLINE, SEE PAGE 26.





Customers always tell me that shopping Vintages is a highlight of their LCBO experience. Plus it's a great gifting destination! There's something special in Vintages for everyone on your list, and as consultants, we take pride in and are enthusiastic about helping you find that perfect gift!"

Jennifer

Product Consultant
Scarborough





**FAUST
CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016**
Napa Valley

The flagship wine in the Faust portfolio is this, the seductive and complex Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon. It's made with fruit from estate vineyards in Coombsville and Rutherford along with fruit sourced from mountain vineyards.

93 points (James Molesworth, *winespectator.com*)

Full-bodied & Firm
238261 (XD) 750 mL
\$59.95

**TURLEY JUVENILE
ZINFANDEL 2017**
California

First planted in California way back in 1850, Zinfandel has established itself as a signature grape variety of the Golden State. This vibrant, spicy Zin is a blend of young-vine fruit from 13 different counties across California.

91+ points (Erin Brooks, *robertparker.com*)

Full-bodied & Smooth
012217 (XD) 750 mL
\$49.95

New at Vintages

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“This seductive wine from world-famous winemaker Joe Wagner is not your average Pinot Noir. While the majority of Pinots are quite light-bodied and subtle, Belle Glos Pinots are rich, velvety and decadent. I poured one of their Pinots with a meal of venison in a cherry reduction and cherry-chocolate cheesecake for dessert, and my guests loved the wine with both! If you’re looking for an extraordinary gift, this sleek, attractively presented wine has that ‘wow’ factor.”

Jerry

Product Consultant
Gravenhurst



**BELLE GLOS EULENLOCH
PINOT NOIR 2015**

Carneros, Napa Valley
(Joseph J. Wagner)

**92 points (Natalie MacLean,
nataliemaclean.com)**

Medium-bodied & Fruity

010095 (D) 750 mL \$59.95 ✓

New at Vintages

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**GRGICH HILLS
CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2014**

Estate grown, Napa Valley

Mike Grgich was the winemaker behind the now-legendary 1973 Chateau Montelena Chardonnay, which took top spot at the 1976 Judgment of Paris tasting, before he founded his own winery in Rutherford. This supple, spicy Cabernet is made from estate fruit.

**92 points (Jeb Dunnuck,
internationalwinereport.com)**

Full-bodied & Firm

071407 (XD) 750 mL \$99.95 ✓

 **Organic product**

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GRGICH HILLS
ESTATE



Napa Valley
CABERNET SAUVIGNON
ESTATE 2014 GROWN





Plenty of customers shop Vintages during the holiday season and are looking for help with gift giving. With so many wonderful wines from California and around the globe available this time of year, we're here to help. Our expertise will give you the confidence to find the perfect gift for anyone on your list."

Bryce

Product Consultant
Oakville



**TALBOTT SLEEPY HOLLOW VINEYARD
PINOT NOIR 2014**

Santa Lucia Highlands, Monterey County

Santa Lucia Highlands in sub-coastal Monterey County is an ideal place to grow cool-climate varieties. Talbott Vineyards has been making expressive, elegant, Burgundian-inspired Pinot Noir and Chardonnay on their estate there for over three decades.

92 points (Matt Kettman, *Wine Enthusiast*)

Medium-bodied & Fruity

010467 (XD) 750 mL \$54.95 ✓

New at Vintages

**CLIFF LEDE STAGS LEAP DISTRICT
CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016**

Stags Leap District, Napa Valley

Canadian-born Cliff Lede founded his namesake winery among the hallowed hills of Napa's Stags Leap District in 2002, inspired by the wines of Bordeaux. Since then, the estate has become famous for its rich, complex Cabernet.

93 points (Lisa Perrotti-Brown, MW, *robertparker.com*)

Full-bodied & Firm

014217 (XD) 750 mL \$119.95 ✓

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DESTINATION COLLECTION

DISCOVER THE
BEST SELECTION OF

CALIFORNIA WINE

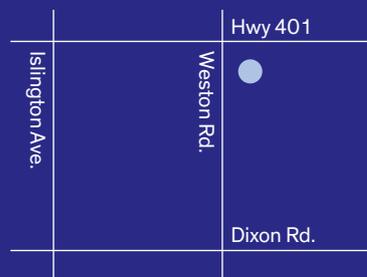


IN CANADA



Explore an extensive selection of California wines at our special destination boutique (**Hwy. 401 & Weston Rd., Toronto**), from Golden State signatures like Cabernet Sauvignon, Chardonnay and Zinfandel to Merlot, Pinot Noir, Sauvignon Blanc and much more. Many of these wines have never been available before except in bars and restaurants.

Speak with an in-store Product Consultant for expert advice on these offerings, or view a curated list from the collection at lcb.com/destination and order online.



VINTAGES WHAT'S ON

A snapshot of exciting events, great wines to try, new collections, special offers and more.

IN STORES NOW

Gift Rapt

Our special holiday collection of **30 giftable wines** makes your shopping simpler so you can focus on the festivities. From large-format bottles to unique boxed sets to holiday limited editions and more, you'll find something for everyone on your list.



TOMMASI GRATICCIO & PINOT GRIGIO

Two bottles in gift box, Veneto, Italy
517722 2 x 750 mL **\$39.95**

Two popular styles from one of the most iconic names in Italian wine: A classic Pinot Grigio from this classic Veneto producer, and a red made in the popular appassimento style, using grapes dried on bamboo mats (called graticcio) to bring more intense flavour to the wine.



MARCHESI DE' FRESCOBALDI TENUTA DI CASTIGLIONI

IGT Toscana, Tuscany, Italy
474759 (D) 1500 mL **\$48.95** ✓

When you give Frescobaldi's silky, modern large format of our popular Essentials product (145920), you're gifting over 700 years of winemaking tradition. A great offering for the party host or an impressive gift in its own right.



PALMES D'OR BRUT & TWO GLASSES

AC Champagne, France
(Nicolas Feuillatte)
011240 (XD) 750 mL **\$189.95** ✓

Champagne is always an elegant, thoughtful gift. This exemplary example is crafted from equal measures of Pinot Noir and Chardonnay sourced from grand cru sites and was aged for eight years.

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2. Place your order (if using the LCBO app, select Same-Day Pickup at checkout).
3. Receive notification your order is ready.
4. Pick up same day.



IN STORES SOON

Mark your calendars! Nouveau Riches

GAMAY FANS TAKE NOTE: the 2019 Beaujolais Nouveau is on its way! Our much-anticipated annual release, available on November 14, will feature Nouveau wines from France and Italy, including:

- Joseph Drouhin Beaujolais-Villages Nouveau 113266
- Georges Duboeuf Beaujolais-Villages Nouveau 932780
- Mommessin Beaujolais Nouveau 897934
- Bouchard Aîné & Fils Beaujolais Nouveau 638080
- Mezzacorona Novello 443192



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Find **great gifts** in our November Classics Collection

AS HOLIDAY PLANNING RAMPS UP, look to our newest Classics Collection for winning ideas. Highlights include:

- Highly rated French wines for connoisseurs and collectors.
- From Italy: four polished Barolos, multiple sizes of the 2016 Sassicaia and 2016 Luce, and two wines from Quintarelli.
- From Spain: high-scoring wines, including the 2015 Muga Aro and the 1964 Faustino I Gran Reserva.
- From Australia: distinct takes on Shiraz from Clonakilla and Standish, and a classic Cabernet from Margaret River.
- From Argentina: two 100% Malbecs and a stunning single-vineyard 2012 Bordeaux blend.
- From Chile: the 100-point 2014 Clos Apalta and a powerhouse blend of old-vine Cabernet and Carmenère.
- From California, Washington and Oregon: big names and bigger scores.
- For fortified wine aficionados: the 2000 Graham's Vintage Port, the Taylor Fladgate 40-Year-Old Tawny, Toro Albala's 1990 Gran Reserva Don PX and the legendary Toneles Moscatel from Valdespino.

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LOCAL FIND



Laura Ruffolo
Ontario Wine Buyer

An insider's
guide to great
Ontario wines.

Miracle on 13th Street

Just like the best sparkling wines of Champagne, this bubbly is crafted in the traditional method whereby the magic that makes the bubbles – namely, the second fermentation – happens in the bottle itself. Winemaker JP Colas and his team rest the wine on the lees for a full 48 months, giving rise to gorgeous biscuity and brioche notes, and they give it zero dosage, because some things are miraculous enough just the way they are.



**13TH STREET
PREMIER CUVÉE
SPARKLING 2013**

Traditional method,
VQA Niagara Peninsula
142679 (XD) 750 mL
\$39.95

Rich & Complex

For complete tasting
note and to order online,
see page 22.



I love it
because...

1. It shows complex flavours thanks to 4+ years ageing in cellar.
2. It's a Pinot Noir and Chardonnay blend that displays gorgeous orchard fruit, lemon and brioche.
3. It's a top-quality sparkling wine perfect for holiday celebrations.

Laura



13th
STREET
WINERY
Méthode Traditionnelle
PREMIER CUVÉE
VQA NIAGARA PENINSULA VQA
2013

product notes

DRINKABILITY INDEX

This index is intended as a guideline and reflects the collective view of our purchasing panel.



DRINK NOW: Enjoy tonight. There is no benefit to cellaring.



DRINK OR HOLD: Can be enjoyed now, but may be matured further by cellaring, depending on individual preference.



HOLD: Ideal for further cellaring. This wine may well be enjoyed now by some, but we feel that it will develop favourably under ideal cellaring conditions.

PERCEIVED SUGAR CONTENT

Perceived dryness/sweetness by tasting evaluation. Vintages scale ranges from Extra Dry to Sweet: **XD, D, M, MS, S**. Please discuss specifics with our Product Consultants.

WINE STYLES

Every wine in this section includes a style, above the product number (e.g. Full-bodied & Smooth, Aromatic & Flavourful). These simplified flavour profiles are designed to help customers quickly and easily choose products. For detailed descriptions of each style, and more information, visit lcbo.com/winestyles.

ORGANIC PRODUCTS

Wines designated as organic contain 30 mg/L or less of free sulphur for dry wines (<50 g/L sugar); 35 mg/L or less for sweeter wines (50-99 g/L sugar); 45 mg/L or less for sweet wines (>99 g/L sugar).

ALCOHOL CONTENT

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FORTIFIED WINE

VERMOUTH

GIULIO COCCHI STORICO VERMOUTH DI TORINO Italy

Cocktails are as trendy as trendy can be, and high-quality, classic Vermouths like this one are a major reason why. This is a concentrated, robust Vermouth that will deliver suggestions of honey, citrus and spice. A great choice for mixing with Bourbon. This was ranked #1 Top Trending Vermouth by *Drinks International* in 2018.

Sweet

750 mL (S)

\$29.95

461913



PORT

KOPKE COLHEITA PORT 1999 Bottled 2019, DOP

This Port will deliver a lively, energetic acidity. Look for notes of raisin, dried plum, green tea, ginger and roasted almond in a tightly focused, long wine.

Sweet

750 mL (S)

\$64.95

010903



NEW

EUROPEAN FORTIFIED

BACALHÔA MOSCATEL DE SETÚBAL 2016 DOC, Portugal

TASTING NOTE: The 2016 Moscatel de Setúbal was aged in used French oak for 20 months. Bottled in November 2018 with a screwcap, it comes in with 140 grams of residual sugar and 17% alcohol ... Spicy and tangy, this is tightly wound and a great value. Intense and long on the finish, it finishes relatively dry and stern in perception. This is nicely done – it has its limitations at a young age, but it is a nice peek into what these can be at a bargain price. The price references a full bottle too. Drink date: 2019-2025. Score: **88** (Mark Squires, *robertparker.com*, Aug. 30, 2019)

Sweet

750 mL (S)

\$14.95

996181



DESSERT WINE



CAVE SPRING INDIAN SUMMER LATE HARVEST RIESLING 2017 🍁

Estate grown, VQA Lincoln Lakeshore, Niagara Peninsula, Ontario

TASTING NOTE: Solidly in the dessert wine camp in this vintage ... Peach, apricot and ripe nectarine fruit flavors abound, with a drip of honey. It's juicy and big, but never cloying, and finishes with a suggestion of dry straw. Score: **93** (Paul Gregutt, *Wine Enthusiast*, March 1, 2019)

Medium Sweet
375 mL (S) **\$24.95** 🍷
415901

SPECIALTY WINES

FRUIT WINE



SOUTHBROOK FRAMBOISE 🍁
Ontario

TASTING NOTE: Sour raspberry aroma, showing accurate fruit character. This wine has a rich, silky texture that is quite striking. Pure raspberry flavours. Also has some balance from pithy tannins, too. Tasty! Very well made and balanced dessert wine. Silver Medal winner at the 2019 National Wine Awards of Canada. Score: **90** (Craig Pinhey, *winealign.com*, July 20, 2019)

Sweet
375 mL (S) **\$19.95** 🍷
341024

ICEWINE



INNISKILLIN RIESLING ICEWINE 2017 🍁
VQA Niagara Peninsula, Ontario

TASTING NOTE: From Inniskillin's Niagara Estate, this complex and detailed wine deftly balances its 235 g/L of residual sugar against firming acidity. The lemonade and iced tea mix of an Arnold Palmer meets with rich flavors of honey, maple syrup and butterscotch. It's decadently delicious, lively and lingering. Editors' Choice. Score: **92** (Paul Gregutt, *Wine Enthusiast*, Nov. 1, 2018)

Lusciously Sweet
375 mL (S) **\$79.95** 🍷
558288



LAKEVIEW CELLARS CABERNET FRANC ICEWINE 2017 🍁
VQA Niagara Peninsula, Ontario

TASTING NOTE: Assessed in a comparative blind tasting of 14 red icewines at the 2019 Ontario Wine Awards ... Very attractive, sweet, spicy, vibrant, honeyed, ripe, raspberry-tinged, red and black cherry purée nose. Sweet but balanced, medium bodied, harmonious, spicy, honeyed, ripe strawberry flavours with a lingering, fairly high acid, bright, refreshing finish ... A Best Buy. Score: **93** (Michael Vaughan, *vintageassessments.com*, March 16, 2019)

Lusciously Sweet
200 mL (S) **\$29.95** 🍷
053397

SPARKLING WINE



13TH STREET PREMIER CUVÉE SPARKLING 2013 🍁

Traditional method, VQA Niagara Peninsula, Ontario

TASTING NOTE: This blend of equal parts chardonnay and pinot noir, produced in the traditional method and aged 48 months on its lees, displays aromas of apple, pear and citrus joined by biscuit and mineral notes repeating on the palate. Made with zero dosage, this dry sparkling wine has a refreshing, finely-beaded mousse and basks in vivid fruit flavours while allowing the mineral and biscuit characters to shine through the clean finish. Medium-light bodied and well balanced, subtle hints of brioche and almonds are carried into the aftertaste. Score: **92** (Lisa Isabelle, *winecurrent.com*, April 22, 2019)

Rich & Complex
750 mL (XD) **\$39.95** 🍷
142679

Featured in Local Find



CUDDY BY TAWSE SPARKLING 🍁
Traditional method, VQA Twenty Mile Bench, Niagara Escarpment, Ontario

TASTING NOTE: A terrific, robust, savoury Niagara sparkling wine. The wine is made by the much respected Tawse Winery in partnership with Blue Rodeo lead singer Jim Cuddy. Aromas of golden apple and brioche. Lovely. Pair with shellfish. Drink: 2018-2021. Score: **92** (Natalie MacLean, *natalie maclean.com*, Sept. 27, 2018)

Medium-bodied & Flavourful
750 mL (D) **\$25.95** 🍷
546762

🍷 **Biodynamic product**



JACKSON-TRIGGS ENTOURAGE GRAND RESERVE BRUT SPARKLING 2015 🍁

Traditional method, VQA Niagara Peninsula, Ontario

TASTING NOTE: A consistently top value in the category of Niagara Traditional Method sparkling wine. Offering an abundance of citrus and stone fruit, sprightly acidity and the calming presence of toasty, lees-derived flavours palate. A nicely balanced dosage keeps the palate dry and crisp adding only mid-weight roundness that contributes to a widely appealing style. Score: **90** (Sara d'Amato, *winealign.com*, Nov. 8, 2018)

Medium-bodied & Flavourful
750 mL (D) **\$29.95** 🍷

234161



CAVE DE LUGNY BRUT ROSÉ CRÉMANT DE BOURGOGNE

Traditional method, AC, Burgundy, France
Traditional-method sparkling wines are for more than just great parties; they also make exciting, food-friendly additions to casual and formal dining. This one will have orange and grapefruit citrus, a bright, driving acidity and an underlying minerality. Crisp and tangy, it will work with salmon or chicken or will be a wonderful palate-refresher between bites for more robust fare.

Light & Fruity
750 mL (D) **\$22.95** 🍷

297846

Sustainable product



MAGNOTTA VENTURE SERIES STARLIGHT SPARKLING 🍁

Charmat method, VQA Ontario

A portion of the proceeds from the sale of all Venture Series wines helps support the groundbreaking work underway at the G. Magnotta Lyme Disease Research Lab at the University of Guelph.

TASTING NOTE: Nice, although subtle, autolytic lees note, typical of Charmat method, along with citrus and a hint of apple. Medium mousse. Good balance and very clean. A nice, off-dry all purpose sparkler. Score: **89** (Craig Pinhey, *winealign.com*, July 20, 2019)

Light & Fruity
750 mL (M) **\$25.95** 🍷

582098



FERRARI BRUT SPARKLING

Traditional method, DOC Trento, Italy

TASTING NOTE: Lemon, apple and tar aromas follow through to a full body and a very fruity and flavorful finish. Disgorged in 2018. Drink now. Score: **90** (James Suckling, *jamesuckling.com*, Nov. 25, 2018)

Medium-bodied & Flavourful
750 mL (XD) **\$24.95** 🍷

352153

CANADA – WHITE WINE

ONTARIO

HENRY OF PELHAM SPECK FAMILY RESERVE RIESLING 2018 🍁

VQA Short Hills Bench, Niagara Escarpment

TASTING NOTE: ... a stunner of a riesling from a vintage that such a result is more than impressive. Niagara riesling in '18 are generally juicy and very forthright. While this SFR is not shy and comes equipped with phenolic realizations as developed as any it also sparks and flits with jagged excitement. The fruit comes at you in waves but so do the succulence of vital acids. You sense the gaseous propulsions and intuit a future built on benchmarks, from secondary through the tertiary. Long life ahead for this Short Hills Bench beauty. Drink 2019-2028. Tasted April 2019. Score: **93** (Michael Godel, *winealign.com*, May 1, 2019)

Aromatic & Flavourful
750 mL (D) **\$24.95** 🍷

643361



ROEDERER ESTATE BRUT SPARKLING

Anderson Valley, Mendocino, California

TASTING NOTE: This is an assertive, flavorful and robust wine, with a medium to full body, a mouth-filling texture and fine-beaded bubbles. A creamy viscosity and wonderful layers of butter, apple, vanilla and ginger make for a delicious palate. Editors' Choice. Score: **93** (Jim Gordon, *Wine Enthusiast*, Dec. 31, 2017)

Medium-bodied & Flavourful
750 mL (D) **\$40.95** 🍷

294181



CANADA – WHITE WINE CONT'D

ONTARIO



THE TRAGICALLY HIP AHEAD BY A CENTURY CHARDONNAY 2018 🍁
VQA Niagara Peninsula
(Stoney Ridge)

TASTING NOTE: Ahead by a Century Chardonnay was originally created to commemorate the 20th anniversary of The Tragically Hip's fifth album, *Trouble at the Henhouse*. Now in its fifth vintage, this wine is packed with juicy apple, butterscotch and vanilla and features a creamy mouthfeel and a toasty finish. It'll go beautifully alongside roast pork loin with an apple-and-onion gravy. (Vintages panel, Feb. 2019)

Full-bodied & Rich
750 mL (D) **\$21.95** 🍷

483875



WESTCOTT ESTATE CHARDONNAY 2017 🍁

VQA Vinemount Ridge, Niagara Peninsula
TASTING NOTE: This well-crafted chardonnay was barrel fermented and aged 11 months in French oak, 1/3 new. Caramel, buttered brioche and spice notes join aromas of apple and citrus on the nose. Dry, medium bodied, the nicely textured palate offers Gala apple and lemon zest flavours along with hints of caramel, spice and mineral are enjoyed through the leisurely finish. Score: **89** (Lisa Isabelle, *winecurrent.com*, April 22, 2019)

Light & Crisp
750 mL (XD) **\$27.95** 🍷

424507

CANADA – RED WINE

ONTARIO



THE TRAGICALLY HIP FULLY COMPLETELY RESERVE RED 2017 🍁
VQA Niagara Peninsula
(Stoney Ridge)

TASTING NOTE: The result of a collaboration between The Hip and Stoney Ridge Estate Winery, this wine blends Cabernet Sauvignon with Merlot and Cabernet Franc and offers ripe blackberry, plum, sweet spices and nutty notes, all in a beautiful balance. Pair with pulled-pork or steak sliders. (Vintages panel, Nov. 2018)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
750 mL (XD) **\$24.95** 🍷

411595

BRITISH COLUMBIA

BURROWING OWL PINOT NOIR 2017 🍁
BC VQA Okanagan Valley



Burrowing Owl, wisely, has been a leader in solar energy in BC's wine scene for the past 13 years. Their Pinot is a popular choice among Vintages customers, who appreciate its forward cherry and berry fruit, approachable texture and excellent balance. This wine will impress with grilled turkey or duck.

Medium-bodied & Fruity
750 mL (XD) **\$39.95** 🍷

556613

CANADA – ROSÉ WINE

ONTARIO

FEATHERSTONE ROSÉ 2018 🍁
VQA Niagara Peninsula



TASTING NOTE: This racy, eclectic blend – 42% cabernet franc/26% gamay noir/24% merlot/8% pinot noir ... offers aromas of eucalyptus and mixed spice before spreading over the palate with a tangy river of tart red currant and cranberry robed in sharp spice and oodles of tang. This is medium weight with generous mouthfeel and a lingering lip-smacking finish that keeps bringing you back for more. Pour with grilled calamari rings under a squeeze of fresh lemon ... Score: **89** (Vic Harradine, *winecurrent.com*, July 14, 2019)

Easygoing & Fruity
750 mL (D) **\$15.95** 🍷

117861

USA – WHITE WINE

CALIFORNIA

BERINGER PRIVATE RESERVE CHARDONNAY 2017
Napa Valley



TASTING NOTE: ... aged for ten months in 100% new French oak. It opens with beautiful crème brûlée and candied ginger notes over a core of pineapple and green mango with a waft of brioche. Medium-bodied, satiny and with fantastic freshness, it delivers loads of tropical layers and great length. Drink date: 2018-2023. Score: **93+** (Lisa Perrotti-Brown, MW, *robertparker.com*, Oct. 29, 2018)

Full-bodied & Rich
750 mL (D) **\$64.95** 🍷

026682

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KISTLER SONOMA MOUNTAIN CHARDONNAY 2017

Sonoma Mountain, Sonoma County
Kistler Vineyards has been making stunning Chardonnay in Sonoma since 1978. This Sonoma Mountain Chard, sourced from one estate vineyard in the Mayacama Range to the west and another on Sonoma Mountain proper, consistently knocks the socks off critics and our customers alike. Expect another elegant, refined expression in this newly released 2017 vintage.

Full-bodied & Rich
750 mL (XD) **\$114.95** 🍷

183921

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SHAFER RED SHOULDER RANCH CHARDONNAY 2016

Carneros, Napa Valley
TASTING NOTE: This is a perennially impressive wine, floral in a heady perfume of white roses. Fresh and fleshy, the expansive palate offers concentrated flavors of kiwi and pineapple. The wine was largely fermented in oak, then aged just over a year in French oak (75% new). It holds the oak well, ending bright in juicy acidity. Score: **94** (Virginie Boone, *Wine Enthusiast*, July 1, 2018)

Full-bodied & Rich
750 mL (XD) **\$84.95** 🍷

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ROBERT MONDAVI TO KALON VINEYARD RESERVE FUMÉ BLANC 2015

Napa Valley
TASTING NOTE: Expressive and complex, featuring an explosion of marmalade, candied lemon peel, peach custard and grilled grapefruit flavors. The smooth, succulent body is highlighted by spice and floral accents, with a juicy core of acidity weaving in and out. Drink now through 2022. Score: **93** (MaryAnn Worobiec, *winespectator.com*, Sept. 30, 2017)

Aromatic & Flavourful
750 mL (XD) **\$59.95** 🍷

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OREGON

ELK COVE PINOT GRIS 2017

Willamette Valley
TASTING NOTE: The 2017 Pinot Gris has an open nose of Bosc pears, white peach and apricot with touches of spring blossoms and wet pebbles. Light to medium-bodied with good concentration of fresh fruits in the mouth, it offers crisp, refreshing acidity, finishing long with just a touch of phenolic texture. Drink date: 2018-2020. Score: **90** (Erin Brooks, *robertparker.com*, Aug. 31, 2018)

Aromatic & Flavourful
750 mL (XD) **\$24.95** 🍷

955906



RODNEY STRONG CHALK HILL CHARDONNAY 2017

Sonoma County
TASTING NOTE: Way back in 1965, Rodney Strong was the first individual to plant Chardonnay in what would later be recognized as the Chalk Hill appellation in Sonoma County. This wine serves up opulent aromas of grilled pineapple, banana and coconut cream pie, with bright acidity introducing fresh lemon and crunchy apple flavours on the way to a crisp, lifted, citrusy finish. Best through 2022 with pork chops or lobster. (Vintages panel, Sept. 2019)

Full-bodied & Rich
750 mL (XD) **\$26.95** 🍷

275552



USA – RED WINE

CALIFORNIA

BELLE GLOS EULENLOCH PINOT NOIR 2015

Carneros, Napa Valley (Joseph J. Wagner)
TASTING NOTE: A medium-bodied, smooth Pinot Noir from Belle Glos. Aromas of ripe cherry and berry, not sweet. Smooth and polished with racy acidity for grilled chicken. Drink: 2019-2023. Score: **92** (Natalie MacLean, *nataliemaclean.com*, May 15, 2019)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
750 mL (D) **\$59.95** 🍷

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USA – RED WINE CONT'D

CALIFORNIA



CLIFF LEDE STAGS LEAP DISTRICT CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016

Stags Leap District, Napa Valley
 TASTING NOTE: ... 79% Cabernet Sauvignon, 11% Merlot, 8% Petit Verdot and 2% Cabernet Franc. Deep garnet-purple colored, it gives up notes of fresh blackcurrants, warm plums, unsmoked cigars and tilled soil with wafts of kirsch, sandalwood and dusty soil. Full-bodied and richly fruited in the mouth, it has a firm backbone of grainy tannins and a long earthy finish. Drink date: 2019-2034. Score: **93** (Lisa Perrotti-Brown, MW, *robertparker.com*, Oct. 29, 2018)

Full-bodied & Firm
 750 mL (XD) **\$119.95** 🍷

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DISTRICT 7 CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016
 Monterey County, Central Coast (Scheid Family)



TASTING NOTE: California is divided into 17 grape crush districts. District 7 is Monterey County, home to world-class vineyards and exceptional wines. This one boasts excellent balance and integration between the cherry and raspberry fruit and vanilla and oak spice tones. Fruity with an underlying black pepper complexity, this will be a good option for roast pork with prunes. (Vintages panel, Feb. 2019)

[The Harvest Challenge did not include a tasting note.]
 Score: **93** (Harvest Challenge, 2018)

Full-bodied & Firm
 750 mL (XD) **\$17.00** 🍷

010473

As seen in Food & Drink magazine



DOMINUS NAPANOOK 2015
 Napa Valley (Christian Moueix)

TASTING NOTE: This is fantastic on the nose with blackberries and forest flowers. Very aromatic. Full body with soft, well-integrated and medium-grained tannins. Undertones of black olives. Love the hints of sandalwood. Drink or hold. Score: **96** (James Suckling, *jamesuckling.com*, Dec. 17, 2018)

Full-bodied & Smooth
 750 mL (XD) **\$134.95** 🍷

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DUCKHORN CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016
 Napa Valley

TASTING NOTE: There's black-currant clarity to this clean and luscious cabernet, a blend of Duckhorn's estate-grown fruit with purchased grapes. The dark fruit is layered with brighter black-raspberry flavor and rich chocolate tones from its time in French oak barrels (50 percent new). Relatively light in weight but saturated in flavor, the wine sustains a lovely mineral tension as it opens with air. Score: **93** (*wineandspiritsmagazine.com*, Oct. 2019)

Full-bodied & Firm
 750 mL (XD) **\$89.95** 🍷

024190

Featured in Golden Statements



FAUST CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016
 Napa Valley

TASTING NOTE: Lush and inviting, with cassis, creamed plum and boysenberry puree flavors gliding through on a very polished structure, while anise, mocha and tobacco accents check in on the finish. A seductive style. Drink now through 2028. Score: **93** (James Molesworth, *winespectator.com*, June 15, 2019)

Full-bodied & Firm
 750 mL (XD) **\$59.95** 🍷

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GRGICH HILLS CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2014
 Estate grown, Napa Valley

TASTING NOTE: The 2014 Grgich Hills Cabernet Sauvignon opens to seductive aromatics of blackberries and dark cherries woven together with sweet spices, toast, spring florals and a touch of anise, which all soar from the glass. Medium to full-bodied with a lovely round, polished texture along with excellent depth and balance. Dark fruits and sweet spices remain persistent as they expand through the velvety finish. Best 2017-2029. Score: **92** (Jeb Dunnuck, *internationalwinereport.com*, June 2017)

Full-bodied & Firm
 750 mL (XD) **\$99.95** 🍷

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 🍷 **Organic product**



**RODNEY STRONG
ALEXANDER VALLEY
CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016**

Alexander Valley, Sonoma County

TASTING NOTE: Rodney Strong has been growing Cabernet Sauvignon since 1971. In this wine, campfire smoke, dark cherries and chocolate create a pleasant mood. Great polish and poise, with a seamless structure, elegant mouthfeel and a nice bit of chew to the tannins on the finish. This will wow through 2025 with smoked duck charcuterie, or steaks with a chipotle-and-cocoa rub. (Vintages panel, Sept. 2019)

Full-bodied & Firm

750 mL (XD) **\$32.95** 🍷

350454



ST. SUPÉRY ÉLU 2015

Napa Valley

TASTING NOTE: Sandalwood, terracotta, balsamic, cedar, tobacco and then a nice helping of dark plums, blueberry essence, walnuts and dark chocolate. Full body, plus tannins, lovely acidity and a long finish. A blend of cabernet sauvignon, merlot, malbec, cabernet franc and petit verdot. Drink in 2021. Score: **94** (James Suckling, *jamesuckling.com*, Dec. 21, 2017)

Full-bodied & Firm

750 mL (XD) **\$99.95** 🍷

052191

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Sustainable product



SEGHESIO SONOMA ZINFANDEL 2017

Sonoma County

TASTING NOTE: Plump and supple, with soft raspberry, toasted spice and licorice flavors that glide along a silky finish. Drink now through 2023. Score: **91** (Tim Fish, *winespectator.com*, April 30, 2019)

Full-bodied & Smooth

750 mL (XD) **\$29.95** 🍷

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**STAGS' LEAP WINERY THE LEAP
CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016**

Estate grown, Stags Leap District, Napa Valley

Stags' Leap Winery, founded in 1893, is one of California's oldest wineries. The Leap is sourced from select Cabernet Sauvignon blocks within the winery's estate vineyard that are, on average, 25 years old. In the 2016 vintage, expect an approachably elegant, silky wine with evocations of dark fruit, espresso and spices.

Full-bodied & Smooth

750 mL (XD) **\$119.95** 🍷

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**SILVER OAK NAPA VALLEY
CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2014**

Napa Valley

Silver Oak ages their Cabernet, always a collector favourite, in white American oak sourced from their own cooperage, imparting coconut notes and a creamy texture to the wine. This Cab includes dollops of Merlot, Cab Franc, Petit Verdot and Malbec and can be expected to impress through 2040.

Full-bodied & Firm

750 mL (XD) **\$204.95** 🍷

936039

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**SUBMISSION
CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016**

California

TASTING NOTE: You know those bottles that bring you to your knees? This is one of them. Backstory: One of the better wine agencies in Toronto, Halpern Enterprises, went to California to scout a \$20 Cab that kills it – and they came back with this very serious find. With a crushed velvet mouth feel – all polished on top and plush underneath – this wine draws you in with flavours of ripe mixed berries, café latte, smoked plum, milk chocolate, toasted tobacco and vanilla cream. Elegant yet slightly brooding, this wine is a steal. Score: **96** (Carolyn Evans Hammond, *Toronto Star*, July 6, 2018)

Full-bodied & Smooth

750 mL (D) **\$19.95** 🍷

628230

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USA – RED WINE CONT'D

CALIFORNIA



TALBOTT SLEEPY HOLLOW VINEYARD PINOT NOIR 2014

Santa Lucia Highlands, Monterey County
 TASTING NOTE: Savory spice meets with lavish fruit on the nose of this bottling, conveying smashed figs, baked mulberries, smoked meats, oregano, gingerbread and black pepper. Baked mulberries also show on the palate, where vanilla, allspice, star anise and clove make for a rich, dessert-like palate. Score: **92** (Matt Kettman, *Wine Enthusiast*, March 1, 2017)



Medium-bodied & Fruity
 750 mL (XD) **\$54.95** 🍷

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TURLEY JUVENILE ZINFANDEL 2017

California
 TASTING NOTE: This is a blend of young-vine fruit from 13 different counties in California. Pale to medium ruby-purple, the 2017 Zinfandel Juvenile is scented of cinnamon toast and licorice with warm red currants, cranberries, warm black berries and cherries with blue fruits and spicy hints. Light to medium-bodied, it has a good core of fruit in the mouth with loads of warm spices coming through, framed by softly textured tannins and juicy acidity, finishing long and spicy. Drink date: 2019–2023. Score: **91+** (Erin Brooks, *robertparker.com*, March 14, 2019)



Full-bodied & Smooth
 750 mL (XD) **\$49.95** 🍷

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OREGON

SOLÉNA GRAND CUVÉE PINOT NOIR 2017

Willamette Valley
 TASTING NOTE: There's a fresh array of wild cherries and strawberries on offer here and the palate has silky and sleek, flowing tannins that carry well onto the rich, fresh finish. Score: **92** (James Suckling, *jamesuckling.com*, July 2, 2019)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
 750 mL (XD) **\$33.95** 🍷

486944



UNDERWOOD PINOT NOIR 2017

Oregon
 (Union Wine Company)

TASTING NOTE: Sourced mainly from the Umpqua Valley appellation in southern Oregon, this Pinot Noir offers jammy raspberry, dark cherry and smoky baking chocolate while a bit of chewy tannin shapes the finish. It'll pair nicely with smoked or cured meats. (Vintages panel, Aug. 2019)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
 750 mL (XD) **\$22.95** 🍷

421198

WASHINGTON

WINES OF SUBSTANCE CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2017

Columbia Valley
 (Charles Smith)

TASTING NOTE: The base 2017 Cabernet Sauvignon is brilliant, and as Cabernet Sauvignon goes, it's a value that's hard to beat! Classic black and blue fruits, damp earth, violets, and tobacco notes all emerge from this medium to full-bodied effort that stays pure, impeccably balanced, and vibrant on the palate. It's the real deal, and if it was from Napa, it would sell for 3-4 times the price. Score: **93** (Jeb Dunnuck, *jebdunnuck.com*, April 11, 2019)



Full-bodied & Firm
 750 mL (XD) **\$23.95** 🍷

419770

MEXICO – RED WINE

L.A. CETTO PETITE SIRAH 2016

Guadalupe Valley, Baja California
 L.A. Cetto was founded in 1975. Their Petite Sirah is beloved for its value and for the consistency and depth of rich dark fruit, spice, leather and smoke it delivers. A great mid-week wine for meaty pizzas, or pour it on the weekend with a casual dinner of grilled steak or burgers.



Full-bodied & Smooth
 750 mL (XD) **\$12.95** 🍷

983742

ARGENTINA – WHITE WINE



**KAIKEN TERROIR SERIES
TORRONTÉS 2018**
Cafayate Valley, Salta

TASTING NOTE: Pear drops, apple candy, caramelized nectarines and orange blossom. Medium body and plenty of stone fruit, but it's nicely balanced out by bright acidity. Drink now. Score: **91** (James Suckling, jamesuckling.com, April 3, 2019)

Aromatic & Flavourful
750 mL (XD) **\$17.95** 🍷

330407

ARGENTINA – RED WINE



**KAIKEN ULTRA
CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2017**
Vistalba Vineyard, Mendoza

TASTING NOTE: Lots of sweet-tobacco and currant aromas with hints of fresh flowers. Medium to full body, chewy tannins and a savory finish. Old vines give real character. Better to drink after 2021, but already beautiful. Score: **93** (James Suckling, jamesuckling.com, April 3, 2019)

Full-bodied & Firm
750 mL (XD) **\$19.95** 🍷

135202



**SUSANA BALBO
SIGNATURE MALBEC 2017**
Uco Valley, Mendoza

TASTING NOTE: The aromas of this wine are so wonderful with blue fruit, blackberries and black tea. Ample violet undertones. Medium to full body, very fine tannins and a fresh and clean finish. Drink or hold. Score: **94** (James Suckling, jamesuckling.com, March 27, 2019)

Full-bodied & Smooth
750 mL (XD) **\$19.95** 🍷

079798



**VERSADO RESERVA ANCIENT
MALBEC 2013**

Mendoza
(Ann Sperling and Peter Gamble)

TASTING NOTE: ... takes the Canadian winemaking team of Peter Gamble and Ann Sperling into a next vintage swoon with a malbec that will wake you up from out of a coma. The Ancient may refer to near century aged vines that are planted at the peaks of foothills to the Andes mountains ... This '13 is not as chewy as the previous stunner but it demands to be noticed with its equal amount of ecumenical character and off the charts acidity ... The tannins are as limber as ever and this vintage comes to you with more ease than the last ... Pair it well today with marbled protein or wait three years for more diverse unions. This is the next bomb, albeit one with a touch less shock and bang. Drink 2021-2028. Score: **92** (Michael Godel, winealign.com, Aug. 13, 2018)

Full-bodied & Firm
750 mL (XD) **\$59.95** 🍷

316984



VIÑA COBOS BRAMARE MALBEC 2015
Unfined and unfiltered, Uco Valley, Mendoza
(Paul Hobbs)

TASTING NOTE: Shows focus and intensity. Medium to full body, lots of pretty fruit intensity and a dried fruit and chocolate undertone. Drink or hold. Punchy. Score: **93** (James Suckling, jamesuckling.com, June 21, 2017)

Full-bodied & Smooth
750 mL (XD) **\$44.95** 🍷

123729



**VIÑALBA GRAN RESERVA
MALBEC 2015**
Uco Valley, Mendoza



TASTING NOTE: 100% Malbec. Saturated dark black-purple in colour, with arrestingly floral aromas, alluring plum, damson and sloe fruits and a grind of pink peppercorn, too: so splendid in its youthful appeal that it seems a shame to wait any longer, though the depth of the wine suggests that it would take ageing in its stride. On the palate, the wine is dark, concentrated and once again head-turningly floral and fresh, without any evident 'heat' or overripeness. Brilliant Malbec from a great site. Drink date: 2018-2023. Score: **97** (Decanter World Wine Awards, 2018)

Full-bodied & Smooth
750 mL (XD) **\$24.95** 🍷

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CHILE – WHITE WINE

IN SITU RESERVA CHARDONNAY 2018

Aconcagua Valley (San Esteban)

TASTING NOTE: Always a good buy if you're looking for an easy-drinking, value-for-money Chardonnay, this lightly wooded Aconcagua white has subtle peach and pear fruit, good acidity and just a hint of nutmeg spice. Drink date: 2019-2023. Score: **90** (Tim Atkin, MW, *timatkin.com*, *Chile Special Report 2019*)

Light & Crisp

750 mL (XD) **\$14.95** 🍷

010765



VUELO GRAND RESERVA MERLOT 2016

Cachapoal Valley

TASTING NOTE: Aged 12 months in a combo of French and American oak, this Merlot is in its prime and showing lovely evolutionary complexity of stewed prunes and raisins, gorgeous vanilla oak tones and supportive tannins. A great value, it'll show best now through 2020 with beef stews or lentil-and-mushroom dishes. (Vintages panel, Jan. 2019)

Full-bodied & Smooth

750 mL (XD) **\$16.95** 🍷

011141



CHILE – RED WINE

ERRAZURIZ ACONCAGUA ALTO CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2017*

DO Aconcagua Valley

TASTING NOTE: Extremely floral with currant and tea-leaf aromas that follow through to a full-bodied palate with fine and creamy tannins and a delicious finish. Focused and pure. Savory and nicely structured. Drinkable now, but will improve with age. Score: **93** (James Suckling, *jamesuckling.com*, April 5, 2019)

Full-bodied & Firm

750 mL (XD) **\$21.95** 🍷

203364



WILLIAM COLE GRAND RESERVE PINOT NOIR 2017

Casablanca Valley

TASTING NOTE: A very pretty pinot with lots of orange rind, citrus, lavender, raspberries and herbs. Medium-to-full body, lovely fresh acidity, firm tannins and a long, chewy finish. Drink now or hold. Score: **93** (James Suckling, *jamesuckling.com*, March 16, 2018)

Medium-bodied & Fruity

750 mL (XD) **\$19.95** 🍷

010762



SAN PEDRO 1865 SELECTED VINEYARDS CARMENÈRE 2017

DO Maule Valley

TASTING NOTE: A ripe but well crafted carmenere with a slew of blueberry and blackberry aromas, plus delicate spicy and smoky notes. Medium to full body and elegant tannins that carry the long finish. Drink or hold. Score: **91** (James Suckling, *jamesuckling.com*, April 5, 2019)

Medium-bodied & Fruity

750 mL (XD) **\$19.95** 🍷

249201

AUSTRALIA – WHITE WINE



D'ARENBERG THE HERMIT CRAB VIOGNIER/MARSANNE 2017

McLaren Vale, South Australia

TASTING NOTE: The Hermit Crab was McLaren Vale's first-ever blend of Viognier and Marsanne. The 2017 version is richly textured, round and zesty. The acidity is bright, refreshing and balanced. There's a gorgeous, delicate ginger spice note underlying the generous grapefruit, melon and tropical fruit, and the lees ageing introduces even more complexity and depth. There's more than just a hint of the exotic about this. Pair it with crab or lemongrass chicken. (Vintages panel, April 2019)

Aromatic & Flavourful

750 mL (XD) **\$17.95** 🍷

662775

AUSTRALIA – RED WINE



BEST'S BIN NO. 1 SHIRAZ 2016

Great Western, Victoria

TASTING NOTE: Very attractive white peppers and baking spices with a wealth of red-plum, mulberry and dark-raspberry aromas. The palate adds dark peach-like fruit to the mix, which is also present on the nose. Plums, cassis and cherries abound. Really saturated and velvety. Drink or hold. Score: **94** (James Suckling, jamessuckling.com, Jan. 22, 2019)

Full-bodied & Firm

750 mL (XD) **\$21.95** 🍷

222323

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BLEASDALE MULBERRY TREE

CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016

Langhorne Creek, South Australia

TASTING NOTE: Made with the same care as a red wine four times its price, the quality embarrassingly good. It's an elegant wine shouting its variety and place from the rooftops, its vibrantly fresh blackcurrant/cassis heart pumping furiously. Matured in real French oak barrels (15% new), mlf ditto – the list goes on and on, much based upon its 14% alcohol. Why can't so many SA winemakers get the message? Drink by: 2031. Special Value. Score: **94** (James Halliday, winecompanion.com.au, May 1, 2018)

Full-bodied & Smooth

750 mL (XD) **\$19.95** 🍷

661892



D'ARENBERG D'ARRY'S ORIGINAL

SHIRAZ/GRENACHE 2016

McLaren Vale, South Australia

TASTING NOTE: This has rich raspberries and tarry blackberries with licorice notes, too. The palate has a very fleshy, vibrant and fresh edge with strong yet smooth tannins. Drink now. Score: **91** (James Suckling, jamessuckling.com, June 26, 2019)

Full-bodied & Smooth

750 mL (XD) **\$19.95** 🍷

942904



ELDERTON CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016

Barossa, South Australia

TASTING NOTE: Impressive ripe and powerfully expressed, the wine is filled with dark fruit richness together with notes of chocolate tart, cedar and mixed spice. It is concentrated and fleshy on the palate, delivering layers of delectable flavours and silky texture, finishing gratifying and velvety. At its best: now to 2028. Score: **94** (Sam Kim, wineorbit.co.nz, Aug. 2018)

Full-bodied & Firm

750 mL (XD) **\$24.95** 🍷

009175



SIDEWOOD SHIRAZ 2016

Adelaide Hills, South Australia

TASTING NOTE: Whole berry/carbonic maceration ferment, matured in French barriques for 16 months. This hits like a thunderstorm after you have navigated the fragrant bouquet and taken the first sip. Blackberry, red and black cherries and plum flood the fore and mid-palate before the whirlwind of black pepper, spice, licorice and dark chocolate take command before the fine, persistent tannins on the long finish and aftertaste. Drink by: 2041. Special Value. Score: **96** (James Halliday, winecompanion.com.au, Aug. 1, 2018)

Full-bodied & Smooth

750 mL (XD) **\$19.95** 🍷

446146



STELLA BELLA

CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2015

Margaret River, Western Australia

TASTING NOTE: This is benchmark proprietary cabernet. Mid to full weighted, it exudes regional pastille and olive DNA, melded effortlessly to currant, plum and bay leaf notes. The tannins are palpable, albeit massaged to the gentler side in the name of mid-term ageability and savour. Score: **94** (Ned Goodwin, winecompanion.com.au, Aug. 1, 2018)

Full-bodied & Smooth

750 mL (XD) **\$28.95** 🍷

487777

AUSTRALIA – RED WINE CONT'D



WYNNS COONAWARRA ESTATE BLACK LABEL CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2014

Coonawarra, South Australia

TASTING NOTE: Wynns say it's Australia's most important cabernet based on volume and value of each vintage. It's a model for the flavour and structure of cool grown cabernet with the ace in the hole cards of blackcurrant fruit, firm tannins and balanced oak. Drink by: 2039. Special Value. Score: **96** (James Halliday, *winecompanion.com.au*, Oct. 6, 2016)

Full-bodied & Firm

750 mL (XD) **\$39.95**

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PENCARROW SAUVIGNON BLANC 2017

Martinborough, North Island (Palliser)

TASTING NOTE: It is intensely aromatic on the nose showing passionfruit, feijoa, musk and lemon zest characters. The palate is impressively fruited and vibrant, delivering pristine fruit flavours backed by fine texture and mouth-watering acidity. An instantly appealing sauvignon filled with delectable flavours. At its best: now to 2020. Score: **93** (Sam Kim, *wineorbit.co.nz*, June 2018)

Aromatic & Flavourful

750 mL (XD) **\$18.95**

148429



NEW ZEALAND – WHITE WINE



CLOUDY BAY CHARDONNAY 2016

Marlborough, South Island

TASTING NOTE: Complex, a bit sophisticated with it. Struck match, intensity of fruit, fine biscuit spice oak, preserved lemon. Some gloss, fine acidity, crunch and flavour. Length is excellent. Fine wine. Drink: 2018-2024. Score: **94** (Gary Walsh, *winefront.com.au*, Sept. 28, 2018)

Full-bodied & Rich

750 mL (XD) **\$38.95**

359513



WITHER HILLS SAUVIGNON BLANC 2018

Marlborough, South Island

TASTING NOTE: From the Marlborough, a bright and zesty Sauvignon Blanc with crunchy green apple, gooseberry, lime zest and fresh green herb flavours on the palate. Intense and vibrant. Pair with fish tacos and grilled chicken dishes. Drink: 2019-2022. Score: **90** (Natalie MacLean, *nataliemaclean.com*, July 4, 2019)

Aromatic & Flavourful

750 mL (XD) **\$19.95**

919514

Sustainable product



KIM CRAWFORD RESERVE SAUVIGNON BLANC 2017

Marlborough, South Island

TASTING NOTE: This is a very fine sauvignon, so carefully layered and leveraged to provide complexity and almost crystalline balance. I suspect different picking times and sites due the fine balance of less ripe fresh herbs, dill and lime juxtaposed with riper mandarin and passion fruit aromas. It is medium weight, rich yet crisp and keyed so well on acidity and even some minerality on the finish. The length is excellent. New Zealand tamed. Score: **93** (David Lawrason, *winealign.com*, Aug. 28, 2019)

Aromatic & Flavourful

750 mL (XD) **\$24.95**

924555



NEW ZEALAND – RED WINE

OYSTER BAY MERLOT 2017

Hawke's Bay, North Island

TASTING NOTE: 100% Merlot. Supple red and black fruit with herbaceous notes, a hint of vanilla and a vibrant curve of acidity. Score: **90** (Decanter Asia Wine Awards, 2018)

Medium-bodied & Fruity

750 mL (XD) **\$19.95**

692343



THORBURY PINOT NOIR 2017

Central Otago, South Island

TASTING NOTE: Moderately deep, fleshy pinot noir in an appealing 'fruit bomb' style that screams out Central Otago. Plum, dark cherry and spicy oak flavours. A delicious wine that's a bargain at this price. Drink date: 2018-2023. Score: **92** (Bob Campbell, MW, *therealreview.com*, Oct. 1, 2018)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
750 mL (XD) **\$27.95** ✂

329706 



NEDERBURG THE MANOR HOUSE CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016

WO Western Cape

TASTING NOTE: Mixes herbaceous notes with ripe black fruit (plums & cherries) enlivened by sweet vanilla courtesy 18 months French & American oak. 2016 soft but present tannins support fruit through to pleasing conclusion. Score: **89** (*Platter's South African Wine Guide*, 2019)

Full-bodied & Smooth
750 mL (XD) **\$16.95** ✂

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SOUTH AFRICA – WHITE WINE

CHRISTINA THE HERITAGE COLLECTION CHARDONNAY 2017

WO Robertson (Van Loveren)

TASTING NOTE: All-new French oak for 2017, perfectly matched to the citrus intensity, lemon, tangerine, coating the fruit with buttered toast savouriness. Sleekly curvaceous, characterful, lots to admire. From a single block. Score: **93** (*Platter's South African Wine Guide*, 2019)

Full-bodied & Rich
750 mL (XD) **\$18.95** ✂

010104 



ARMENIA – RED WINE

KARAS RED 2017

Armavir Region (Tierras de Armenia)

Karas's winemaker, Gabriel Rogel, is from Argentina, and he is assisted by oenological consulting legend Michel Rolland. This red blend is sourced from mostly volcanic soils at an altitude of 1,000-1,100 metres. It will deliver big dark fruit, smoke, spice and earth in a ripe, soft package.

Full-bodied & Smooth
750 mL (XD) **\$21.95** ✂

492751 



SOUTH AFRICA – RED WINE

DE MORGENZON MAESTRO BLUE 2015

WO Stellenbosch

TASTING NOTE: 2015 is the first vintage of this excellent, Mediterranean style blend of mostly Grenache with Mourvèdre, Syrah and Durif. Smooth, spicy and voluptuous, it has understated wood, aromatic red and black fruits and a bit of grip from the 6% Durif on the finish. Very promising. Drink date: 2019-2025. Score: **94** (Tim Atkin, MW, *timatkin.com*, *South Africa Special Report 2017*)

Full-bodied & Smooth
750 mL (XD) **\$29.95** ✂

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AUSTRIA – WHITE WINE

LAURENZ V. FRIENDLY GRÜNER VELTLINER 2016

DAC Kamptal

TASTING NOTE: Generous yet bone-dry, featuring white peach, apple, lemon and elderflower aromas and flavors. Firm, with a finish that verges on austere, yet remains long, picking up a mineral edge. Drink now through 2024. Score: **91** (Bruce Sanderson, *winespectator.com*, Sept. 30, 2018)

Light & Crisp
750 mL (XD) **\$19.95** ✂

066225 



CROATIA – WHITE WINE

ILOK CELLARS CLASSIC GRASEVINA 2017
Croatia

TASTING NOTE: Minerally, slightly reductive orchard fruit nose; medium-bodied, dry, green peach and lemon flavours with a light floral note. Recommended by Vintage Assessments! A Best Buy. Score: **88.5** (Tony Aspler, *vintageassessments.com*, Nov. 10, 2018)

Aromatic & Flavourful
750 mL (XD) **\$14.95** 🍷

517474



KUTJEVO GRASEVINA 2018

Danube-Kutjevo Vineyard, Slavonia
TASTING NOTE: 100% Grasevina. Lemon, pear juice and white flowers aromas. Mineral, white pepper, salty and fresh on the palate with a touch of bitterness on the finish. Score: **90** (Decanter World Wine Awards, 2018)

Light & Crisp
750 mL (XD) **\$14.95** 🍷

647396



FRANCE – WHITE WINE

ALSACE

CAVE HUNAWIHR KUHLMANN-PLATZ GEWURZTRAMINER 2018
AP Alsace

The Cave Vinicole de Hunawihr was formed in 1954 when a group of quality-focused producers came together to create wines that best reflect the purity and quality of the terroir of the village of Hunawihr. This wine will offer rose petal, peach and honey notes in a ripe, refreshing package. A good option for spicy barbecued ribs.

Aromatic & Flavourful
750 mL (XD) **\$18.95** 🍷

012010



BORDEAUX

CARMES DE RIEUSSEC 2015
1er cru, AC Sauternes



TASTING NOTE: A wine of joy and pure pleasure, the 2015 Carmes de Rieussec is absolutely delicious. Rieussec's second wine is bright and lifted, yet shows plenty of depth in its pineapple, orange peel, mint, jasmine and lightly honeyed notes. Although the Grand Vin gets most of the attention at Rieussec, the Carmes is truly superb in 2015 and well worth taking a look at. Drinking window: 2018-2030. Score: **93** (Antonio Galloni, *vinous.com*, Feb. 2018)

Lusciously Sweet
375 mL (S) **\$25.95** 🍷

472092



BURGUNDY

ROCHE DE BELLENE MÂCON LA ROCHE VINEUSE 2015
AC



(Nicolas Potel)
TASTING NOTE: From vines over 40 years of age, this delivers a noted aromatic experience with lifted florals and precise gravel minerality. The palate has good fruit, more mineral and nicely integrated oak notes. A wine that will work well with grilled seafood. (Vintage panel, Oct. 2018)

Full-bodied & Rich
750 mL (XD) **\$20.95** 🍷

648485



LOIRE

CHÂTEAU DE SANCERRE SANCERRE 2018
AC

The Marnier-Lapostolle family of Grand Marnier fame are behind this mineral, floral Sancerre. They blend grapes from three areas within the Sancerre appellation to generate the white flower, fresh peach, lemon and grapefruit tones found here. This will be a crisp, juicy wine, with a bright acidity that keeps it feeling light and lifted despite the seemingly contrary characteristic weight and richness. Try with crab, lobster or roast pork.

Aromatic & Flavourful
750 mL (XD) **\$29.95** 🍷

340893



**DOMAINE DE LA RENNE TOURAINE
SAUVIGNON BLANC 2018**
AC

TASTING NOTE: This is a sleek, refined wine, showing well-articulated pear, grapefruit, peach, passion fruit and grapefruit tones and a faultless minerality. Good balance and quality. A value-priced wine that holds its head above its price point. Sip or enjoy with seafood or rosemary pork loin. (Vintages panel, March 2019)

Aromatic & Flavourful

750 mL (XD) **\$16.95** 🍷

489963



CHÂTEAU TEYSSIER 2016
AC Montagne-Saint-Émilion

TASTING NOTE: Quite fragrant blue flowers and plums lead to a very vibrant and plush palate that has approachable, smooth and polished tannin texture. Drink or hold. Score: **91** (James Suckling, *james suckling.com*, Feb. 3, 2019)

Medium-bodied & Fruity

750 mL (XD) **\$24.95** 🍷

226035



**DONATIEN BAHAUD LES GRANDS
MORTIERS VOUVRAY 2018**
AP

This is a well-loved classic take on Vouvray. It will be a refined, taut wine with precise minerality, pear, white peach, and the style's characteristic candle wax note all well evidenced. The bright, cleansing acidity will make it a perfect match for honey-glazed pork or seared scallops.

Off-dry & Fruity

750 mL (M) **\$21.95** 🍷

140889



**CHÂTEAU TOUR DES TERMES
2016**
AC Saint-Estèphe

TASTING NOTE: This has a nice sappy feel, with density to the kirsch, plum pâte de fruit and cherry paste flavors. Light anise, lilac and apple wood notes emerge through the finish, with the fruit taking the final encore. Solid. Best from 2022 through 2033. Score: **92** (James Molesworth, *winespectator.com*, 2019)

Full-bodied & Firm

750 mL (XD) **\$54.95** 🍷

010324



FRANCE – RED WINE

BORDEAUX



CHÂTEAU CANTEMERLE 2011
5e cru, AC Haut-Médoc

TASTING NOTE: An elegant, successful 2011, Cantemerle has produced a finesse-styled wine with a dense ruby/purple color as well as copious notes of flowers, mulberries, raspberries and blueberries. With dramatic quality and purity, this medium-bodied effort possesses sweet tannins and a texture that builds incrementally. A lighter-styled, but beautifully crafted, well done 2011, it can be enjoyed over the next 10-15 years. Drink date: 2014-2029. Score: **91** (Robert Parker Jr., *robertparker.com*, April 29, 2014)

Full-bodied & Smooth

750 mL (XD) **\$67.95** 🍷

010656



JEAN-PIERRE MOUEIX BORDEAUX 2015
AC Bordeaux

TASTING NOTE: No rough edges, all smooth sailing. A plummy (skins, juice and flesh) red of brambly, dark berry fruit perfume and subtle clove-like oak character. The palate is sweet fruit cupped in silty, cedary tannin, finishing succulent and faintly twiggy. It's a beautiful drink in its simplicity and clarity. A no brainer for long lunches and sipping fireside. Drink: 2017-2028. Score: **90** (Mike Bennie, *winefront.com.au*, June 2017)

Full-bodied & Smooth

750 mL (XD) **\$16.95** 🍷

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FRANCE – RED WINE CONT'D

BEAUJOLAIS



GEORGES DUBOEUF CHÂTEAU DES CAPITANS JULIÉNAS 2017

NEW

Estate bottled, AC

TASTING NOTE: This is a muscular red with sweet-berry character. Structured and powerful at the same time. Medium-to full-bodied, polished and driven. Impressive at the end. Excellent. Better than from barrel. Try after 2020. Score: **93** (James Suckling, jamessuckling.com, Feb. 18, 2019)

Light-bodied & Fruity
750 mL (XD) **\$21.95** 🍷

011359

BURGUNDY



CHÂTEAU DE SANTENAY VIEILLES VIGNES MERCUREY 2016

NEW

AC

TASTING NOTE: Serious, dense, youthful and focused with deftly integrated oak. Needs time but this is a very impressive red Burgundy at the price, with the concentration that often comes from old vines. Subtle reduction, good palate length and layers of fruit. Great Burgundy for those of us on a budget. Drinking window: 2019-2025. Score: **94** (Tim Atkin, MW, decanter.com, Dec. 21, 2018)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
750 mL (XD) **\$34.95** 🍷

668202

MIDI



GÉRARD BERTRAND FITOU GRENACHE/CARIGNAN 2017

AP

TASTING NOTE: This is a fairly deeply coloured, richly textured and soft blend of unspecified southern French varieties. But no matter as it captures the Mediterranean ambiance well. It has quite ripe plummy/prunny fruit, with faded violets and gentle peppery spice. Some anise as well. It is medium-full bodied, fairly soft, warmish and low in tannin, making it fine to drink now. The length is good to very good. I thought of grilled vegetables. Score: **88** (David Lawrason, winealign.com, May 28, 2019)

Full-bodied & Smooth
750 mL (D) **\$17.95** 🍷

403683

RHÔNE

CHÂTEAU DE BEAUCASTEL CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE 2017

AC

(Famille Perrin)

TASTING NOTE: The 2017 Châteauneuf Du Pape is another sunny, beautifully Provençal effort that has a huge nose of garrigue, raw steak, leather, truffle, and peppery spice. Medium to full-bodied, concentrated, and balanced, it's not a massive Beaucastel yet it has a classic, Provençal, incredibly satisfying style that will benefit from 4-6 years of bottle age and keep for two decades. Maturity: 2023-2043. Score: **95** (Jeb Dunnuck, jebdunnuck.com, Aug. 16, 2019)

Full-bodied & Smooth
750 mL (XD) **\$93.95** 🍷

711317



BOIS DE MENGE GIGONDAS 2017

AC

(Vignobles & Compagnie)

TASTING NOTE: 60% Grenache, 40% Syrah. Ripe damsons, forest fruit, spicy, herbal notes and red cherry liqueur lead the way; sleek, complex and mineral with an effortless charm. A complete wine. Score: **96** (Decanter World Wine Awards, 2018)

Full-bodied & Smooth
750 mL (XD) **\$31.95** 🍷

010508



GABRIEL MEFFRE LAURUS CÔTES DU RHÔNE-VILLAGES 2016

AP

TASTING NOTE: Ripe and fleshy, but soft and gentle in feel, with warm plum and raspberry compote notes gliding through, lined with black tea and incense accents that blossom and linger on the finish. Drink now through 2020. Score: **91** (James Molesworth, winespectator.com, March 31, 2019)

Full-bodied & Smooth
750 mL (XD) **\$19.95** 🍷

381053





**LOUIS BERNARD LOUIS
CÔTES DU RHÔNE-VILLAGES 2016
AP**

TASTING NOTE: Intensely ripe black-cherry flavor is shaded by hints of barnyard, bramble and garrigue in this well-priced wine. It's lush and open knit in fruit character but complex too. The long finish ends on fine-grained, velvety tannins. Enjoy now-2022. Score: **90** (Anna Lee Iijima, *Wine Enthusiast*, March 1, 2019)

Full-bodied & Smooth
750 mL (XD) **\$16.95** ✂
561290 



ROUSSILLON

**M. CHAPOUTIER BILA-HAUT OCCULTUM
LAPIDEM 2016**

AC Côtes du Roussillon-Villages
Latour-de-France

TASTING NOTE: ... 50% Syrah, 40% Grenache and 5% each of Carignan and Mourvèdre. It's one of the finest vintages to date for the cuvée and offers fabulous blackberry, currants, crushed rocks, and violets. Deep, rich, voluptuous and sexy, with an incredible texture, it's a screaming value to drink over the coming decade. It's just another brilliant wine from the Roussillon team at Chapoutier. Score: **95** (Jeb Dunnuck, *jebdunnuck.com*, Nov. 1, 2018)

Full-bodied & Smooth
750 mL (XD) **\$26.95** ✂
643239 



**MICHEL GASSIER NOSTRE PAÏS 2016
AC Costières-de-Nîmes**

TASTING NOTE: A Grenache-led blend, the 2016 Costières de Nîmes Nostre País features compelling aromas of crushed stone, black olive and blueberry. It's medium to full-bodied, with crunchy, fresh fruit and silky but firm tannins. It should drink well through 2025. Drink date: 2019-2025. Score: **91** (Joe Czerwinski, *robertparker.com*, Oct. 31, 2018)

Full-bodied & Smooth
750 mL (XD) **\$22.95** ✂
295410 

 **Organic product**



SOUTHWEST

**ÉPOQUE COLLECTION
TERROIR 2016**

AC Bergerac
(Couleurs d'Aquitaine)

TASTING NOTE: 70% Merlot, 30% Cabernet Franc. Nice cool black fruits with a mineral aspect on the nose. Density on the palate with soft and elegant tannins. Score: **92** (Decanter World Wine Awards, 2018)

Full-bodied & Smooth
750 mL (XD) **\$17.95** ✂
010509 



FRANCE – ROSÉ WINE



**RÉMY FERBRAS TERRE DE MISTRAL
CÔTES DU RHÔNE-VILLAGES PLAN DE
DIEU 2016
AC**

TASTING NOTE: The Grenache, Syrah and Mourvèdre here are vinified separately, ageing in stainless steel prior to blending and bottling to preserve the purity of the fruit. The resulting wine shows impressive plum, raspberry and cherry tones, with savoury oak spice underpinning the lifted suggestions of rose petal. A wine with the body and structure for beef ribs or roast pork. (Vintages panel, Jan. 2019)

Full-bodied & Smooth
750 mL (XD) **\$15.95** ✂
538009 



PROVENCE

**CHÂTEAU LÉOUBE
ROSÉ DE LÉOUBE 2018**

AC Côtes de Provence

TASTING NOTE: ... Vibrant strawberry and blood orange aromas show excellent clarity, complemented by hints of pungent flowers and dusty minerals. Dry and sharply focused on the palate, offering mineral-laced red berry, tangerine and honeysuckle qualities that deepen slowly on the back half. Finishes juicy and quite long, displaying lingering stoniness and a hint of bitter orange pith. Drinking window: 2019-2023. Score: **91** (Josh Reynolds, *vinous.com*, Aug. 2019)

Medium-bodied & Dry
750 mL (XD) **\$30.95** ✂
491100 

 **Organic product**



GEORGIA – RED WINE

UNITED STARS KINDZMARAU LI 2017
PDO Kindzmarauli, Kakheti

Kindzmarauli is highly regarded as one of Georgia's top wines. It's a late-harvest wine made from the Saperavi grape, whose name translates to "paint" or "dye" in reference to the deep colour of the wines it produces. Pair this exciting red with spicy red curry dishes, or sip after a meal with chili-infused dark chocolate.

Medium-bodied & Fruity
750 mL (M) **\$17.95** 🍷

013961 



GERMANY – WHITE WINE

MOSEL

BISCHÖFLICHE WEINGÜTER
TRIER DOM SPÄTLESE RIESLING
2011

NEW

Prädikatswein

TASTING NOTE: Whiffs of spice and orange blossom lend an exotic air to this intensely concentrated Riesling that's full of sweet yellow cherry and berry flavors. It dances briskly on the palate, but finishes long and steely, with a lingering minerality. Score: **90** (Anna Lee Iijima, *Wine Enthusiast*, Feb. 1, 2014)

Aromatic & Flavourful
750 mL (S) **\$21.95** 🍷

011651 



PFALZ

HANS BAER RIESLING 2018
Qualitätswein

TASTING NOTE: Pfalz is the driest of Germany's wine regions and possesses a wide range of soil types including sandstone, marl, loam, limestone and granite. This Riesling offers juicy citrus, peach and spice, with a lifted aromatic quality. Crisp and long and an excellent value, it will be a fine option for pairing with roast pork or goose. (Vintages panel, April 2019)

Aromatic & Flavourful
750 mL (D) **\$14.95** 🍷

011653 



RHEINHESSEN

THÖRLE TROCKEN RIESLING 2017
Qualitätswein

TASTING NOTE: Some Thai basil as well as lemon zest and white peaches. Great interplay of crisp acidity, fresh fruit and a positive touch of tannin at the finish. Drink or hold. Score: **91** (James Suckling, *jamesuckling.com*, Sept. 19, 2018)

Aromatic & Flavourful
750 mL (D) **\$21.95** 🍷

665968 



ITALY – WHITE WINE

ALTO ADIGE-TRENTINO

TIEFENBRUNNER PINOT GRIGIO 2018
IGT Vigneti delle Dolomiti

TASTING NOTE: This is a textbook expression of Pinot Grigio with the exuberance and freshness of a balanced vintage. Citrus and dried grass define this 2018 Pinot Grigio, which sings loud and clear. Unscrew the cap, splash a little in the pan with lots of butter and shallots, and fry up your favorite fish to pair with the rest of the contents of this cheerful bottle. Drink date: 2019-2022. Score: **88** (Monica Larner, *robertparker.com*, July 11, 2019)

Light & Crisp
750 mL (XD) **\$19.95** 🍷

474742 



CAMPANIA

BENITO FERRARA TERRA D'UVA
GRECO DI TUFO 2017
DOCG

NEW

TASTING NOTE: Fantastic greco with intense dried-lemon, pineapple and mango character. Full-bodied, layered and beautiful. Great length and depth. All-round beauty. Drink now. Score: **94** (James Suckling, *jamesuckling.com*, Oct. 22, 2018)

Aromatic & Flavourful
750 mL (XD) **\$29.95** 🍷

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ITALY – RED WINE

PIEDMONT



CASETTA BARBARESCO 2008
DOCG

Expect a structured, layered wine of considerable complexity suggesting aromas of charcuterie, earth and spice. At 11 years of age, this wine will give readers an exciting insight into the ageability of Nebbiolo and will introduce some maturing, developed notes alongside the lifted tones of rose petal and jasmine and suggestions of cherry, pepper and leather. This will be a refined option for braised beef, or slow-roasted lamb with citrus and herbs.

Medium-bodied & Fruity
750 mL (XD) **\$42.95** 🍷

412247



RENATO RATTI MARCENASCO
BAROLO 2015
DOCG

TASTING NOTE: Enticing scents of ripe wild berry, star anise, menthol and fragrant blue flower mingle with whiffs of camphor and espresso. The smooth, precise palate offers crushed raspberry, Marasca cherry, licorice and dried botanical herbs alongside fine-grained tannins. Fresh acidity lifts the finish. Enjoy through 2027. Editors' Choice. Score: **96** (Kerin O'Keefe, *Wine Enthusiast*, Oct. 1, 2019)

Full-bodied & Firm
750 mL (D) **\$59.95** 🍷

713479



TRAVAGLINI GATTINARA 2015
DOCG

This is a perennially pretty, silky wine that offers up perfumed cherries, spices, flowers and tobacco tones. Graceful and elegant with a supple, finessed texture, it will be a delightful companion for formal fare such as duck or prime cuts of beef.

Medium-bodied & Fruity
750 mL (XD) **\$31.95** 🍷

713354

PUGLIA



VANITÀ PRIMITIVO 2018
IGP Puglia
(Farnese)

Puglia winemakers are refining their takes on Primitivo, seeking to create more elegant, nuanced expressions. Farnese is a fairly new producer, but it has earned significant notice; it was named 2017 Producer of the Year by Mundus Vini. Look for an energetic, lively wine with juicy dark fruit. A good option for grilled sausages or lamb.

Full-bodied & Smooth
750 mL (D) **\$19.95** 🍷

569962



SICILY

FIRRIATO SANTAGOSTINO BAGLIO SORIÀ
NERO D'AVOLA/SYRAH 2013
IGT Terre Siciliane

TASTING NOTE: Authentic wine from southern Italy, showing aromas of cherries, red plums and orange peel. Medium to full body, velvety tannins and a beautiful and shining finish. A blend of nero d'avola and syrah. Delicious now. Score: **91** (James Suckling, *jamesuckling.com*, Oct. 22, 2018)

Full-bodied & Smooth
750 mL (XD) **\$19.95** 🍷

291369



TUSCANY

CAPARZO ROSSO DI MONTALCINO 2016
DOC

TASTING NOTE: Bright and fresh, boasting cherry, raspberry, earth and iron flavors. Balanced, with a burst of energy on the finish. Drink now. Score: **90** (Bruce Sanderson, *winespectator.com*, Oct. 31, 2018)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
750 mL (XD) **\$19.95** 🍷

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ITALY – RED WINE CONT'D

TUSCANY



CORTE MEDICEA ERASTOS ROSSO 2016

IGT Toscana (Bollina)



TASTING NOTE: (Translated from the Italian) Sensations: excels in density, smoothness and well-defined aroma. This is an excellent wine, majestic in consistence, roundly harmonious to the palate, with expressive non-oxidized clarity and scent. This is how the purple pulp of the grapes and blackberry jam is evoked, adding a spicy touch to enhance its aromatic and vanilla features to the nose. Sensory outcomes of superior pleasure. Score: **96** (Luca Maroni, *lucamaroni.com*, Feb. 14, 2018)

Full-bodied & Smooth
750 mL (XD) **\$15.95** 🍷

010948 



FONTODI CHIANTI CLASSICO 2015

DOCG

TASTING NOTE: The purity of fruit here really makes an impression on you. The nose shines with freshly picked blackcurrants, dark plums, freshly cut herbs, cinnamon, raspberry cheesecake, glazed cherries, orange and lemon rind. The palate is so well-crafted with a silky ball of tannins surrounded by layers of blue and red fruit and enveloping acidity. A long finish. From organically grown grapes. Drink now or hold. Score: **95** (James Suckling, *jamesuckling.com*, Sept. 11, 2018)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
750 mL (XD) **\$39.95** 🍷

933317 



GRILLESINO BATTIFERRO MORELLINO DI SCANSANO 2017

DOCG

TASTING NOTE: Fruity aromas of ripe woodland berry and red plum mingle with scents of blue flower. Round and juicy, the savory supple palate offers succulent Marasca cherry, raspberry compote and baking spice alongside lithe tannins. It doesn't have any complexity, but it is delicious. Drink through 2019 to capture the succulent fruit. Score: **90** (Kerin O'Keefe, *Wine Enthusiast*, March 1, 2019)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
750 mL (XD) **\$17.95** 🍷

329318 



LA BRACCESCA VINO NOBILE DI MONTEPULCIANO 2016

DOCG

TASTING NOTE: The 2016 Vino Nobile di Montepulciano shows large intensity with elegantly etched aromas of dark fruit, plum, spice and bitter chocolate. The wine steps forward with mid- to full-weight intensity and medium length. However, you get plenty of dark fruit and spice in between. Drink date: 2019-2026. Score: **91** (Monica Lerner, *robertparker.com*, May 31, 2019)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
750 mL (XD) **\$28.95** 🍷

566216 



LE VOLTE DELL'ORNELLAIA 2017

IGT Toscana

(Tenuta dell'Ornellaia)

TASTING NOTE: Lots of big, dark fruit and a lack of water in the grapes define the unique personality of the 2017 Le Volte dell'Ornellaia. This is a highly extracted and succulent expression that delivers abundant fruit sweetness. The key to this vintage was waiting for proper ripeness, says estate manager and winemaker Axel Heinz. "The grapes continued to get smaller throughout the summer," he says. That lack of water resulted in very concentrated fruit, giving this entry-level wine a rich and modern feel as a result. Drink date: 2019-2024. Score: **92** (Monica Lerner, *robertparker.com*, April 18, 2019)

Full-bodied & Firm
750 mL (XD) **\$29.95** 🍷

964221 



LUCE 2016

IGT Toscana

(Luce della Vite)

TASTING NOTE: A ripe but suggestive nose of dark cherries, dark chocolate, hot stones, cassis, bramble-berry pie and bark. Yet, on the palate, this paints an altogether different picture, in which sleek tannins carry fresh layers of forest fruit long, through a compact, full-bodied palate. Powerful acidity steers it through to a restrained but chewy finish. Drink in 2024. Score: **96** (James Suckling, *jamesuckling.com*, June 16, 2019)

Full-bodied & Firm
750 mL (XD) **\$119.95** 🍷

685263 



**MAZZEI SER LAPO RISERVA
CHIANTI CLASSICO 2016
DOCG**

TASTING NOTE: Bright aromas of sliced cherries and hints of strawberries with some orange peel. Full body and super fine and ripe tannins. They melt into the wine. Delicate yet energetic. Crisp finish. Drink now. Score: **95** (James Suckling, *jamesuckling.com*, June 16, 2019)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
750 mL (XD) **\$24.95** 🍷

288530 



**SAN FABIANO CALCINAIA
CHIANTI CLASSICO 2016
DOCG**

TASTING NOTE: A very intense nose of soaked fruit with blackberry compote, licorice, tea leaves, tobacco and ash. Full-bodied, very structured and serious, which is not something you can often say about a normal Chianti Classico. Chewy, but the acidity more than balances everything out. Drink in 2020. Score: **94** (James Suckling, *jamesuckling.com*, Sept. 11, 2018)

Full-bodied & Smooth
750 mL (D) **\$21.95** 🍷

023408 



**PETRA ZINGARI 2015
IGT Toscana**

TASTING NOTE: Bright, ripe cherry and plum fruit flavors offset the savory tobacco, earth and herb notes in this plump red, which is balanced despite the exuberant tannins, while vivid acidity keeps the long aftertaste focused. Merlot, Sangiovese, Petit Verdot and Syrah. Best from 2022 through 2033. Best Values. Score: **92** (Bruce Sanderson, *wine spectator.com*, June 15, 2019)

Full-bodied & Smooth
750 mL (D) **\$19.95** 🍷

244228 



**TENUTA SETTE PONTI CROGNOLO 2016
IGT Toscana**

TASTING NOTE: Aromas of rosewood, cherries and blueberries follow through to a full body, tight and focused tannins and a long and flavorful finish. This is linear and bright. The tannins are wonderfully polished and poised. Hard not to drink now, but it will improve beautifully in the bottle. A blend of mostly sangiovese with a touch of merlot. Drink or hold. Score: **95** (James Suckling, *jamesuckling.com*, Jan. 22, 2019)

Full-bodied & Firm
750 mL (D) **\$34.95** 🍷

727636 



**PININO BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO 2013
DOCG**

TASTING NOTE: There's clarity and beauty to this young Brunello with bright-cherry and a crushed-stone character on the nose. Full body, firm and silky tannins and a beautiful finish. Tight and focused. Drink or hold. Score: **93** (James Suckling, *jamesuckling.com*, Sept. 11, 2018)

Full-bodied & Firm
750 mL (XD) **\$59.95** 🍷

032508 



VENETO

**ALLEGRI PALAZZO DELLA TORRE 2015
IGT Veronese**

TASTING NOTE: A very spicy nose with dried blueberries, Christmas cake, blackberry pudding, tar, treacle tart, roasted herbs and balsamic. Full body, ripe and round tannins and a finish that shows real verve and life, thanks to a wave of refreshing acidity. Drink now or hold. Score: **94** (James Suckling, *jamesuckling.com*, Nov. 25, 2018)

Full-bodied & Smooth
750 mL (D) **\$24.95** 🍷

672931 

ITALY – RED WINE CONT'D

VENETO

MASI MAZZANO AMARONE DELLA VALPOLICELLA CLASSICO 2012
DOCG

TASTING NOTE: You have to imagine the deepest well to get a feeling of any Mazzano understanding because this is Amarone with more depth than minds can fathom. Nothing simple comes from these aromas, only complexities, multiplicities and eccentricities. Fruit is everything and somehow nothing, acidity is impenetrable like black hole darkness and yet welcoming into its comforting void. Tannin is fine beyond the pale computations of simple recognition ... Drink 2020-2035. Score: **95** (Michael Godel, *winealign.com*, Sept. 21, 2018)

Full-bodied & Smooth
750 mL (XD) **\$129.95** 🍷

597476 



MASI TOAR VALPOLICELLA CLASSICO SUPERIORE 2015
DOC

TASTING NOTE: A beautiful Valpo with ripe black cherry and berry character, medium body and a flavorful finish. So delicious. Drink now. Score: **92** (James Suckling, *jamesuckling.com*, Nov. 25, 2018)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
750 mL (XD) **\$23.95** 🍷

342444 



QUINTARELLI VALPOLICELLA CLASSICO SUPERIORE 2011
DOP

TASTING NOTE: The 2011 Valpolicella Classico Superiore saw seven months of slow and careful aging in botte grande before being deemed ready for the market. The wine takes a little coaxing before it fully opens, and it requires a few extra vigorous swirls of the glass before it begins to reveal earthy tones of baked brick and potting soil. However, the core of the wine is definitely packed tight with blackberry and ripe plum. The hot vintage has shaped a wine with extra volume and textural richness (with 15% alcohol). Drink date: 2019-2032. Score: **91** (Monica Lerner, *robertparker.com*, Aug. 30, 2019)

Full-bodied & Smooth
750 mL (XD) **\$115.95** 🍷

986117 



TOMMASI AMARONE DELLA VALPOLICELLA CLASSICO 2015
DOCG

This crowd favourite is one of the most popular Amarones on Vintages shelves. It's complex, balanced and decadent – just what you want from Amarone. It offers layers of cocoa, dried cherry, spiced plum, mocha, cinnamon, fig and savoury spices. Enjoy with mature cheeses, braised meats, pasta or dark chocolate.

Full-bodied & Smooth
750 mL (D) **\$49.95** 🍷

356220 



PORTUGAL – RED WINE

ALMA DA VINHA 2017
DOC Douro
(Quinta de Caiz)



This blend of Touriga Nacional, Tinta Roriz and Touriga Franca will suggest impressive high-toned red fruit followed by a persistent, comprehensive palate. There will be good intensity and ripeness through to the close. A good wine for ribs or burgers.

Full-bodied & Firm
750 mL (XD) **\$12.95** 🍷

666016 



CONFIDENCIAL RESERVA 2014
Vinho Regional Lisboa
(Casa Santos Lima)

TASTING NOTE: One of the top wines from this producer, this blend of at least 10 grape varieties comes from its estate. The wood aging has added sophistication to this already concentrated wine. With black fruits to the fore and firm tannins, it will age well. Drink from 2019. Editors' Choice. Score: **92** (Roger Voss, *Wine Enthusiast*, June 1, 2017)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
750 mL (D) **\$14.95** 🍷

452789 





QUADRUS RESERVA 2011
DOC Douro

TASTING NOTE: This is from the Toronto-based Portuguese Amaro brothers ... a nicely ripe, smooth and dense Douro – almost silky in fact yet with a certain juicy charm. The tannins are nicely soft. It has a lifted, ripe, fragrant nose of plum jam and raspberry with sweet oak vanillin, spice and vague herbs. It is very generous, delicious wine – certainly a bit “sweeter” than the average Douro red. Very good to excellent length. Score: **90** (David Lawrason, *winealign.com*, Nov. 28, 2017)

Full-bodied & Smooth
750 mL (XD) **\$28.95** 🍷

534271

SPAIN – RED WINE



ARDAL CRIANZA 2013
DO Ribera del Duero
(Bodegas Balbas)

TASTING NOTE: This modern-style red delivers cherry, currant and licorice flavors, accented by espresso and mineral notes, supported by firm tannins and fresh acidity. Drink now through 2025. Score: **90** (Thomas Matthews, *winespectator.com*, Aug. 31, 2016)

Full-bodied & Firm
750 mL (XD) **\$21.95** 🍷

167601



QUINTA DO QUETZAL GUADALUPE
WINEMAKER'S SELECTION RED 2016
Vinho Regional Alentejano

The 2016 Guadalupe Winemaker's Selection Red is composed of Syrah, Alicante Bouschet and Aragonez. It will be a wine with complex, clearly outlined ripe fruit tones and touches of smoky cocoa, herbs and white pepper spice. This will reward another year or two of patience but will be great tonight with ribs or roast meats.

Full-bodied & Firm
750 mL (XD) **\$16.95** 🍷

408138



CYAN PRESTIGIO 2006
DO Toro



Sourced from vines planted in 1958, this wine will offer well-defined, maturing notes of red fruit, balsam and herbal sage. A wine to savour now with a melt-in-your-mouth beef brisket.

Full-bodied & Smooth
750 mL (XD) **\$24.95** 🍷

011133

SPAIN – WHITE WINE



BARÓN DE LEY WHITE 2018
DOCa Rioja

TASTING NOTE: An unoaked blend of Rioja's white mainstays Viura and Malvasía, this is made for freshness and easy drinking, with or without food. Leafy-green and fresh lemon aromas with peach-skin notes jump out of the glass. It's not seeking complexity on the palate, yet supplies ample fruit and a gentle zing with hints of dried grass and a light touch of mandarin syrup on the finish. A lovely palate freshener, and good value too. Drinking window: 2019-2020. Score: **90** (David Longfield, *decanter.com*, May 21, 2019)

Aromatic & Flavourful
750 mL (XD) **\$14.95** 🍷

145995



**EL GORÚ MONASTRELL/SYRAH/
PETIT VERDOT 2018**
DOP Jumilla
(Bodegas Ego)

TASTING NOTE: The nose here has attractive, deep-set blackberries and plums that follow on the palate with assertive, mocha-flavored oak that builds on the finish. Drink or hold. Score: **90** (James Suckling, *james-suckling.com*, July 26, 2019)

Full-bodied & Smooth
750 mL (XD) **\$13.95** 🍷

443945

SPAIN – RED WINE CONT'D



**MARQUÉS DE CÁCERES
EXCELLENS CUVÉE ESPECIAL
2015**

NEW

Vegan friendly, DOCa Rioja

TASTING NOTE: It's definitely worth trading up from the regular Crianza to this Tempranillo from higher altitude vineyards up to 700 metres. First made in 2011, it's a dense, more concentrated wine with red plum and blueberry flavours, stylish French oak and some underlying chalky minerality. Drink date: 2020-2025. Score: **91** (Tim Atkin, MW, timatkin.com, *Rioja Special Report 2019*)

Full-bodied & Firm

750 mL (XD) **\$17.00** 🍷

010684

As seen in *Food & Drink* magazine



**MONASTERIO DE LAS VIÑAS RESERVA
GARNACHA/TEMPRANILLO/CARIÑENA
2014**

DOP Cariñena

TASTING NOTE: You'd not believe the structural components of such a red blend from Cariñena but falling short of travelling there to see the ancient vines and wild frontier you will just have to purchase two, try one in its still austere youth, store one away and come back again for that second bottle in no less than five years. You will be amazed at the transformation and the ability to survive. Crunchy fruit and dry, long-chained tannins. One of Spain's hidden secrets. Drink: 2020-2027. Score: **88** (Michael Godel, winealign.com, May 1, 2019)

Medium-bodied & Fruity

750 mL (XD) **\$14.95** 🍷

166579



**PALACIOS REMONDO LA MONTESA
CRIANZA 2016**

DOCa Rioja

TASTING NOTE: As it did in 2015, Tempranillo only makes up 8% of this Garnacha-dominated red blend, which Álvaro Palacios describes as a "joyful" wine. It has engaging lily and rose petal aromas, succulent red berry fruit, subtle oak integration and the acidity that the best Garnachas preserve in the Rioja Oriental. Hugely drinkable. Drink date: 2019-2025. Score: **94** (Tim Atkin, MW, timatkin.com, *Rioja Special Report 2018*)

Medium-bodied & Fruity

750 mL (XD) **\$25.95** 🍷

674572

**R. LOPEZ DE HEREDIA VIÑA TONDONIA
RESERVA 2006**

DOCa Rioja

TASTING NOTE: The red flagship 2006 Viña Tondonia Reserva was inspired by the vineyards of the Médoc but produced with local grapes, 70% Tempranillo, 20% Garnacha, 5% Graciano and 5% Mazuelo, which achieved 13% alcohol in 2006. It always matures in used American oak barriques for some six years. The oldest of all the reds I tasted, it was also the one with more freshness, which speaks to the quality of the vineyard. This takes the lion's share of the 400,000 bottles the winery produces, with some 220,000 bottles filled over a period of 12 consecutive days in May 2014. Drink date: 2018-2028. Score: **95** (Luis Gutiérrez, robertparker.com, Feb. 28, 2018)

Medium-bodied & Fruity

750 mL (XD) **\$58.95** 🍷

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DOCa Rioja, Spain

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Full-bodied & Firm

91 points (timatkin.com)

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California

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93 points (Harvest Challenge)

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DO, Spain

Dry and complex with layered flavours of nuts and herbs and some delicate hints of mint.

Dry
750 mL (XD) \$35.95 

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**LOUIS ROEDERER BRUT ROSÉ
CHAMPAGNE 2013**

AC, Champagne, France

Light, delicate and stimulating in its purity, freshness and citrus character. Drink: 2024-2033.

**92+ points (Stephan Reinhardt,
robertparker.com, June 29, 2018)**

Rich & Complex
750 mL (XD) \$104.95 

368415 



**TAWSE LAUNDRY VINEYARD
CABERNET FRANC 2014** 

VQA Lincoln Lakeshore,
Niagara Peninsula, Ontario

An archetype of the genre in the cool-climate idiom: firm, earthy-herbal and vegetal. Drink through 2022.

**91 points (John Szabo, MS,
winealign.com, Dec. 19, 2018)**

Medium-bodied & Fruity
750 mL (XD) \$34.95 

130997 



**NEWTON UNFILTERED
CHARDONNAY 2017**

Napa Valley, California

Grown mainly in the Carneros region of Napa Valley. Expect big ripeness, big flavours and impressive structure.

Full-bodied & Rich
750 mL (XD) \$73.95 

001537 



CARABELLA ESTATE PINOT GRIS 2017

20th anniversary, Chehalem Mountains,
Willamette Valley, Oregon

Sassy fruit bomb of a wine with apple cider, a squirt of grapefruit, and plenty of juicy acidity.

**91 points (Paul Gregutt,
Wine Enthusiast, Feb. 1, 2019)**

Aromatic & Flavourful
750 mL (D) \$26.95 

011255 



ROMBAUER ZINFANDEL 2016

California

Preserved plums, raspberry pie and Black Forest cake, with baking spices, underbrush and potpourri. Drink through 2025.

**90 points (Lisa Perrotti-Brown, MW,
robertparker.com, Jan. 31, 2019)**

Full-bodied & Smooth
750 mL (D) \$62.95 

010460 



JOSÉ ZUCCARDI MALBEC 2015

Uco Valley, Mendoza, Argentina

Focused and precise, with more ripeness and roundness than the previous vintage of this wine. Drink through 2024.

**93 points (Luis Gutiérrez,
robertparker.com, June 29, 2018)**

Full-bodied & Firm
750 mL (XD) \$44.95 

163725 



**MATURANA NARANJO
ORANGE WINE TORONTEL 2018**

Maule Valley, Chile

Floral and candied citrus fruit aromas as well as tremendous body, accompanied by juicy acidity.

**95 points (Patricio Tapia,
guiadescorchados.cl, 2019)**

Aromatic & Flavourful
750 mL (XD) \$24.95 

556217 



**LEEUWIN PRELUDE VINEYARDS
CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2014**

Margaret River, Western Australia

Eucalyptus and redcurrant mingle with dried flowers, herbs and furniture polish. Drink through 2032.

**92 points (Christina Pickard,
Wine Enthusiast, April 1, 2018)**

Full-bodied & Firm
750 mL (XD) \$31.95 

986133 



BABICH WINEMAKERS' RESERVE MERLOT 2015

Irongate Vineyard, Gimblett Gravels,
Hawke's Bay, North Island, New Zealand

Attractive red plum and lightly earthy aromas.
A dense but elegant core of bright, vibrant red
berries.

**92 points (James Suckling,
jamesuckling.com, Oct. 8, 2018)**

Medium-bodied & Fruity

750 mL (XD) **\$29.95** ✂

156828 



VILLA MARIA RESERVE GIMBLETT GRAVELS SYRAH 2016

Gimblett Gravels, Hawke's Bay, North Island,
New Zealand

Fragrant perfume and white pepper. Lithe,
fine and elegant, yet powerful. Great balance
and density.

**94 points (James Suckling,
jamesuckling.com, Oct. 8, 2018)**

Medium-bodied & Fruity

750 mL (XD) **\$49.95** ✂

011963 



CHÂTEAU PIPEAU 2015

AC Saint-Émilion Grand Cru,
Bordeaux, France

Exotic and darkly mysterious, with wild
berries, cedar wood and ripe, silky tannins.

**93 points (Decanter World Wine
Awards, 2018)**

Medium-bodied & Fruity

1500 mL (XD) **\$86.95** ✂

195255 



MONTEMAJOR FIANO DI AVELINO 2017

DOCG, Campania, Italy

Impressive round taste and clarity, with a rare
consistency for this vintage.

**93 points (Luca Maroni,
lucamaroni.com, Feb. 13, 2018)**

Aromatic & Flavourful

750 mL (XD) **\$23.95** ✂

010956 



LE VOLTE DELL'ORNELLAIA 2017

IGT Toscana, Tuscany, Italy
(Tenuta dell'Ornellaia)

A highly extracted, succulent expression that
delivers abundant fruit sweetness. Drink
through 2024.

**92 points (Monica Lerner,
robertparker.com, April 18, 2019)**

Full-bodied & Firm

1500 mL (XD) **\$64.95** ✂

051458 



MASI MAZZANO AMARONE DELLA VALPOLICELLA CLASSICO 2012

DOCG, Veneto, Italy

Complex and long with incredible depth
and approachability.

**95 points (Michael Godel,
winealign.com, Sept. 21, 2018)**

Full-bodied & Smooth

1500 mL (XD) **\$321.95** ✂

010407 



TORRES COS PERPETUAL 2015

DOCa Priorat, Spain

Limpid, pure, long, and packed with
perfumed refinement. Drink till 2028.

**94 points (Andrew Jefford,
decanter.com, June 24, 2018)**

Full-bodied & Smooth

750 mL (XD) **\$59.95** ✂

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STYLE SPOTLIGHT

In the right conditions, Syrah can perform beautifully in Ontario. Such conditions include perfectly suited growing sites like the ones from which Peninsula Ridge and Creekside source their grapes. Add to that the ideal 2016 vintage, and you get gorgeous wines such as these spicy, substantial yet elegant Syrahs that will be spectacular with autumn fare.



PENINSULA RIDGE RESERVE SYRAH 2016

VQA Niagara Peninsula
Medium-bodied & Fruity
230896 (XD)
750 mL \$24.95



CREEKSIDE ICONOCLAST SYRAH 2016

VQA St. David's Bench,
Niagara-on-the-Lake
Medium-bodied & Fruity
471797 (XD)
750 mL \$25.00

WINERY FOCUS

Pinot Noir and Chardonnay specialist Thomas Bachelder has been making stunning wines under his namesake label for 10 years. These two were crafted from fruit grown by the skillful team of Bachelder and grower Craig Wismer, whose family vineyards are among the most venerated in Niagara. Either of these wines is sure to elevate any holiday dinner.



BACHELDER WISMER- FOXCROFT N. 2 CHARDONNAY 2015

VQA Twenty Mile Bench,
Niagara Escarpment
Full-bodied & Rich
547299 (XD)
750 mL \$44.95



BACHELDER WISMER- PARKE VINEYARD PINOT NOIR 2017

VQA Twenty Mile Bench,
Niagara Escarpment
Medium-bodied & Fruity
520379 (XD)
750 mL \$44.95

DEALS TO DISCOVER

This wine brings together equal parts Gamay and Pinot Noir and embraces the ripasso technique to give that extra hug of depth and flavour. With its evocations of strawberry and spices, it's perfect for an intimate dinner, or just a cuddle on the couch, with that special someone. And given the friendly price, your wallet won't be feeling the squeeze.



THE FOREIGN AFFAIR THE EMBRACE 2017

VQA Niagara Peninsula
Light-bodied & Fruity
538041 (XD)
750 mL \$16.95

STANDOUT SELECTIONS

Maturing a Cabernet Sauvignon in oak not only rounds out the tannins, it can also add wonderful spicy and smoky notes. This wine was aged 18 months in French and Hungarian oak barrels and delivers ripe blackberry, dark spice, leather and smoke. It'll go swimmingly with steak and mushrooms.



REIF RESERVE CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2015

VQA Niagara Peninsula
Medium-bodied & Fruity
304162 (XD)
750 mL \$34.95

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AC, Champagne, France
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White Wines

ANSELMI SAN VINCENZO
IGT Veneto, Italy
948153 (D) 750 mL \$17.95
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CHARDONNAY MUSQUÉ**
VOA Beamsville Bench,
Niagara Escarpment, Ontario
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FEATHERSTONE BLACK SHEEP RIESLING
VOA Niagara Peninsula, Ontario
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CHARDONNAY**
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VOA Beamsville Bench,
Niagara Escarpment, Ontario
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Edra's Vineyard, VOA Niagara Peninsula, Ontario
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RANCHES CHARDONNAY**
Sonoma Coast, California
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VOA Vinemount Ridge,
Niagara Peninsula, Ontario
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THIRTY BENCH RIESLING
VOA Niagara Peninsula, Ontario
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WILLM RÉSERVE RIESLING
AC Alsace, France
011452 (XD) 750 mL \$19.95
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**COFFIN RIDGE BACK FROM
THE DEAD RED**
VOA Ontario
260463 (D) 750 mL \$19.95
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VOA Beamsville Bench,
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DOCG, Tuscany, Italy
606541 (XD) 750 mL \$19.95
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WO Swartland, South Africa
(Boekenhoutsloof Winery)
595280 (XD) 750 mL \$15.95
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729392 (D) 750 mL \$19.95
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VQA Niagara Peninsula, Ontario
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Alexander Valley, Sonoma County, California (013241)

TRASQUA FANATICO RISERVA CHIANTI CLASSICO 2013

DOCG, Tuscany, Italy (283861)

ARRIVE IN STYLE

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BEST'S BIN NO. 1 SHIRAZ 2016
Great Western, Victoria

222323 (XD) 750 mL

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Full-bodied & Firm

94 points (jamesuckling.com)

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