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# *Sommelier Suggestions*



## EMBRACING YOUR INNER 'HEMINGWAY

Earnest Hemingway once said, "My only regret in life is that I did not drink more wine."

In order to help you live a regret free life, I have created a list of wine suggestions that are both delicious, and affordable (that way you can have two...). These are wines that I have discovered through years of tasting and study, and are guaranteed to satisfy the most saavy of wine drinkers. Please use this list as a quick reference, and don't be afraid to ask any questions. We are more than happy to assist you with your wine selections, in fact, it's something we're very passionate about.

## OUR UNCERTAIN FUTURE...

"A 100 percent tariff would double the price of wines in shops and restaurants, with disastrous ripple effects. Consumers may be furious if confronted with a \$25 bottle of Fleurie that has doubled in price to \$50. They will have to adapt, or drink wines from somewhere else. But that hardly matters when compared with the American jobs that may be lost and the businesses that could be threatened if the tariffs go into effect." - Eric Asimov, NY Times Wine Critic

# Sommelier Suggestions

## SPARKLING

LANGLOIS CHÂTEAU BRUT, CRÉMANT D'LOIRE, NV | 54

MAS DE DAUMAS GASSAC ROSÉ FRIZANT, LANGUEDOC, NV | 68

TAITTINGER LA FRANCAISE BRUT, CHAMPAGNE, NV | 98

## WHITES

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DOMAINE ZIND-HUMBRECHT ZIND, ALSACE, 2016 | 86

JEAN-MARC BOILLOT, MACON-VILLAGES, 2015 | 78

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RICHARD KERSHAW, ELGIN, 2017 | 92

WILLIAM FÈVRE, SAINT-BRIS, 2017 | 53

ANDRÉ ET EDMOND FIGEAT 'LES CHAUMIENNES', POUILLY-FUMÉ, 2018 | 66

DOMAINE GEORGES VERNAY *LE PIED DE SAMSON*, RHÔNE, FRANCE, 2016 | 71

## ROSÉ

DOMAINE CLAIR-DAU, MARSANNAY, 2018 | 78

L'OSTAL CAZES, IGP PAYS D'OC, FRANCE, 2017 | 43

URBAN PROVENCE, CÔTES DE PROVENCE, 2017 | 68 1500ml

## REDS

SAM HARROP *CEDALION SINGLE VINEYARD*, NEW ZEALAND, 2015 | 62

ALPHA BOX & DICE *BLOOD OF JUPITER*, SOUTH AUSTRALIA, 2015 | 64

BEATRICE & PASCAL LAMBERT *LES PERRUCHES*, CHINON, 2015 | 50

DOMAINE DES BILLARDS, SAINT-AMOUR, 2018 | 66

BOUCHAINE, CARNEROS, 2016 | 62

LA TORETTA *IL MOTTO*, GHEMME, 2009 | 87

CUVELIER LOS ANDES, UCO VALLEY, MENDOZA, 2015 | 64

TERRAZAS DE LOS ANDES 'LAS COMPUERTAS', LUJÁN DE CUIYO, 2015 | 93

DONNAFUGATA *TANCREDI*, TERRE SICILIANE, 2016 | 68

CHÂTEAU LAROSE PERGANSON, HAUT-MÉDOC, 2015 | 56

AUROS, NAPA VALLEY, 2016 | 78



# Champagne



## THE ORIGIN OF CHAMPAGNE

Little by little the rest of the world is coming round to the French point of view, that champagne is not just any old fizzy wine, but a place - and a very special place at that. The Champagne region, an hour's drive east of Paris, is one of France's most comfortably confident, devoted to producing one particular luxury product. The Champenois - the inhabitants of Reims, Épernay and the villages which dot the rolling countryside that looks like, and once was, a continuation of the English South Downs - know that only they can produce the world's pre-eminent sparkling wine.

It is the combination of being as far north as vines can be grown commercially in France; a high proportion of chalky soils which encourage the roots to burrow as far as a regular but by no means generous supply of water; no shortage of cool, dark, humid cellars; and a head start in the public relations game of establishing champagne as the wine of celebration and glamour that makes Champagne unique.

## WHAT IS SPECIAL CLUB?

In 1971 a group of twelve growers started an organization called The Club de Viticultures Champenois, to promote the concept of terroir and estate bottled, or grower Champagne in France and abroad. In 1999 the group changed their name to Club Trésors de Champagne, but the mission and philosophy has not changed: to promote the individuality of grower produced wines. Today, the group consists of 28 growers, including three of the original members: Pierre Gimonnet, Gaston Chiquet, and Paul Bara.

"Too much of anything is bad, but too much champagne is just right." – F. Scott Fitzgerald

## GROWER PRODUCER NON-VINTAGE

ALFRED GRATIEN *CUVÉE PARADIS* BRUT, | 320

BARNAUT BLANC DE NOIRS BRUT, | 121

CHRISTOPHE MIGNON BRUT NATURE, | 108

ÉTIENNE DOUÉ BRUT, | 184 1500ml

FLUTEAU BLANC DE NOIRS, | 108

FRANCOISE BEDEL '*ENTRE CIEL & TERRE*', | 142

GEORGES LAVAL GARENNES, EXTRA BRUT | 156

GEORGES LAVAL '*CUMIERES*' 1ER CRU, BRUT NATURE, | 218

HENRI BILLIOT RÉSERVE BRUT, | 132

JACQUES SELOSSE *SUBSTANCE* BRUT, | 663 (DISGORGED DEC. 04TH, 2008)

JACQUES SELOSSE *SUBSTANCE* BRUT, | 642 (DISGORGED OCT. 22ND, 2010)

JACQUES SELOSSE *INITIAL* BRUT, | 528 (DISGORGED NOV. 05TH, 2017)

JACQUES SELOSSE *INITIAL* BRUT, | 548 (DISGORGED DEC. 03RD, 2018)

JACQUES SELOSSE *INITIAL* BRUT, | 548 (DISGORGED DEC. 04TH, 2018)

J. LASSALLE *PREFERENCE*, | 99

MARC HEBRART *CUVÉE DE RÉSERVE*, | 108

MICHEL GONET BRUT BLANC DE BLANCS, | 155

PAUL BARA *GRAND CRU* BRUT, | 74 375ml

PAUL BARA *GRAND CRU* BRUT, | 97

PAUL DETHUNE *GRAND CRU* BRUT, | 101

PIERRE PETERS BLANC DE BLANCS *CUVÉE RÉSERVE* BRUT | 154

PIERRE PETERS BLANC DE BLANCS *CUVÉE RÉSERVE* BRUT, | 668 3000ml

RENÉ GEOFFROY *CUVÉE EXPRESSION* BRUT, | 118

## GROWER PRODUCER VINTAGE

BRUNO PAILLARD *NEC PLUS ULTRA* BRUT, 1996 | 2176

EGLY-OURIET BRUT, 2002 | 299

GEORGES LAVAL *LES CHENES, 'CUMIERES'* 1ER CRU, BRUT NATURE, 2015 | 432

MAURICE VESSELLE BRUT, 2000 | 186

PAUL DETHUNE GRAND CRU BRUT, 2005 | 198

PIERRE PAILLARD *LE GRANDE RÉCOLTE*, 2006 | 171

RENÉ GEOFFROY EXTRA BRUT, 2000 | 736

RENÉ GEOFFROY EXTRA BRUT, 2002 | 736

RENÉ GEOFFROY EXTRA BRUT, 2004 | 736

VEUVE FOURNY CUVEE NOTRE DAME, 2000 | 750

## SPECIAL CLUB CHAMPAGNE

GASTON CHIQUET BRUT, 2007 | 252

GASTON CHIQUET BRUT, 2009 | 186

HENRI GOUTORBE BRUT, 2006 | 192

PAUL BARA BRUT *ROSÉ*, 2009 | 329

LAUNOIS PERE & FILS BLANC DE BLANCS BRUT, 2008 | 167

MOUSSÉ FILS *ROSÉ D'SAIGNÉE*, 2015 | 345



## NON-VINTAGE

- BÉRÊCHE RÉSERVE BRUT, | 116
- BOLLINGER *SPECIAL CUVÉE*, | 177
- BILLECART-SALMON BRUT RÉSERVE, | 129
- BRUNO PAILLARD *PREMIERE CUVÉE*, | 115
- CANARD DUCHENE *CUVÉE LEONIE* BRUT, | 76
- CATTIER 'CLOS DU MOULIN' BRUT, | 611
- DELAMOTTE BLANC DE BLANCS BRUT, | 69 375m
- GOSSET BLANC DE BLANCS BRUT, | 199
- HENRIOT BRUT, | 98
- KRUG GRANDE CUVÉE, 162 ÈME ÉDITION, | 348
- KRUG GRANDE CUVÉE, 164 ÈME ÉDITION, | 321
- KRUG GRANDE CUVÉE, 167 ÈME ÉDITION, | 298
- LA CARAVELLE BLANC DE BLANCS, | 125
- LAURENT-PERRIER, | 109
- NICOLAS FEUILLATTE *RÉSERVE BLUE LABEL* BRUT | 98
- PIPER-HEIDSIECK *CUVÉE 1785*, | 87
- POL ROGER BRUT, | 124
- RUINART BLANC DE BLANCS, | 175
- RUINART BLANC DE BLANCS, | 998 3000ml
- TAITTINGER *LA FRANÇAISE* BRUT, | 98
- VEUVE CLICQUOT *YELLOW LABEL*, | 78 375m
- VEUVE CLICQUOT *YELLOW LABEL*, | 112

## VINTAGE

AYALA *PERLE D'AYALA* BRUT, 2000 | 347  
BÉRÈCHE 'LE CRAN' 1ER CRU, 2011 | 234  
BÉRÈCHE 'RILLY-LA-MONTAGNE' 1ER CRU, 2015 | 218  
BOLLINGER *GRANDE ANNEE* BRUT, 2008 | 363  
CANARD-DUCHENE BRUT, 2009 | 134  
CRISTAL, 2009 | 592  
DELAMOTTE BLANC DE BLANCS BRUT, 1964 | 4109 1500ml  
DELAMOTTE BLANC DE BLANCS BRUT, 1970 | 4210 1500ml  
DELAMOTTE BLANC DE BLANCS BRUT, 1983 | 2578 1500ml  
DOM PÉRIGNON, 2006 | 475  
DOM PÉRIGNON, 2008 | 427  
DOM PÉRIGNON, 2009 | 403  
DOM PÉRIGNON *P2*, 1998 | 983  
DOM PÉRIGNON *P2*, 2000 | 764  
DOM PÉRIGNON *P3*, 1971 | 5129  
DOM RUINART BLANC DE BLANCS, 2007 | 418  
DUVAL-LEROY *CUVÉE FEMME* BRUT, 1996 | 320  
GOSSET *CELEBRIS* BLANC DE BLANCS, 2000 | 410  
HENRIOT *CUVÉE HEMERA* BRUT, 2005 | 404  
HENRIOT *MILLESIME* BRUT, 2008 | 209  
KRUG, 1985 | 1148  
KRUG, 1996 | 1555  
KRUG, 'CLOS D'AMBONNAY', 1996 | 4750  
KRUG, 'CLOS D'AMBONNAY', 1998 | 4750  
LOUIS BARTHÉLÉMY *SAPHIR* BRUT, 2008 | 130  
MOËT & CHANDON *GRAND VINTAGE*, 1990 | 612 1500ml  
MOËT & CHANDON *GRAND VINTAGE*, 2006 | 406 1500ml  
MOËT & CHANDON *GRAND VINTAGE*, 2009 | 147  
MOËT & CHANDON *GRAND VINTAGE*, 2012 | 148  
PHILIPPONNAT 'CLOS DES GOISSES' BRUT, 1998 | 456  
POL ROGER *CUVÉE SIR WINSTON CHRUCHILL*, 2000 | 784  
SALON BRUT 'LE MESNIL' *CUVÉE S* BLANC DE BLANCS, 1999 | 774  
TAITTINGER *COMTES DE CHAMPAGNE* BLANC DE BLANCS BRUT, 2007 | 386  
THIENOT *CUVEE ALAIN*, 1999 | 168  
THIENOT *GARANCE*, 2007 | 152  
VEUVE CLICQUOT *LA GRANDE DAME*, 2006 | 408

## ROSÉ CHAMPAGNE NON-VINTAGE

BILLECART-SALMON BRUT RÉSERVE, | 192

CHARLES HEIDSIECK ROSÉ RÉSERVE, | 118

DUVAL-LEROY *PRESTIGE*, | 136

GOSSET PETIT DOUCEURS, | 172

KRUG | 677

MOUSSÉ FILS *EFFUSION* BRUT, | 126

PAUL BARA BRUT, | 152

PERRIER-JOUËT *BLASON ROSÉ* BRUT, | 129

PHILIPPE GONET BRUT, | 184

PHILIPPONNAT *ROYAL RESERVE* BRUT, | 192

PIERRE PETERS *ROSÉ FOR ALBANE* BRUT, | 163

RUINART, | 204

TAITTINGER *PRESTIGE* BRUT, | 134

VEUVE CLICQUOT, | 95 37

VEUVE CLICQUOT, | 170

## ROSÉ CHAMPAGNE VINTAGE

BOLLINGER BRUT GRANDE ANNEE, 1996 | 610

L. AUBRY FILS *SABLE 1ER CRU*, BRUT NATURE, 2014 | 238

MOËT & CHANDON *GRAND VINTAGE*, 2012 | 208

TAITTINGER *COMTES DE CHAMPAGNE*, 2006 | 558

VEUVE CLICQUOT, 2008 | 278

VEUVE CLICQUOT *LA GRANDE DAME*, 2004 | 664

# Sparkling Wine

## SPARKLING WINE

BOUVET LADUBAY, FRANCE, NV | 48

DOMAINE FRANCK PEILLOT, BUGEY MONTAGNIEU, NV | 58

DOMAINE MURÉ BRUT, CRÉMANT D'ALSACE, 2017 | 54

DOMAINE SAINT VINCENT BRUT ROSÉ, NEW MEXICO, NV | 42

GRUET ROSÉ, NEW MEXICO, NV | 27 375ml

IRON HORSE, GREEN VALLEY OF RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY, SONOMA, 2014 | 72

LANGLOIS CHÂTEAU BRUT, CRÉMANT D'LOIRE, NV | 54

MAS DE DAUMAS GASSAC ROSÉ FRIZANT, LANGUEDOC, FRANCE, NV | 68

SCHRAMSBERG J SCHRAM, CALIFORNIA, 2004 | 142



# Chardonnay



## THE ORIGIN OF CHARDONNAY

All over the world, producing Chardonnay has been seen as a rite of passage in new wine regions. Almost any wine producer with ambitions to belong to the great international club of wine grown-ups has to prove that he or she can make a Chardonnay, preferably a Chardonnay fermented and matured in new(ish) oak barrels the Burgundian way, with the best of them. The fact is that most of this sort of wine is far more a product made in the cellar than in the vineyard. Or, to put it another way, skilfully-made barrel-fermented Chardonnays tend to taste very much the same wherever they are made. Indeed when many people say they like the taste of Chardonnay, what they often mean is that they like the taste of oak, or at least the qualities of oak maturation.

Wine drinkers find it flatteringly easy to enjoy, with its broad, exuberant charms, relatively high alcohol and low acidity, and lack of powerful scent. Vine growers find it easy to grow productively and profitably (it can yield well, ripen usefully early, although buds rather too early for frost-free comfort in cool climates). And winemakers revel in the range of different winemaking techniques to which Chardonnay readily submits: not just a wide range of dry white wines with more weight than most, but delicate sparkling wines and even a few extremely successful sweet white wines made with the benefit of 'noble rot'.

"On Saturday afternoons when all the things are done in the house and there's no real work to be done, I play Bach and Chopin and turn it up real loudly and get a good bottle of chardonnay and sit out on my deck and look out at the garden" - Maya Angelou

# Chardonnay

## CHABLIS

- DOMAINE DUBLERE 'BOUGROS' GRAND CRU, 2014 | 126
- DOMAINE LAROCHE 'FOURCHAUME' 1ER CRU *VIEILLES VIGNES*, 2017 | 166
- DOMAINE LAROCHE 'VAILLONS' 1ER CRU *VIEILLES VIGNES*, 2016 | 128
- DOMAINE LAROCHE 'VAILLONS' 1ER CRU *VIEILLES VIGNES*, 2018 | 158
- DOMAINE LONG DEPAQUIT 'MOUTONNE' GRAND CRU, 2013 | 272
- DOMAINE SERVIIN 'VAUCOUPIN' 1ER CRU, 2015 | 94
- DOMAINE VOCORET, 2017 | 78
- DOMAINE VOCORET ET FILS 'LES CLOS' GRAND CRU, 2014 | 208
- FRANCOIS ET JEAN MARIE RAVENEAU 'FORETS' 1ER CRU, 2014 | 478
- FRANCOIS ET JEAN MARIE RAVENEAU 'VALMUR' GRAND CRU, 1996 | 1211
- JEAN-MARC BROCARD 'FOURCHAUME' 1ER CRU, 2014 | 189 1500ml
- JEAN-MARC BROCARD 'VALMUR' GRAND CRU, 2008 | 317 1500ml
- LAURENT TRIBUT, 2016 | 96
- LOUIS MICHEL, 2015 | 41 375ml
- PATRICK PIUZE 'TERROIR DE FYE', 2017 | 58
- ROMAIN BESSIN 'VAILLONS' 1ER CRU, 2016 | 96
- WILLIAM FÈVRE *CHAMPS ROYAUX*, 2017 | 55
- WILLIAM FÈVRE 'VAILLONS' 1ER CRU, 2017 | 128
- WILLIAM FÈVRE 'VAUDÉSIR' GRAND CRU, 2017 | 212

## MEURSAULT

CHATEAU DE MEURSAULT 'PERRIÈRES' 1ER CRU, 2013 | 318  
COMTESSE BERNARD DE CHERISEY 'BOIS DE BLAGNY', 2015 | 165  
DOMAINE ARNAUD ENTE, 2013 | 723  
DOMAINE ARNAUD ENTE, 2015 | 796  
DOMAINE BUISSON CHARLES 'GOUTTES D'OR' 1ER CRU, 2015 | 318  
DOMAINE DES COMTES LAFON 'CHARMES' 1ER CRU, 1992 | 994  
DOMAINE DES COMTES LAFON 'CHARMES' 1ER CRU, 1997 | 577  
DOMAINE DES COMTES LAFON 'CLOS DE LA BARRE' 1ER CRU, 1990 | 625  
DOMAINE DES COMTES LAFON 'GOUTTES D'OR' 1ER CRU, 2009 | 458  
DOMAINE DES COMTES LAFON 'PERRIERES' 1ER CRU, 1991 | 797  
DOMAINE PATRICK JAVILLIER 'LES CLOUSOTS', 2015 | 149  
DOMAINE ROULOT, LES TESSONS CLOS DE MON PLAISIR, 2006 | 686  
DOMAINE ROULOT 'CHARMES' 1ER CRU, 2016 | 1211  
FRANCOIS ET ANTOINE JOBARD 'GENEVRIERES' 1ER CRU, 2006 | 239  
FRANCOIS MIKULSKI, 2008 | 137  
JEAN PHILIPPE FICHET, 2017 | 171  
JEAN PHILIPPE FICHET 'LES CHEVALIÈRES', 2017 | 232  
MONTHELIE-DOUHAIRET-PORCHERET 'LES SANTENOTS' 1ER CRU, 2001 | 263

## PULIGNY-MONTRACHET

DOMAINE BENOIT ENTE 'LA TRUFFIÈRE' 1ER CRU, 2015 | 288  
DOMAINE BENOIT ENTE 'LA TRUFFIÈRE' 1ER CRU, 2017 | 348  
DOMAINE COLIN-DELÉGER 'DEMOISELLES' 1ER CRU, 2006 | 373  
DOMAINE DE LA POUSSE D'OR 'CAILLERETS' 1ER CRU, 2004 | 284  
DOMAINE LEFLAIVE 'CLAVAILLON' 1ER CRU, 2015 | 438  
DOMAINE RAMONET 'CHAMP CANET' 1ER CRU, 2014 | 336

## CHASSAGNE-MONTRACHET

ALBERT BICHOT 'MORGEOT' 1ER CRU, 2015 | 298

BENJAMIN LEROUX 'LES EMBAZÉES' 1ER CRU, 2013 | 185

BENJAMIN LEROUX 'LES EMBAZÉES' 1ER CRU, 2015 | 234

CHÂTEAU DE PULIGNY-MONTRACHET, 2015 | 164

DOMAINE CHANSON 'LES CHENEVOTTES' 1ER CRU, 2009 | 352

DOMAINE FONTAINE-GAGNARD 'LES CAILLERET' 1ER CRU, 2017 | 219

DOMAINE MARC MOREY 'LES VERGERS' 1ER CRU, 2013 | 208

DOMAINE RAMONET 'LES RUCHOTTES' 1ER CRU, 2015 | 483

JEAN-NOËL GAGNARD 'LES CHAUMÉES' 1ER CRU, 2010 | 179

VINCENT GIRARDIN 'LES CAILLERET' 1ER CRU, 2014 | 227

## GRAND CRUS

BENJAMIN LEROUX 'BATARD-MONTRACHET', 2009 | 746

BONNEAU DU MARTRAY 'CORTON-CHARLEMAGNE', 2005 | 631

BOUCHARD 'CHEVALIER MONTRACHET', 2008 | 711

DOMAINE CHANSON 'CORTON-VERGENNES', 2017 | 418

DOMAINE COLIN-DELEGER 'CHEVALIER MONTRACHET', 2002 | 695

DOMAINE COMTE GEORGES DE VOGÜÉ 'MUSIGNY', 1992 | 1998

DOMAINE FONTAINE-GAGNARD 'CRIOTS BATARD-MONTRACHET', 2017 | 568

DOMAINE HUBERT LAMY 'CRIOTS BATARD-MONTRACHET', 2009 | 731

DOMAINE PAUL PERNOT 'BATARD-MONTRACHET', 2002 | 647

DOMAINE PIERRE MOREY 'BATARD-MONTRACHET', 2001 | 829

DOMAINE PIERRE MOREY 'BATARD-MONTRACHET', 2005 | 711

DOMAINE RAMONET 'LE MONTRACHET', 1998 | 2083

REMOISSENET 'LE MONTRACHET', 2008 | 480 375ml

VINCENT GIRARDIN 'CHEVALIER-MONTRACHET', 2004 | 777

VINCENT GIRARDIN 'BATARD MONTRACHET', 2007 | 667

VINCENT GIRARDIN 'BIENVENUES BATARD MONTRACHET', 2005 | 467



# Chardonnay

## CÔTE DE NUITS

DOMAINE BRUNO CLAIR, MARSANNAY BLANC, 2013 | 78

DOMAINE DE LA VOUGERAIE 'LES CLOS BLANC DE VOUGEOT', VOUGEOT 1ER CRU, 2005 | 224

DOMAINE PONSOT 'MONT LUISANTS', MOREY ST DENIS BLANC *VIEILLES VIGNES*, 2009 | 365

MEO-CAMUZET 'CLOS SAINT PHILIBERT' HAUTES-CÔTES DE NUITS, 2016 | 137

LUCIEN LE MOINE 'TERRES BLANCHES', NUIT ST. GEORGE 1ER CRU, 2006 | 284

## CÔTE DE BEAUNE

DOMAINE CHANSON 'CLOS DE MOUCHES' 1ER-CRU, BEAUNE, 2012 | 277

DOMAINE CHANSON 'LES HAUTS MARCONNETS' 1ER CRU, SAVIGNY LÈS-BEAUNE, 2017 | 128

DOMAINE EMMANUEL ROUGET, HAUTES CÔTES DE BEAUNE, 2017 | 106

DOMAINE TAUPENOT-MERME, AUXEY-DURESSES, 2014 | 89

LOUIS JADOT 'CLOS DE MALTE', SANTENAY, 2016 | 96

## CÔTE CHALONNAISE

DOMAINE SEGUIN-MANUEL *VIEILLES VIGNES*, MERCUREY, 2014 | 77

MAISON DEUX MONTILLE *SOEUR*, RULLY, 2008 | 83

MAISON DEUX MONTILLE *SOEUR*, RULLY, 2013 | 76

MAISON GILLE 'RABOURCÉ' 1ER CRU, RULLY, 2015 | 98

MOILLARD-GRIVOT 'LES GRESIGNY', 1 ER CRU, RULLY, 2013 | 102

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DOMAINE J.A. FERRET, POUILLY-FUISSÉ, 2016 | 88

DOMAINE J.A. FERRET, POUILLY-FUISSÉ, 2017 | 88

JEAN-MARC BOILLOT, MÂCON-VILLAGES, 2015 | 78

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MARCEL COUTURIER *LA COUR DES BOIS*, SAINT VERAN, 2015 | 70

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DOMAINE BENOIT ENTE, BOURGOGNE BLANC, 2016 | 86

DOMAINE BENOIT ENTE, BOURGOGNE BLANC, 2017 | 86

DOMAINE COMTE GEORGES DE VOGÜÉ, BOURGOGNE BLANC, 1999 | 633

DOMAINE COMTE GEORGES DE VOGÜÉ, BOURGOGNE BLANC, 2008 | 483

DOMAINE COMTE GEORGES DE VOGÜÉ, BOURGOGNE BLANC, 2011 | 373

DOMAINE EMMANUEL ROUGET, BOURGOGNE ALIGOTÉ, 2017 | 61

DOMAINE FRANCOIS CARILLON, BOURGOGNE ALIGOTÉ, 2010 | 51

DOMAINE LEFLAIVE, BOURGOGNE BLANC, 2014 | 156

DOMAINE ROBERT CHEVILLON, BOURGOGNE BLANC, 2013 | 72

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JEAN-PAUL BRUN *TERRES DOREES*, BEAUJOLAIS BLANC, 2016 | 47

PASCAL CLEMENT, BOURGOGNE BLANC, 2016 | 42

VINCENT DANCER, BOURGOGNE BLANC, 2011 | 84

VINCENT DANCER, BOURGOGNE BLANC, 2014 | 78

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- LYNMAR 'QUAIL HILL', RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY, 2012 | 116
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- MINER, NAPA VALLEY, 2016 | 81
- MOUTON NOIR *KNOCK ON WOOD*, WILLAMETTE VALLEY, 2015 | 55
- NICKEL & NICKEL 'TRUCHARD VINEYARD', NAPA-CARNEROS, 2016 | 152
- NICKEL & NICKEL 'STILING VINEYARD', RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY, 2015 | 152
- ORIN SWIFT *MANNEQUIN*, CALIFORNIA, 2017 | 82

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PEAY VINEYARDS, SONOMA COAST, 2015 | 132

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PETER MICHAEL *BELLE CÔTE*, KNIGHTS VALLEY, 2017 | 238

PRIDE MOUNTAIN, NAPA VALLEY, 2006 | 82

RAMEY VINEYARDS 'HYDE VINEYARD', CARNEROS, 2014 | 144

RHYS VINEYARDS *ALESIA*, ANDERSON VALLEY, 2016 | 74

ROMBAUER, NAPA VALLEY, 2018 | 104

SANDHI, STA. RITA HILLS, 2014 | 93

SCRIBE 'SKIN FERMENTED', CARNEROS, 2010 | 65 500ml

SIXTO *UNCOVERED*, WASHINGTON STATE, 2013 | 88

STONESTREET 'GRAVEL BENCH' ALEXANDER VALLEY, 2008 | 175

THOMAS FOGARTY, SANTA CRUZ MOUNTAINS, 2014 | 85

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# *Sauvignon Blanc*



## THE ORIGIN OF SAUVIGNON BLANC

Sauvignon Blanc literally has its roots in the Loire valley where the twin appellations of Sancerre and Pouilly-Fumé produce some of the best examples of the grape's unique aroma. The fresh and piercing flavors of gooseberry and blackcurrant leaf has been emulated all over the world giving the grape both a varietal typicity and a regional difference that makes the varietal instantly recognizable but also a completely different expression depending on the place of origin.

Most Sauvignon Blanc is fermented at relatively low temperatures in stainless steel with the intention of preserving every bit of youthful fruit. The wines are in general designed to be drunk as young as possible, although some of the fruit from particularly low-yielding vineyards can be concentrated to withstand oak ageing and may need a year or so in bottle before showing their best

### Wine Theory Questions

1. What style of wine is produced in Bonnezeaux AOP?
2. Sancerre Rouge is produced from 100% what red varietal?
3. Clos Rougeard is famous red wine produced under which Loire Valley AOP?

# Sauvignon Blanc

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CHÂTEAU DUCASSE, GRAVES, 2018 | 55

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DIDIER DAGUENEAU *SILEX*, POUILLY-FUMÉ, 2015 | 305

DIDIER DAGUENEAU *SILEX*, POUILLY-FUMÉ, 2016 | | 301

DIDIER DAGUENEAU *BUISSON RENARD*, POUILLY-FUMÉ, 2009 | 269

DIDIER DAGUENEAU *PUR SANG*, POUILLY-FUMÉ, 2009 | 269

DIDIER DAGUENEAU BLANC FUMÉ DU POUILLY, 2015 | 198

DIDIER DAGUENEAU BLANC FUMÉ DU POUILLY, 2016 | 192

DOMAINE JACQUES ROUZÉ *VIGNES D'ANTAN*, QUINCY, 2017 | 63

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ARKENSTONE, HOWELL MOUNTAIN, 2015 | 173

ORIN SWIFT *BLANK STARE*, RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY, 2017 | 94

SCHOLIUM PROJECT 'FARINA VINEYARD', LA SEVERITÀ DI BRUTO, SONOMA MOUNTAIN, 2009 | 89

## ITALY

DALIA MARIS, COLLI ORIENTALI DEI FRUILLI, 2017 | 66

DALIA MARIS *GROS*, COLLI ORIENTALI DEI FRUILLI, 2016 | 92

GIUSEPPE QUINTARELLI BIANCO SECCO CA' DEL MERLO, 2010 | 89

GIUSEPPE QUINTARELLI BIANCO SECCO CA' DEL MERLO, 2007 | 198

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*Chenin Blanc*



## THE ORIGIN OF CHENIN BLANC

Chenin Blanc has a long history. It's thought to have been established in the Anjou region of France as long ago as the ninth century and was probably known then as *Chenere*. The variety was renamed *Chenin Blanc*, after *Mont Chenin*, in the 15th century soon after being exported to the *Touraine* region in the *Loire Valley*.

Chenin has been grown around the town of *Angers* on the *Loire* for centuries, perhaps for more than a millennium. *Rabelais* mentions it both as *Chenin* and by its common *Loire* synonym *Pineau*. The wine it produces is notably high in acidity, which can be quite useful in a warm climate but can verge on the painful in the *Loire's* coolest vintages. In fact the one brake on *Loire* *Chenin's* reputation has been the sometimes dire quality of *Chenin* produced when the grapes just haven't ripened sufficiently to coax the unique *Chenin* flavours of flowers, damp straw and honey into the resulting wine, leaving little but acid and sulphur in the bottle.

Thanks to global warming, disastrous vintages are becoming a rarity in the *Loire*, and growers are, thank goodness, using less and less sulphur to stabilise these often off-dry to medium-sweet wines. A truly great *Chenin Blanc* is typically a *Moelleux*, the product of a hazy autumn on the schists of the *Loire* which encourages noble rot and results in a toasty golden wine that has all of the complexity of any botrytised wine but with the *Chenin* grapes' particular layers of molten honey and crisp, dancing acidity. Beware, however. For the moment French law is much more lax than German and the sweetness in some producers' *Moelleux* wines can owe more to cunning winemaking than genuine noble rot concentration.

# Chenin Blanc

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- ARNAUD LAMBERT 'LES PERRIERES', SAUMUR, 2015 | 43  
DOMAINE GUIBERTEAU 'LES MOULINS', SAUMUR, 2017 | 73  
DOMAINE HUET 'LE MONT', VOUVRAY MOELLEUX, 1985 | 148  
DOMAINE HUET 'LE MONT', VOUVRAY SEC, 2017 | 91  
DOMAINE HUET 'CLOS DU BOURG', VOUVRAY MOELLEUX, 1985 | 182  
DOMAINE HUET 'HAUT LIEU', VOUVRAY MOELLEUX, 2008 | 96  
DOMAINE HUET 'CLOS DU BOURG' *PREMIERE TRIE*, VOUVRAY MOELLEUX, 2009 | 176  
NICOLAS JOLY 'CLOS DE LA BERGERIE' SAVENNIÈRES, 2007 | 246  
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PASCAL JANVIER *CUVÉE SILEX*, JASNIERES, 2015 | 54

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- CHAPPELLET, NAPA VALLEY 2015 | 89

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## FRANCE

- DOMAINE DES QUATRE ROUTES, MUSCADET SÈVRE-ET-MAINE SUR LIE, 2013 | 36  
JO LANDRON 'LA FIEF DU BREIL', MUSCADET SÈVRE-ET-MAINE, 2014 | 50





# Riesling



## FOR ANDREW

I dedicate this section of our wine list, in loving memory, to my friend Andrew Algren - who passed away over a year ago. He was an incredible human being, a lover of all things Riesling, and he will be sorely missed by all who had the pleasure of knowing him. This is a tragic loss to both our Chicago wine community, and our industry as a whole. Rest in Peace - RcB

Andrew William Algren (@Rieslingslut) : February 3rd, 1986 - November 15th, 2018

## A LITTLE ABOUT RIESLING

Wine made from Riesling is quite unlike any other. It is generally light in alcohol, refreshingly high in fruity natural acidity (quite different from the harshness of added acid), has the ability to transmit the character of a place through its extract and unique aroma and, unlike Chardonnay, is capable of ageing for decades in bottle. Like top quality Chenin Blanc, but unlike Chardonnay, it performs best if fermented cool and bottled early without any malolactic fermentation or wood influence. Riesling is a star and, as you may discern, one of wines' great heroes.

A fine Riesling almost demands time in bottle. They can be quite austere in youth (which may be why so many wine drinkers are wary of them). The prospect of a 50-year-old Riesling can be an appetizing one while the number of white burgundies worth ageing past their 15th birthday is extremely small.

"If Chardonnay is a lap dance, then Riesling is a slow-burning tantric orgasm of flavor." - Terry Thiese

## GERMANY

A.J. ADAM 'HOFBERG', MOSEL, 2010 | 168

CARL VON SCHUBERT MAXIMIN GRÜNHaus SPATLESE 'ABTSBERG', MOSEL, 2010 | 96

CARL VON SCHUBERT MAXIMIN GRÜNHaus SUPERIOR DRY 'ABTSBERG', MOSEL, 2010 | 154

DÖNNHOFF SPATLESE 'NORHEIMER KIRSCHHECK', NAHE, 2010 | 89

DÖNNHOFF TROCKEN 'DELLCHEN', NAHE, 2009 | 152

DÖNNHOFF TROCKEN 'FELSENBERG', NAHE, 2009 | 147

DÖNNHOFF TROCKEN 'FELSENBERG', NAHE, 2010 | 149

DÖNNHOFF SPATLESE 'NIEDERHAUSER HERMANNSHOHLE', NAHE, 2010 | 159

DÖNNHOFF AUSLESE 'NIEDERHAUSER HERMANNSHOHLE', NAHE, 2010 | 98 375ml

DR. LOOSEN *BLUE SLATE*, MOSEL, 2014 | 45

EUGEN MULLER AUSLESE 'FORSTER KIRCHENSTUCK', 2010 | 66 500ml

FRITZ HAAG, MOSEL, 2014 | 50

HEXAMER 'MEDDERSHEIMER RHEINGRAFENBERG' QUARZIT RESERVE, NAHE, 2008 | 64

JOH. JOS. PRÜM KABINETT 'WEHLENER SONNENUHR', MOSEL, 2015 | 78

LEITZ SPATLESE 'RÜDESHEIMER MAGDALENENKREUZ', RHEINGAU, 2010 | 129 1500ml

LEITZ SPATLESE 'RÜDESHEIMER BERG SCHLOSSBERG EHRENFELS', RHEINGAU, 2010 | 122

MAX FERD. RICHTER 'MÜLHEIMER SONNENLAY' SPÄTLESE FEINHERB, MOSEL, 2007 | 66

MÜLLER-CATOIR SPATLESE 'HERRENLETTEN', PFALZ, 2010 | 100

MÜLLER-CATOIR SPATLESE 'BREUMEL IN DEN MAUERN', PFALZ, 2009 | 165

SCHLOSSGUT DIEL SPÄTLESE 'PITTERMÄNNCHEN', NAHE, 2009 | 146

SCHLOSSGUT DIEL SPÄTLESE 'BURGBERG', NAHE, 2009 | 146

VON WINNING SPÄTLESE 'KIRCHENSTUCK', NAHE, 2010 | 297

VON WINNING TROCKEN 'RUPPER REIT', NAHE, 2013 | 87

WEINGUT KELLER SPATLESE TROCKEN 'HUBACKER' GG, RHEINHESSEN, 2007 | 160

WEINGUT KELLER SPATLESE TROCKEN 'MORSTEIN' GG, RHEINHESSEN, 2008 | 240

WEINGUT KELLER SPATLESE TROCKEN 'KIRSCHSPEIL' GG, RHEINHESSEN, 2009 | 160

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DOMAINE EHRHART 'HERRENWEG', 2012 | 46

DOMAINE SPECHT 'MANDELBERG' GRAND CRU, 2015 | 47

DOMAINE ZIND-HUMBRECHT, 2016 | 70

DOMAINE ZIND-HUMBRECHT 'CLOS WINDSBUHL', 2017 | 218

F.E. TRIMBACH, 2015 | 64

F.E. TRIMBACH, 2016 | 58

F.E. TRIMBACH 'CLOS STE. HUNE', 2006 | 522

F.E. TRIMBACH 'CLOS STE. HUNE', 2009 | 592

F.E. TRIMBACH 'CLOS STE. HUNE', 2012 | 576

F.E. TRIMBACH *CUVÉE FRÉDÉRIC EMILE*, 2010 | 166

F.E. TRIMBACH *CUVÉE FRÉDÉRIC EMILE*, 2011 | 166

LUCIEN ALBRECHT 'PFINGSTBERG' GRAND CRU, 2012 | 86

RENÉ MURÉ CLOS ST. LANDELIN, 2004 | 127

## AMERICA

EROICA, COLUMBIA VALLEY, 2016 | 70

POET'S LEAP, COLUMBIA VALLEY, 2014 | 53

## AUSTRIA

HIEDLER RESERVE 'MAXIMUM', KAMPTAL, 2008 | 96

HIEDLER RESERVE 'HEILIGENSTEIN', KAMPTAL, 2010 | 252 1500ml

NIGL RIESLING 'HOCHACHER', KREMSTAL, 2010 | 127

NIGL, PELLINGEN PRIVAT, KREMSTAL, 2009 | 134

NIKOLAIHOF SMARAGD 'VOM STEIN', WACHAU, 2008 | 155

WEINGUT KNOLL SMARAGD 'KELLERBERG', WACHAU, 2007 | 115

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- ALBERT BOXLER, EDELZWICKER, 2009 | 49
- ALBERT BOXLER, PINOT BLANC, 2009 | 62
- ALBERT BOXLER, PINOT GRIS, 2009 | 73
- DOMAINE DIRLER 'KESSLER', GEWÜRZTRAMINER, 2004 | 101
- DOMAINE ZIND-HUMBRECHT *ROCHE CALCAIRE*, GEWÜRZTRAMINER, 2014 | 126
- DOMAINE ZIND-HUMBRECHT, MUSCAT, 2015 | 62
- DOMAINE ZIND-HUMBRECHT, PINOT GRIS, 2009 | 77
- DOMAINE ZIND-HUMBRECHT 'ROTENBERG', PINOT GRIS, 2014 | 158
- DOPF AU MOULIN RESERVE, PINOT GRIS, 2015 | 44
- MARCEL DEISS, MAMBOURG, GRAND CRU, EDELZWICKER, 2002 | 106
- KUENTZ-BAS, PINOT BLANC, 2012 | 44
- KUENTZ-BAS *TROIS CHÂTEAU*, SYLVANER, 2014 | 60

## AMERICA

- SCHOLIUM PROJECT 'LOST SLOUGH VINEYARD', GEWURTZTRAMINER, 2009 | 72 500m
- THE EYRIE VINEYARDS, PINOT GRIS, DUNDEE HILLS, 2016 | 54

## AUSTRIA

- FRANZ HIRTZBERGER 'PLURIS' *SMARAGD*, GRAUBURGUNDER, WACHAU, 2011 | 84

# Gruner Veltliner

## AUSTRIA

- NIGL, PELLINGEN PRIVAT, KREMSTAL, 2009 | 102
- NIKOLAIHOF 'VINOTHEK' *SMARAGD*, WACHAU, 1993 | 350
- NIKOLAIHOF 'WACHAU IM WEINGEBIRGE' *SMARAGD*, WACHAU, 2008 | 156
- HIEDLER 'KITTMANNSSBERGS RESERVE', KAMPTAL, 2010 | 211 1500ml

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CHÂTEAU DE BEAUCASTEL, CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE VIEILLES VIGNES, RHÔNE, FRANCE, 2005 | 422

CHÂTEAU DE BEAUCASTEL, CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE VIEILLES VIGNES, RHÔNE, FRANCE, 2006 | 422

CHÂTEAU DE BEAUCASTEL, CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE VIEILLES VIGNES, RHÔNE, FRANCE, 2007 | 422

CLOS UROLAUT *CUVEE MARIE*, JURANCON SEC, FRANCE, 2007 | 39

COLD HEAVEN 'LE BON CLIMAT', SANTA BARBARA COUNTY, CA, 2009 | 99

CVNE *MONOPOLE*, RIOJA, SPAIN, 2010 | 42

DOMAINE DE MONTBOURGEAU, VIN JAUNE L'ÉTOILE, SAVOIE, FRANCE, 2000 | 177 620ml

DOMAINE GEORGES VERNAY *LE PIED DE SAMSON*, NORTHERN RHÔNE, FRANCE, 2016 | 71

DOMAINE JAMET, CÔTES DU RHÔNE BLANC, 2016 | 86

E. GUIGAL, CÔTES-DU-RHÔNE BLANC, 2017 | 50

E. GUIGAL 'LA DORIANE', CONDRIEU, RHÔNE, FRANCE, 2009 | 257

E. GUIGAL *EX VOTO*, HERMITAGE BLANC, RHÔNE, FRANCE, 2006 | 444

FABIENNE COTTAGNOUD AMIGNE VETROZ GRAND CRU, 2007 | 162

LE CAILLOU, CÔTES-DU-RHÔNE BLANC, 2018 | 50

M. CHAPOUTIER *CHANTE ALOUETTE*, HERMITAGE BLANC, RHÔNE, FRANCE, 2006 | 255

PIERRE GONON 'LES OLIVIERS', ST. JOSEPH BLANC, RHÔNE, FRANCE, 2012 | 144

QUINTA DA MURADELLA *GORVIA BLANCA*, MONTERRI, 2006 | 128

SCHOLIUM PROJECT 'MARCHER SUR LA LUNE', LODI, CA, 2009 | 56

TABLAS CREEK *CÔTE DE TABLAS*, PASO ROBLES, CALIFORNIA, 2015 | 78

THE PRISONER WINE COMPANY *BLINDFOLD*, CALIFORNIA, 2016 | 75

RAUL PEREZ *RARA AVIS*, CASTILLA Y LEÓN, 2007 | 176

YVES CUILLERON 'LA PETITE COTE', CONDRIEU, NORTHERN RHÔNE, FRANCE, 2007 | 182

YVES CUILLERON 'LES CHAILLETS' CONDRIEU, NORTHERN RHÔNE, FRANCE, 2006 | 203

YVES CUILLERON *LES VIGNES D'Á CÔTÉ ROUSSANNE*, NORTHERN RHÔNE, FRANCE, 2016 | 61



## A LITTLE ABOUT ROSÉ

The precise shade of pink in today's rosés varies enormously, from palest salmon, characteristic of Provence, through quite vibrant candy pink with some hint of blue that is the most common, particularly in the Languedoc, to pale rose red which can be found quite widely now in the Rhone.

Part of the reason we are seeing so many more different rosés on the shelves today is that producers are being encouraged to make ever more concentrated red wines. One way of concentrating the fermenting red wine must is to 'bleed' off (saigner) some of the least concentrated must which is generally a deep pink rather than red color – and we are increasingly seeing these by products being bottled and sold in their own right.

Provence is an obvious source of fine, delicate rosé (and many overpriced rosés too), the best being scented with such local grape varieties as Tibouren and Braquet. Producers in the Languedoc have been putting an increasing amount of effort into their pink wines, for which Cinsaut and Grenache grapes are particularly suitable, while the Grenache-dominated territory in-between, notably Tavel and Lirac, can provide some good bottles.

"Did you hear about the rose that grew from a crack in the concrete? Proving nature's laws wrong, it learned to walk without having feet. Funny, it seems to by keeping it's dreams; it learned to breathe fresh air. Long live the rose that grew from concrete when no one else even cared." -Tupac Shakur

## PROVENCE, FRANCE

CHÂTEAU DES BERTRANDS *ELEGANCE*, 2018 | 108 1500ml

CHÂTEAU MIRAVAL, 2018 | 67

CHÂTEAU SIMONE, 2010 | 162

DOMAINE DE TRIENNES, 2018 | 44

DOMAINE DU GROS 'NORE, BANDOL, 2018 | 58

WHISPERING ANGEL, 2018 | 65

## LANGUEDOC-ROUSSILLON, FRANCE

ERMITAGE DU ST. LOUP, CÔTEAUX DU LANGUEDOC, 2016 | 39

## WEST COAST, USA

EYRIE VINEYARDS *ROSE OF PINOT NOIR*, WILAMETTE VALLEY, 2018 | 67

SANFORD *ROSE OF PINOT NOIR*, STA. RITA HILLS, 2018 | 58

SMOKE TREE, SONOMA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA, 2018 | 68

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CHAPOUTIER *BELLERUCHE*, CÔTES DU RHÔNE, 2018 | 48

DOMAINE DE TERREBRUNE, BANDOL, FRANCE, 2017 | 76

DOMAINE CLAIR DAU, MARSANNAY, FRANCE, 2018 | 78

LIONEL OSMIN *LA VIE EN ROSE*, COMTÉ TOLOSAN IGP, 2018 | 38

L'OSTAL CAZES, IGP PAYS D'OC, FRANCE, 2017 | 43



# *Pinot Noir*

## THE STORY OF PINOT NOIR

Pinot Noir is a very transparent grape. It really can communicate the difference in terroir, or grape-growing environment, between adjacent plots of vineyard. The heady wines grown in Les Amoureuses vineyard in the village of Chambolle, for example, really do taste distinctly different from the majestic produce of Le Musigny vineyard next door which is almost invariably fuller, denser and longer-living.

The greatest Pinot Noir is the greatest red burgundy, without any shadow of a doubt. Other grand crus are on the most favored, south-east-facing mid-slopes above the villages of Gevrey-Chambertin, Morey St Denis, Vougeot, Vosne-Romanée and on the famous tree-topped hill of Corton above Aloxe-Corton. The greatest concentration of vinous greatness is around Vosne-Romanée, with the world-famous likes of Romanée-Conti, La Tâche and, sometimes just as good, Richebourg. The first two in particular are produced in such small quantity that their prices have always been stratospheric.

Pinot can vary enormously but its essential characteristic is charm. It tends to be fruity, perfumed and haunting. It dances on the palate rather than overpowering it. Heavy tannins and deep color are not essential elements in a fine Pinot Noir - not even in a young Pinot Noir. In fact some of the best burgundies are not grand, long-living monsters but lively, sprightly essences of place, sometimes just a general village wine - not one labelled with the name of a grand cru or even a premier cru but one carrying simply the name of a village.

"Nothing makes the future look so rosy as to contemplate it through a glass of Chambertin..." - Napoléon Bonaparte



## GEVREY-CHAMBERTIN

BERNARD DUGAT-PY *VIEILLES VIGNES*, 2010 | 348

BERNARD DUGAT-PY *VIEILLES VIGNES*, 2017 | 316

DOMAINE CECILE TREMBLAY 'CHAPELLE-CHAMBERTIN' GRAND CRU, 2007 | 363

DOMAINE CHANSON 'LA PERRIÈRE' 1ER CRU, 2017 | 291

DOMAINE DENIS-MORTET 'LAVAUX SAINT-JACQUES' 1ER CRU, 2015 | 478

DOMAINE DENIS MORTET *MES CINQ TERROIRS*, 2015 | 192

DOMAINE DENIS MORTET *MES CINQ TERROIRS*, 2016 | 192

DOMAINE DENIS MORTET *MES CINQ TERROIRS*, 2017 | 217

DOMAINE DUJAC 'AUX COMBOTTES' 1ER CRU, 2016 | 532

DOMAINE GEANTET-PANSIOT, 2014 | 108

DOMAINE HERESZTYN-'CLOS VILLAGE' *VIEILLES VIGNES*, 2010 | 209

DOMAINE LEROY 'CLOS DE BEZE' GRAND CRU, 1980 | 1875

DOMAINE MARCHAND-GRILLOT 'LA PERRIÈRE' 1ER CRU, 2010 | 248

DOMAINE PERROT-MINOT 'CLOS DE BEZE' GRAND CRU, 2009 | 1011

DOMAINE PERROT-MINOT *JUSTICE DES SEUVRÉES*, 2017 | 284

JOSEPH DROUHIN 'CHAMBERTIN-CLOS DE BEZE' GRAND CRU, 2012 | 1076

JOSEPH DROUHIN 'GRIOTTE-CHAMBERTIN' GRAND CRU, 2013 | 744

REMOISSENET 'CLOS DE BEZE' GRAND CRU, 2008 | 529

REMOISSENET 'CHARMES-CHAMBERTIN' GRAND CRU, 2008 | 419

SERAFIN PERE & FILS 'LES CORBEAUX' 1ER CRU, 2004 | 204

## MOREY ST. DENIS

BENJAMIN LEROUX 'CLOS SAINT-DENIS' GRAND CRU, 2009 | 468

DOMAINE DUJAC, 2015 | 205

DOMAINE DUJAC, 2016 | 217

DOMAINE GEORGE ROUMIER 'LA BUSSIÈRE' 1ER CRU, 2014 | 384

DOMAINE GEORGE ROUMIER 'LA BUSSIÈRE' 1ER CRU, 2015 | 504

DOMAINE PERROT-MINOT 'LA RIOTTE' 1ER CRU, 2009 | 343

DOMAINE PERROT-MINOT 'LA RIOTTE' 1ER CRU, 2017 | 476

DOMAINE PERROT-MINOT 'LA RUE DE VERGY', 2017 | 284

DOMAINE PONSOT 'CLOS DE LA ROCHE' GRAND CRU, 2006 | 873

DOMAINE VINCENT DE SAINT DENIS 'CLOS DE ORMES' 1ER CRU, 2015 | 187

HUBERT LIGNIER 'CLOS DE LA ROCHE' GRAND CRU, 2008 | 733

HUBERT LIGNIER 'LES CHAFFOTS' 1ER CRU, 2015 | 368

LA FORGE DE TART, 1ER CRU, 2016 | 632

LUCIE & AUGUSTE LIGNIER *CUVÉE ROMAIN LIGNIER*, 1ER CRU, 2008 | 248

MAISON MOMMESSIN 'CLOS DE TART' GRAND CRU, 2006 | 1743

MAISON MOMMESSIN 'CLOS DE TART' GRAND CRU, 2008 | 1175

MAISON MOMMESSIN 'CLOS DE TART' GRAND CRU, 2016 | 1552

**CHAMBOLLE-MUSIGNY**

DOMAINE ARLAUD 'LES SENTIERS' 1ER CRU, 2015 | 264

DOMAINE COMTE GEORGES DE VOGÜÉ, 1993 | 529

DOMAINE COMTE GEORGES DE VOGÜÉ 1ER CRU, 1997 | 747

DOMAINE COMTE GEORGES DE VOGÜÉ 1ER CRU, 2002 | 747

DOMAINE COMTE GEORGES DE VOGÜÉ 1ER CRU, 2005 | 896

DOMAINE COMTE GEORGES DE VOGÜÉ 'BONNES MARES' GRAND CRU, 2001 | 1121

DOMAINE COMTE GEORGES DE VOGÜÉ 'MUSIGNY' GRAND CRU, 1993 | 2237

DOMAINE COMTE GEORGES DE VOGÜÉ 'MUSIGNY' GRAND CRU, 2004 | 4437

DOMAINE DIGIOIA-ROYER 'LES FREMIERES' *VIEILLES VIGNES*, 2010 | 284

DOMAINE FRANÇOIS FEUILLET, 2014 | 154

DOMAINE FRANÇOIS FEUILLET 'LES SENTIERS' 1ER CRU, 2014 | 281

DOMAINE GEORGE ROUMIER 'LES CRAS' 1ER CRU, 2014 | 588

DOMAINE GERARD RAPHET 'LES BUSSIÈRES', *CUVÉE UNIQUE*, 2013 | 179

DOMAINE PERROT MINOT 'LES ECHANGES' 1ER CRU, 2009 | 429

DOMAINE ROBERT GROFFIER 'LES SENTIERS' 1ER CRU, 2007 | 338

DOMAINE ROBERT GROFFIER 'LES AMOUREUSES' 1ER CRU, 2007 | 454

FOUGERAY DE BEAUCLAIR 'BONNES MARES' GRAND CRU, 1999 | 352

JACQUES--FREDERIC MUGNIER 'LES FUEES' 1ER CRU, 2004 | 1275

JACQUES--FREDERIC MUGNIER 'BONNES MARES' GRAND CRU, 2002 | 1620

JACQUES--FREDERIC MUGNIER 'BONNES MARES' GRAND CRU, 2006 | 1160

LUCIEN LE MOINES 'BONNES MARES' GRAND CRU, 2003 | 576

MAISON ALBERT BICHOT 'LES AMOUREUSES' 1ER CRU, 2013 | 355

MAISON ALEX GAMBAL, 2014 | 182

OLIVIER BERNSTEIN 'BONNES MARES' GRAND CRU, 2008 | 596

PERROT MINOT 'LES ECHANGES' 1ER CRU, 2009 | 428

## VOUGEOT

- CHÂTEAU DE LA TOUR 'CLOS VOUGEOT' GRAND CRU, 2004 | 364  
DOMAINE ANNE GROS 'VOUGEOT-LE GRAND MAUPERTUI' GRAND CRU, 2008 | 343  
DOMAINE ANNE GROS 'VOUGEOT-LE GRAND MAUPERTUI' GRAND CRU, 2009 | 389  
DOMAINE DE MONTILLE 'CLOS VOUGEOT' GRAND CRU, 2008 | 376  
DOMAINE FRANCOIS LAMARCHE 'CLOS VOUGEOT' GRAND CRU, 2006 | 263 375ml  
DOMAINE MONGEARD-MUGNERET 'LES CRAS' 1ER CRU, 2015 | 236  
HUDELLOT-NOELLAT 'CLOS DE VOUGEOT' GRAND CRU, 2008 | 368  
JOSEPH DROUHIN 'CLOS DE VOUGEOT' GRAND CRU, 2013 | 638  
REMOISSENET 'CLOS VOUGEOT' GRAND CRU, 2008 | 441

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DOMAINE ARNOUX-LACHAUX, 2013 | 156  
DANIEL BOCQUENET 'ÉCHEZEAUX' GRAND CRU, 2008 | 277  
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DOMAINE EMMANUEL ROUGET, 2016 | 352  
DOMAINE EMMANUEL ROUGET 'CROS PARANTOUX' 1ER CRU, 2016 | 1839  
DOMAINE LEROY 1ER CRU, 1978 | 2250  
DOMAINE DE LA ROMANÉE CONTI 'GRANDS ÉCHEZEAUX' GRAND CRU, 2009 | 1750  
DOMAINE DE LA ROMANÉE CONTI 'GRANDS ÉCHEZEAUX' GRAND CRU, 2015 | 2640  
DOMAINE DE LA ROMANÉE CONTI 'RICHEBOURG' GRAND CRU, 2004 | 2502  
DOMAINE DE LA ROMANÉE CONTI 'RICHEBOURG' GRAND CRU, 2009 | 2983  
DOMAINE DE LA ROMANÉE CONTI 'ROMANÉE-ST.-VIVANT' GRAND CRU, 2015 | 4546  
DOMAINE DE LA ROMANÉE CONTI 'ROMANÉE-ST.-VIVANT' GRAND CRU, 2016 | 5168  
DOMAINE FRANCOIS LAMARCHE 'LES CHAUMES' 1ER CRU, 2006 | 224 375ml  
DOMAINE FRANCOIS LAMARCHE 'LA GRAND RUE' GRAND CRU, 2006 | 559  
DOMAINE GEORGES JAYER 'ECHEZEAUX' GRAND CRU, 2016 | 798  
DOMAINE GROS FRERE ET SOEUR 'RICHEBOURG' GRAND CRU, 2004 | 532  
DOMAINE FRANCOIS LAMARCHE 'GRANDS ECHEZEAUX' GRAND CRU, 2008 | 439  
DOMAINE MONGEARD-MUGNERET 'ÉCHEZEAUX' GRAND CRU, 1988 | 680  
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DOMAINE CHRISTOPHE PERROT-MINOT 'LA RICHEMONE' 1ER CRU, 2009 | 752

DOMAINE LÉCHENEAUT, 2009 | 194

DOMAINE PHILIPPE GAVIGNET *VEILLES VIGNES*, 2013 | 118

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MEO-CAMUZET 'AUX BOUDOTS' 1ER CRU, 2013 | 413

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CHANDON DE BRIAILLES 'LES VALOZIÈRES' 1ER CRU, 2012 | 217

DOMAINE DE LA ROMANÉE CONTI 'CORTON' GRAND CRU, 2009 | 2029

DOMAINE DE LA ROMANÉE CONTI 'CORTON' GRAND CRU, 2016 | 1981

DOMAINE DE LA POUSSE D'OR 'CORTON-BRESSANDES' GRAND CRU, 2006 | 558 1500ml

DOMAINE TAUPENOT-MERME 'CORTON-ROGNET' GRAND CRU, 2014 | 352

VINCENT SAUVESTRE 'LES MARECHAUDES', 1ER CRU, 2004 | 245

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DOMAINE TOLLOT-BEAUT ET FILS 'LES GREVES' 1ER CRU, 2014 | 151

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MICHEL LAFARGE 'LES CAILLERETS' 1ER CRU, 2012 | 445  
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- DOMAINE D'ARDHUY 'CLOS DE LANGRES', CÔTE DE NUITS-VILLAGES, 2015 | 105
- DOMAINE DE MONTILLE BOURGOGNE ROUGE, 2014 | 87
- DOMAINE EMMANUEL ROUGET, BOURGOGNE PASSETOUTGRAINS, 2017 | 68
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- DOMAINE PERROT-MINOT 'GRAVIÈRES DES CHAPONNIÈRES', 2017 | 128
- DOMAINE RAMONET, BOURGOGNE ROUGE, 2014 | 84
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- LITTORAI 'THE HAVEN VINEYARD', SONOMA COAST, 2017 | 202
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- DOMAINE DE LA PRÉBENDE *VIEILLES VIGNES*, 2017 | 88 1500ML
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- DOMAINE LES FINES GRAVES, MOULIN-A-VENT, 2015 | 45
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- M. LAPIERRE, MORGON, 2016 | 158 1500ML
- M. LAPIERRE, MORGON, 2017 | 79
- M. LAPIERRE, MORGON, 2018 | 79
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- MICHEL CHIGANARD 'LES MORIES', FLEURIE, 2014 | 62
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# *Syrah & Friends*



## SYRAH, GRENACHE, & MOURVÈDRE

The trademark flavour of French Syrah is black pepper. A good Hermitage certainly has this in spades, but can mature into something more redolent of leather and, in very ripe years, spice. Côte Rôtie is different again. Traditionally it was the stereotypical female to Hermitage's very obvious masculinity - indeed a small proportion of heady white Viognier grapes were used to perfume and lighten the blend

As Grenache the vine is planted all over southern France. Just north of the Spanish border in Roussillon it is common in at least three different colours: purple-skinned Grenache Noir, pale crimson-skinned Grenache Gris and green-skinned Grenache Blanc. On the steep terraces overlooking the Mediterranean above the ports of Banyuls and Collioure it can reach extraordinary ripeness levels (a general characteristic of Grenache everywhere) and is the chief ingredient in the sweet, strong vins doux naturels made there. Banyuls is the most famous but further north in Roussillon it produces similar wines such as Maury and Rivesaltes as well as doing its bit to make Roussillon's dry red table wines so strong and ripe-tasting. If there is one single characteristic of Grenache-based wines it is a sweet ripeness.

The wine produced by Mourvèdre vines in Bandol's dry, garrigue-scented vineyards tends to be extremely deep purple in youth, pretty tough and notably potent with a very strong gamey, almost animal scent in youth which wine enthusiasts tend to love or loathe.

### Wine Theory Questions

1. Red wine from Côte-Rôtie may contain a maximum of 20% of what white varietal?
2. Which property produced the first estate-bottled Châteauneuf-du-Pape?
3. Geynale and Reynard are major Lieux-Dits of which Northern Rhône AOP?

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CLARENDON HILLS *ASTRALIS*, MCLAREN VALE, 1998 | 768

D'ARENBERG SHIRAZ *DEAD ARM*, MCLAREN VALE, 2008 | 192

HENSCHKE SHIRAZ 'HILL OF GRACE', EDEN VALLEY, 1991 | 1255

HENSCHKE SHIRAZ 'HILL OF GRACE', EDEN VALLEY, 1993 | 1954

HENTLEY FARM SHIRAZ *CLOS OTTO*, BAROSSA VALLEY, 2009 | 347

HENTLEY FARM SHIRAZ *THE BEAUTY*, BAROSSA VALLEY, 2009 | 153

JOHN DUVAL SHIRAZ *ELIGO*, BAROSSA VALLEY, 2006 | 288

PENFOLDS 'GRANGE HERMITAGE', BAROSSA VALLEY, 1989 | 1437

TAHBILK SHIRAZ, 'NAGAMBIE LAKES', VICTORIA, 2008 | 316

TORBRECK MATARO *THE PICT*, BAROSSA VALLEY, 2006 | 290

YALUMBA SHIRAZ *OCTAVIUS*, BAROSSA VALLEY, 1996 | 480

YALUMBA SHIRAZ *OCTAVIUS*, BAROSSA VALLEY, 1997 | 252

YALUMBA SHIRAZ *OCTAVIUS*, BAROSSA VALLEY, 1998 | 284

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## SPAIN AT A GLANCE

It could be argued that Spain is a viticultural miracle. After years on the sidelines of the world of fine wine, it is now a major player. Investment and ambition in vineyard and winery are resulting in more and more rich – often highly alcoholic – spicy reds that are finding increasing favour among international consumers weaned on ripe New World wines. Proud possessor of more land devoted to vines than any other, Spain is only just beginning to capitalise on this resource in any consistent or cohesive way - which is perhaps not surprising. If it had Germany's love of efficiency, or France's respect for centralism, Spain would have been sending us oceans of judiciously priced wine made expressly for the international market for decades. But Spain is an anarchic jumble of districts and regions, just as its landscape is an anarchic jumble of staggeringly raw scenery and heartbreakingly awful human constructions, and has to be treated as such by the wine enthusiast. There is real treasure to be found by those prepared to dig, however and, now that a connoisseur class has developed in Spain itself, all manner of ambitious investors have been doing their bit to change the image of Spanish wine.

## RIOJA

- BODEGAS ARTADI *VINA EL PISON*, 2011 | 773
- BODEGAS MUGA *ARO*, 2015 | 486
- BODEGAS MUGA *PRADO ENEA*, GRAN RESERVA, 2010 | 179
- BODEGAS MUGA *UNFILTERED*, RESERVA, 2013 | 142 1500ml
- BODEGAS ONTANON, 2010 | 63
- CVNE *IMPERIAL*, 2014 | 98
- CVNE *VIÑA REAL*, 2011 | 72
- DAVID SAMPEDRO GILL *PHINCA LALI*, 2008 | 168
- R. LOPEZ DE HEREDIA 'VIÑA BOSCONIA', GRAN RESERVA, 1947 | 2489
- R. LOPEZ DE HEREDIA 'VIÑA BOSCONIA', GRAN RESERVA, 1961 | 1389
- R. LOPEZ DE HEREDIA 'VIÑA BOSCONIA', GRAN RESERVA, 1964 | 1007
- R. LOPEZ DE HEREDIA 'VIÑA TONDONIA', GRAN RESERVA, 1947 | 2431
- R. LOPEZ DE HEREDIA 'VIÑA TONDONIA', GRAN RESERVA, 1954 | 1945
- R. LOPEZ DE HEREDIA 'VIÑA TONDONIA', GRAN RESERVA, 1961 | 1389
- R. LOPEZ DE HEREDIA 'VIÑA TONDONIA', GRAN RESERVA, 1964 | 1346
- R. LOPEZ DE HEREDIA 'VIÑA TONDONIA', GRAN RESERVA, 1976 | 711
- R. LOPEZ DE HEREDIA 'VIÑA TONDONIA', RESERVA, 2005 | 94

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- ALION, 2014 | 243
- DOMINO DE PINGUS *PINGUS*, 2006 | 1434
- VEGA SICILIA *UNICO*, 1985 | 976
- VEGA SICILIA *UNICO*, 2000 | 945
- VEGA SICILIA *UNICO*, 2005 | 864
- VEGA SICILIA *UNICO*, 2007 | 864
- VEGA SICILIA *UNICO*, 2008 | 864
- VEGA SICILIA *UNICO*, RESERVA ESPECIAL, NV | 888
- VIÑA MAGNA, CRIANZA, 2015 | 83
- VIÑA MAGNA, RESERVA, 2011 | 192

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ALVARO PALACIOS *FINCA DOFI*, 2015 | 189

CLOS MOGADOR, 2014 | 210

COSTERS DEL SIURANA DOLC DE L'OBAC, 2001 | 180 500ml

MAS DOIX *SALANQUES*, 2012 | 97

TERROIR A LIMIT *HISTORIC*, 2015 | 62

VALL LLACH, 2008 | 192

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ACUSTIC MONTSANT BRAO, 2005 | 92

BODEGA ALTO MONCAYO CAMPO DE BORJA, 2006 | 122

BODEGA JUAN GIL MONASTRELL, JUMILLA, 2014 | 43

BODEGA NUMANTHIA *TERMANTHIA*, TORO, 2007 | 484

BODEGA NUMANTHIA *NUMANTHIA*, TORO, 2012 | 89

CELLAR CAN BLAU *CAN BLAU*, MONSTANT, 2014 | 40

PINTIA, TORO, 2013 | 149

PINYOLET, MONSTANT, 2009 | 63

QUINTA DE MURADELLA *ALANDA*, MONTERREI, 2012 | 103

QUINTA DA MURADELLA *ALBARELLO*, MONTERREI, 2008 | 98

QUINTA DA MURADELLA *BASTARDO*, MONTERREI, 2006 | 98

QUINTA DA MURADELLA *SOUSON*, MONTERREI, 2007 | 182

VINYES DOMENECH *TEIXAR*, MONTSANT, 2007 | 172

VINYES DOMENECH *FURVUS*, MONTSANT, 2006 | 79

VIÑA MAGANA *CALCHETAS*, NAVARRA, 2006 | 166

VIÑA MAGANA, NAVARRA, 2005 | 136

VIÑA MAGANA, NAVARRA, 2009 | 142



## ITALY AT A GLANCE

Ah, Italy - what a beautiful, hedonistic, disorganised, frustrating country! Italy can provide wine lovers with so many distinctive, unique flavours and styles, bottles full of Italian verve and creativity. It also sluices forth rivers of disgracefully thin, characterless stuff to be sold under its most commercially useful names: Pinot Grigio, Soave, Valpolicella, Lambrusco, Frascati and the like.

Although the key to understanding Italy is to understand that it is a group of regions rather than a single homogeneous country, from the heady, often sweet, ferments of the deep south to the delicate sub-alpine essences of the north, it is possible to generalise about Italian wine styles to a certain extent. Reds have a certain bitterness that is by no means unpleasant. In fact it is so addictive that I find Italy is the one country I come home from positively determined to continue to drink its wines (rather than, as usual, desperate for a complete change). Italian white wines, once distinguished by their lack of aroma and lack of obvious fruitiness (very un-modern), are now generally very well made, offering an attractive combination of fruit and refreshment.

*"Amici e vini sono meglio vecchi"* - Italian Proverb

## BAROLO

- ALDO CONTERNO 'BUSSIA', 2001 | 310
- ALDO CONTERNO 'BRICCO BUSSIA VIGNA COLONNELLO', 1989 | 1289
- BARTOLO MASCARELLO 'CANNUBI RUE ROCCHE', 2007 | 333
- BORGOGNO RISERVA, 1982 | 600
- BORGOGNO, 1978 | 1048
- DOMENICO CLERICO 'CIABOT MENTIN GINESTRA', 2003 | 222
- DOMENICO CLERICO 'PAJANA', 2003 | 197
- GIACOMO CONTERNO RISERVA, MONFORTINO, 1987 | 1050
- GIACOMO CONTERNO RISERVA, MONFORTINO, 1988 | 1240
- GIACOMO CONTERNO RISERVA *SPECIALE*, MONFORTINO, 1979 | 977
- GIOVANNI CORINO RISERVA, 2010 | 294
- GIUSSEPPE MASCARELLO RISERVA MONPRIVATO CA D'MORISSIO, 1997 | 685
- PAOLO CONTERNO RISERVA 'GINESTRA', 2010 | 434
- PAOLO SCAVINO 'BRICCO AMBROGIO', 2004 | 319
- PRUNOTTO 'BUSSIA', 2010 | 192
- RENATTO RATTI 'MARCENASCO', 2013 | 126
- RIVETTI-LA SPINETTA 'CAMPE VURSU', 2004 | 252
- ROBERTO VOERZIO 'FOSSATI' *CASE NERE RISERVA 10 ANNI*, 2007 | 746
- VIETTI BAROLO 'ROCCHÉ', 2005 | 310

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- ANGELO GAJA 'SORI SAN LORENZO', 1988 | 985
- CERETTO 'BRICCO ASILI', 2006 | 315
- COCITO *BALUCHIN*, 2009 | 148
- DANTE RIVETTI 'BRICCO DI NEIVE', 1990 | 398
- DANTE RIVETTI 'BRICCO DI NEIVE', 1989 | 432
- LA SPINETTA 'GALLINA', 2013 | 336
- RIVETTI-LA SPINETTA 'VALEIRANO', 2005 | 221

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- ANGELO GAJA 'DARMAGGI', LANGHE, 1985 | 480  
ANGELO GAJA 'DARMAGGI', LANGHE, 2000 | 346  
ANGELO GAJA, 'SORI TILDIN', LANGHE, 1997 | 1440  
CASINA CORTE DOLCETTO, DOGLIANI SUPERIORE, 2005 | 48  
LA TORETTA *RISERVA*, GHEMME, 2008 | 134  
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## SUPER TUSCANS

- ANTINORI *SOLAIA*, 2005 | 733  
ANTINORI *SOLAIA*, 2016 | 912  
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BIBI GRAETZ 'TESTAMATTA', 2002 | 279  
BIBI GRAETZ 'TESTAMATTA', 2004 | 279  
BIBI GRAETZ 'TESTAMATTA', 2006 | 279  
CA'MARCANDA *MAGARI*, 2016 | 192  
CASTELLO DI AMA *L'APPARITA*, 2010 | 512  
FONTODI FLACCIANELLO DELLA PIEVE COLLI DELLA, TOSCANA, 1996 | 428  
ISOLE E OLENA 'CEPPARELLO', 2001 | 1420 1500ml  
MONTEVERTINE 'LE PERGOLE TORTE', 2006 | 310  
MONTEVERTINE 'LE PERGOLE TORTE', 2014 | 310  
TENUTA DELL'ORNELLAIA SUPERIORE ORNELLAIA, 1995 | 627  
TENUTA DELL'ORNELLAIA SUPERIORE ORNELLAIA, 1999 | 627  
TENUTA DELL'ORNELLAIA 'MASSETO', 1996 | 1780  
TENUTA DELL'ORNELLAIA 'MASSETO', 2006 | 1838  
TENUTA DI ARCENO 'ARCANUM', 2006 | 215  
TENUTA SAN GUIDO SASSICAIA, 2000 | 640

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BIONDI SANTI *GREPPO*, BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO, 2004 | 379

CAPRILI RISERVA, BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO, 2012 | 254

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GAJA PIEVE DI SANTA RESTITUTA SUGARILLE, BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO, 1993 | 699

SIRO PACENTI *VECCHIE VIGNE*, 2013 | 216

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FICOMONTANINO *TERRE DEL FICO*, RISERVA, COLLI SENESI, 2010 | 72

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TORNATORE 'PIETRARIZZO', ETNA ROSSO, 2015 | 106

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DAL FORNO ROMANO, VALPOLICELLA SUPERIORE, 2011 | 231

DAL FORNO ROMANO, VALPOLICELLA SUPERIORE, 2012 | 238

DAL FORNO ROMANO, VALPOLICELLA SUPERIORE, 2013 | 248

FURLAN CASTELCOSA *SOLE TERRA VITE*, VENEZIA GIULIA IGT, 2000 | 72

MASI 'CAMPOLONGO DI TORBE', AMARONE DELLA VALPOLICELLA CLASSICO, 2011 | 324

MASI 'COSTASERA', AMARONE DELLA VALPOLICELLA CLASSICO, 2013 | 132

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ARNALDO-CAPRAI, MONTEFALCO SAGRATINO, UMBRIA, 2005 | 208

ARNALDO CAPRAI *SPINNING BEAUTY*, MONTEFALCO SAGRATINO, UMBRIA, 2006 | 578

CASINA CORTE DOLCETTO, DOGLIANI SUPERIORE, 2005 | 48

CORTE ALLA FLORA, PUGNITELLO, TOSCANA ROSSO, 2013 | 84

FRECCIAROSSA PINOT NERO OLTREPO PAVESE SILLERY, LOMBARDY, 2007 | 39

GROSJEAN, GAMAY, VALLE D'AOSTA, 2008 | 55

LA BRACESSCA *BRAMASOLE*, CORTONA, 2010 | 132

MAISON ANSELMET *LE PRISONNIER*, VALLE D'AOSTA, 2016 | 173

MASTROBERARDINO *RADICI* RISERVA, TAURASI, 2011 | 128

SANT' ELENA *QUANTUM*, FRIULI, 2006 | 122

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CABERNET SAUVIGNON,  
CABERNET FRANC, AND MERLOT

The progeny of Cabernet Franc and Sauvignon Blanc, is the world's most famous red wine grape, and most planted of any colour. The great distinction of the wine it produces is that it has a very powerful and recognisable aroma of blackcurrants wherever it is grown and, if matured in newish oak, can smell of cedar, cigar boxes and, sometimes, tobacco. Cabernet Sauvignon is also notable for being deep purple in youth and, while it is not especially alcoholic, it can be extremely long-lived. This is because Cabernet Sauvignon's small, thick-skinned grapes have a very high ratio of solids rich in colouring matter and tannins to juice. If the grapes are anything less than fully ripe, however, the wine can smell of crushed green leaves, 'herbaceous', or more like Cabernet Franc.

Cabernet Sauvignon has long been planted all over the wine growing world. Contrary to popular belief Cabernet Sauvignon is not Bordeaux's most planted vine (for which see Merlot). Because it is relatively late ripening, it needs a warmer, drier environment than most of Bordeaux can provide to stand a commercially interesting chance of ripening fully. In Bordeaux, therefore, it is grown in the Entre-Deux-Mers region as well as in the well-drained gravels of the Médoc and Graves where it is invariably the chief constituent, but always blended with Merlot, Cabernet Franc and sometimes with Petit Verdot, in the world-famous classed growths. Even today, when the grapes for such wines are being picked later and later, Bordeaux Cabernets tend to taste quite dry (as opposed to sweet) and can be inky and austere even until seven or eight years old. But underpinning all that structure (in a good example) is an extraordinary intensity of subtly layered fruit that can take 20 years to develop into a bouquet of haunting interest.

In many wine regions, however, the necessarily slow evolution of Cabernet is being re-evaluated, often to the benefit of other, fleshier red varieties. It may be that in a decade or two, Cabernet will be more exclusively the preserve of the world's most ambitious winemakers.

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## **SAINT ESTÈPHE**

CHÂTEAU BEAU-SITE, CRU BOURGEOIS, 2013 | 96  
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CHÂTEAU CALON-SEGUR, 3EME CRU, 2003 | 359  
CHÂTEAU COS D'ESTOURNEL, 2EME CRU, 1986 | 497  
CHÂTEAU COS D'ESTOURNEL, 2EME CRU, 1996 | 592  
CHÂTEAU COS D'ESTOURNEL 2EME CRU, 2003 | 622  
CHÂTEAU LE BOSCO, CRU BOURGEOIS, 2011 | 115  
CHÂTEAU MONTROSE, 2EME CRU, 2003 | 624  
CHÂTEAU MONTROSE, 2EME CRU, 2005 | 636  
CHÂTEAU ORMES DE PEZ, CRU BOURGEOIS, 2008 | 131  
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CHÂTEAU CARRUADES DE LAFITE, 1996 | 1049  
CHÂTEAU CARRUADES DE LAFITE, 2000 | 1125  
CHÂTEAU D'ARMAILHAC, 5EME CRU, 2009 | 284  
CHÂTEAU LACOSTE-BORIE, 2015 | 98  
CHÂTEAU LATOUR, 1ER CRU, 1989 | 1217  
CHÂTEAU LE PETIT MOUTON ROTHSCHILD, 1998 | 496  
CHÂTEAU LYNCH-BAGES, 5EME CRU, 2003 | 476  
CHÂTEAU LYNCH-BAGES, 5EME CRU, 2010 | 542  
CHÂTEAU MOUTON ROTHSCHILD, 1ER CRU, 1973 | 793  
CHÂTEAU MOUTON ROTHSCHILD, 1ER CRU, 1993 | 1067  
CHÂTEAU MOUTON ROTHSCHILD, 1ER CRU, 2005 | 1987  
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CHÂTEAU DUCRU-BEAUCAILLOU, 2EME CRU, 2006 | 524  
CHÂTEAU DUCRU-BEAUCAILLOU, 2EME CRU, 2011 | 394  
CHÂTEAU LEOVILLE-POYFERRE, 2EME CRU, 1996 | 569  
CHÂTEAU LÉOVILLE LAS CASES, 2EME CRU, 1996 | 877  
CHÂTEAU ST. PIERRE, 4EME CRU, 2000 | 272  
CHÂTEAU TALBOT, 4EME CRU, 2010 | 284  
CLOS DU MARQUIS, 1996 | 381  
CLOS DU MARQUIS, 2000 | 279

## MARGAUX

CHÂTEAU DURFORT-VIVENS, 2EME CRU, 2008 | 438 1500ml  
CHÂTEAU DURFORT-VIVENS, 2EME CRU, 2009 | 316  
CHÂTEAU GISCOURS, 3EME CRU, 2010 | 274  
CHÂTEAU LASCOMBES, 2EME CRU, 2009 | 316  
CHÂTEAU MALESCOT ST. EXUPÉRY, 3EME CRU, 2003 | 237  
CHÂTEAU MARGAUX, 1ER CRU, 1989 | 1733  
CHÂTEAU MARGAUX *MARGAUX DU MARGAUX*, 2011 | 183  
CHÂTEAU PALMER, 3EME CRU, 2002 | 572  
CHÂTEAU PAVEIL DE LUZE, CRU BOURGEOIS, 2015 | 84  
CHÂTEAU POUGET, 4EME CRU, 2010 | 247  
CHÂTEAU RAUZAN-SÉGLA, 2EME CRU, 2003 | 289

## GRAVES & PESSAC-LÉOGNAN

CHÂTEAU HAUT-BRION, 1ER CRU, 1995 | 1067  
CHÂTEAU HAUT-BRION, 1ER CRU, 2000 | 2129  
CHÂTEAU LA MISSION HAUT-BRION, 1982 | 2787  
CHÂTEAU LA MISSION HAUT-BRION, 1989 | 2979  
CHÂTEAU LA MISSION HAUT-BRION, 1990 | 1317  
CHÂTEAU RAHOUL, 2012 | 86  
LE CLARENCE DE HAUT-BRION, 2008 | 349

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CHÂTEAU BELLES GRAVES, LALANDE DE POMEROL, 2012 | 81

CHÂTEAU GOMBAUDE-GUILLOT, 2015 | 192

CHÂTEAU LA CONSEILLANTE, 1990 | 1167

CHÂTEAU LA FLEUR-PÉTRUS, 2007 | 567

CHÂTEAU LA FLEUR-PÉTRUS, 2008 | 557

CHÂTEAU LE BON PASTEUR, 2012 | 208

CHÂTEAU L'ÉGLISE CLINET, 1999 | 423

CHÂTEAU PETIT VILLAGE, 2010 | 252

CHÂTEAU PÉTRUS, 1990 | 15484

CHÂTEAU PÉTRUS, 2001 | 8851

CHÂTEAU PÉTRUS, 2014 | 4372

CLOS DU CLOCHER, 1982 | 316

CLOS L'ÉGLISE, 2001 | 474

CLOS PAYROL, 2009 | 253

## SAINT-ÉMILION

CHÂTEAU ANGELUS, PREMIERE GRAND CRUS CLASSÉS A, 1966 | 544

CHÂTEAU ANGELUS, PREMIERE GRAND CRUS CLASSÉS A, 1990 | 1210

CHÂTEAU ANGELUS, PREMIERE GRAND CRUS CLASSÉS A, 2004 | 864

CHÂTEAU AUSONE *CHAPELLE D' AUSONE*, 2005 | 720

CHÂTEAU BEAU-SEJOUR BECOT, PREMIERS GRANDS CRUS CLASSÉS B, 2005 | 696

CHÂTEAU CROIX DE LABRIE, 2001 | 216

CHÂTEAU FOMBRAUGE, 2016 | 108

CHÂTEAU LA CLUSIERE, 1999 | 348

CHÂTEAU LA COUSPAUDE, 2000 | 188

CHÂTEAU LA MONDOTTE, PREMIERE GRAND CRUS CLASSÉS B, 1996 | 1201

CHÂTEAU LA MONDOTTE, PREMIERE GRAND CRUS CLASSÉS B, 1999 | 1122

CHÂTEAU LA MONDOTTE, PREMIERE GRAND CRUS CLASSÉS B, 2001 | 946

CHÂTEAU LYNSOLENCE, 2005 | 282

CHÂTEAU PAVIE, PREMIERE GRAND CRUS CLASSÉS A, 2006 | 987

CHÂTEAU TOUR BAYARD, MONTAGNE-SAINT-ÉMILION, 2015 | 57

CHÂTEAU VALANDRAUD, PREMIERE GRAND CRUS CLASSÉS B, 2001 | 778

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CHÂTEAU BONNET, BORDEAUX, 2014 | 48

CHÂTEAU COUFRAN, CRU BOURGEOIS, HAUT-MÉDOC, 2001 | 96

CHÂTEAU HAUT COLOMBIER, COTES DE BORDEAUX-BLAYE, 2014 | 49

CHÂTEAU LA LAGUNE, HAUT-MÉDOC, 3EME CRU, 2010 | 233

CHÂTEAU LAROSE PERGANSON, HAUT-MÉDOC, 2015 | 56

CHÂTEAU MAURAC, HAUT-MÉDOC, 2008 | 78

CHÂTEAU SOCIANDO-MALLET *CUVEE JEAN GAULTREAU*, HAUT-MÉDOC, 2001 | 256

CHÂTEAU SOCIANDO-MALLET *CUVEE JEAN GAULTREAU*, HAUT-MÉDOC, 2003 | 284

## **LEBANON**

CHÂTEAU MUSAR, BEKAA VALLEY, 1982 | 943

CHÂTEAU MUSAR, BEKAA VALLEY, 2010 | 128

## **AUSTRALIA**

PARKER COONAWARRA ESTATE, SOUTH AUSTRALIA, 2001 | 322

## **SOUTH AFRICA**

LE RICHE *RESERVE*, STELLENBOSCH, 2015 | 108

RUPERT & ROTHSCHILD *BARON EDMOND*, STELLENBOSCH, 2014 | 98

STONY BROOK VINEYARDS *THE MAX*, FRANSCHHOEK, 2015 | 55

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ABREU, HOWELL MOUNTAIN, 2007 | 913  
ABREU 'THOREVILOS', 2007 | 1288  
ACUMEN 'MOUNTAINSIDE', 2015 | 93  
ADAMVS *QUINTVS*, HOWELL MOUNTAIN, 2010 | 352  
ALOFT, HOWELL MOUNTAIN, 2010 | 576  
ANTICA, 2015 | 176  
ARROW & BRANCH 'BECKSTOFFER DR. CRANE VINEYARD', 2012 | 397  
ARGOT *BORROWED JEWELS* 'SUGARLOAF VINEYARD', 2013 | 178  
ARIETTA 'H BLOCK HUDSON VINEYARD', 2006 | 324  
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BOND *VECINA*, 2001 | 877  
BOND *VECINA*, 2004 | 869  
BRYANT FAMILY 'BETTINA VINEYARD', 2009 | 1280  
BRYANT FAMILY, 2009 | 1113  
BUCELLA *CUVEE KATRINA EILEEN*, 2008 | 707  
BURGESS, 1980 | 478  
CAIN *FIVE*, SPRING MOUNTAIN DISTRICT, 2006 | 297  
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CAKEBREAD *BENCHLAND SELECT*, 2006 | 322  
CASAEDA, 2014 | 154  
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CUVAISON, MOUNT VEEDER, 1985 | 164

DALLE VALLE MAYA, 2008 | 698

DOMINUS, 1999 | 496

DOMINUS, 2000 | 536

DOMINUS, 2003 | 443

DOMINUS, 2006 | 538

DIAMOND MOUNTAIN 'GRAVELLY MEADOW', DIAMOND MOUNTAIN DISTRICT, 2011 | 932 1500ML

DIAMOND MOUNTAIN 'RED ROCK TERRACE', DIAMOND MOUNTAIN DISTRICT, 2011 | 932 1500ML

DIAMOND MOUNTAIN 'VOLCANIC HILL', DIAMOND MOUNTAIN DISTRICT, 2011 | 932 1500ML

DUNN VINEYARDS, 2014 | 238

DUNN VINEYARDS, HOWELL MOUNTAIN, 1995 | 541

DUNN VINEYARDS, HOWELL MOUNTAIN, 2014 | 346

FAR NIENTE, OAKVILLE, 1997 | 389

FOLEY JOHNSON, RUTHERFORD, 2016 | 85

FRANK FAMILY 'WINSTON HILL', RUTHERFORD, 2006 | 525

FRANK FAMILY 'WINSTON HILL', RUTHERFORD, 2007 | 525

FRANK FAMILY 'WINSTON HILL', RUTHERFORD, 2008 | 525

FREEMARK ABBEY 'SYCAMORE', 1991 | 297

FREEMARK ABBEY 'SYCAMORE', 1993 | 297

GALLICA, OAKVILLE, 2013 | 343

GROTH, OAKVILLE, 2010 | 154

HARLAN *THE MAIDEN*, 2004 | 672

HUNDRED ACRE 'ARK VINEYARD' *DEEP TIME*, 2013 | 1339

HUNDRED ACRE 'KAYLI MORGAN VINEYARD' *DEEP TIME*, 2014 | 1339

HUNT & HARVEST, 2015 | 77

JACK BROOKS VINEYARD, CALISTOGA, 2014 | 149

JOSEPH PHELPS *INSIGNIA*, 2008 | 672

KEENAN, 2015 | 98

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KEENAN *MERNET*, 2013 | 224

LA JOTA, HOWELL MOUNTAIN, 2013 | 266

LAIL VINEYARDS *BLUEBPRINT*, 2014 | 167

LOUIS MARTINI, 1970 | 576

MAYACAMAS, MOUNT VEEDER, 2003 | 598

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## **NAPA VALLEY**

MEMENTO MORI VANITAS, 2017 | 193

MEYER FAMILY CELLARS *FLUFFY BILLOWS*, OAKVILLE, 2014 | 143

MONTICELLO VINEYARDS *JEFFERSON CUVEE*, 2015 | 103

MOUNT VEEDER WINERY *RESERVE*, 1997 | 238

MOUNT VEEDER WINERY, 2016 | 76

NEWTON, SPRING MOUNTAIN DISTRICT, 2014 | 428

NEWTON *UNFILTERED*, 2016 | 128

NICKEL & NICKEL 'BRANDING IRON', OAKVILLE, 2007 | 297

NICKEL & NICKEL 'DRAGON FLY', ST. HELENA, 2006 | 244

NICKEL & NICKEL 'QUARRY VINEYARD', RUTHERFORD, 2008 | 253

OBERON, 2016 | 68

ODETTE CELLARS *RESERVE*, STAGS LEAP DISTRICT, 2015 | 336

OPUS ONE, 2014 | 547

OPUS ONE, 2015 | 583

PARATUS, MOUNT VEEDER, 2010 | 183

PETER MICHAEL *AU PARADIS*, OAKVILLE, 2014 | 470

PRIDE MOUNTAIN, 2010 | 238

PRIDE MOUNTAIN, 2015 | 164

PROMONTORY, 2011 | 1493

PROMONTORY, 2012 | 1547

PROMONTORY, 2013 | 1612

QUINTESSA, RUTHERFORD, 2015 | 346

RAMEY *CLARET*, 2016 | 83

RUDD *SAMANTHAS*, OAKVILLE, 2011 | 238

SALVESTRIN, ST. HELENA, 2014 | 118

SCREAMING EAGLE *SECOND FLIGHT*, OAKVILLE, 2010 | 1541

SNOWDEN, 2008 | 185

SNOWDEN *RESERVE*, 2010 | 406 1500ML

SPRING MOUNTAIN VINEYARD, 2007 | 293

SPRING MOUNTAIN VINEYARD, 2010 | 293

STAG'S LEAP WINE CELLARS *CASK 23*, STAG'S LEAP DISTRICT, 1984 | 764 1500ML

STORYBOOK MOUNTAIN VINEYARDS *FOUR REDS*, 2014 | 84

THE MASCOT, 2013 | 336

TOR OAKVILLE *HILLSIDE*, 2016 | 352



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TRES SABORES *PERSPECTIVE*, RUTHERFORD, 2009 | 256

TRES SABORES *PERSPECTIVE*, RUTHERFORD, 2010 | 268

TRES SABORES *PERSPECTIVE*, RUTHERFORD, 2012 | 194

TRES SABORES *PERSPECTIVE*, RUTHERFORD, 2013 | 217

## SONOMA

ARROWOOD, 2016 | 75

CALLUNA CVC, CHALK HILL, 2010 | 158

JORDAN, ALEXANDER VALLEY, 1997 | 272

JORDAN, ALEXANDER VALLEY, 1998 | 272

JORDAN, ALEXANDER VALLEY, 2014 | 135

LAUREL GLEN VINEYARDS, SONOMA MOUNTAIN, 2003 | 318

LAUREL GLEN VINEYARDS, SONOMA MOUNTAIN, 2005 | 363

LAUREL GLEN VINEYARDS, SONOMA MOUNTAIN, 2010 | 378

LAUREL GLEN VINEYARDS, SONOMA MOUNTAIN, 2013 | 184

MAURISTON *POSITAS*, 2009 | 173

PETER MICHAEL *LES PAVOTS*, KNIGHTS VALLEY, 2015 | 480

PETER MICHAEL *LES PAVOTS*, KNIGHTS VALLEY, 2016 | 512

VERITE *LA DESIR*, 2006 | 429

VERITE *LA JOIE*, 2006 | 429

VERITE *LA MUSE*, 2006 | 429

VERITE *LA DESIR*, 2007, | 654

VERITE *LA JOIE*, 2007, | 830

VERITE *LA MUSE*, 2007 | 654

SILVER OAK, ALEXANDER VALLEY, 2004 | 272

SILVER OAK, ALEXANDER VALLEY, 2005 | 293

SILVER OAK, ALEXANDER VALLEY, 2013 | 196

SILVER OAK, ALEXANDER VALLEY, 2015 | 182

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## **BACKROADS OF CALIFORNIA**

- DOMAINE EDEN, SANTA CRUZ MOUNTAINS, 2012 | 95  
JUSTIN *ISOSCELES*, PASO ROBLES, 2012 | 177  
RIDGE MONTE BELLO, SANTA CRUZ MOUNTAINS, 2007 | 568  
RIDGE, SANTA CRUZ MOUNTAINS, 2014 | 134  
WENTE *SOUTHERN HILLS*, LIVERMORE VALLEY, 2017 | 60

## **WASHINGTON STATE**

- CADENCE CAMERATA 'CARA MIA VINEYARD', RED MOUNTAIN, 2011 | 109  
CANVASBACK, RED MOUNTAIN, 2015 | 108  
CAYUSE 'FLYING PIG', WALLA WALLA VALLEY, 2008 | 497  
CORLISS, COLUMBIA VALLEY, 2013 | 224  
DELILLE CELLARS 'HARRISON HILL', YAKIMA VALLEY, 2006 | 157  
HEDGES *RED MOUNTAIN RESERVE*, COLUMBIA VALLEY, 1999 | 224  
HEDGES *CMS*, COLUMBIA VALLEY, 2014 | 37  
LEONETTI BORDEAUX BLEND, WALLA WALLA VALLEY RESERVE, 2006 | 324  
LEONETTI CABERNET SAUVIGNON *RESERVE*, WALLA WALLA VALLEY, 2009 | 421  
LEONETTI *RESERVE*, WALLA WALLA VALLEY, 2009 | 337  
QUILCEDA CREEK CVR, COLUMBIA VALLEY, 2014 | 164  
QUILCEDA CREEK, COLUMBIA VALLEY, 1999 | 720  
QUILCEDA CREEK, COLUMBIA VALLEY, 2000 | 304  
QUILCEDA CREEK, COLUMBIA VALLEY, 2002 | 832  
QUILCEDA CREEK, COLUMBIA VALLEY, 2003 | 960  
QUILCEDA CREEK, COLUMBIA VALLEY, 2004 | 801  
QUILCEDA CREEK 'GALITZINE VINEYARD', COLUMBIA VALLEY, 2005 | 480  
QUILCEDA CREEK, COLUMBIA VALLEY, 2006 | 525  
WOODWARD CANYON *NELMS ROAD*, COLUMBIA VALLEY, 2014 | 58

## **CHILE**

- ERRAZURIZ 'MAIPO VINA' CHADWICK, 2006 | 351

# Merlot

## CALIFORNIA

ARIETTA, HUDSON VINEYARD, NAPA VALLEY, 2002 | 198

ARIETTA HUDSON VINEYARD, NAPA VALLEY, 2006 | 198

ASHES & DIAMONDS *GRAND VIN #1*, OAK KNOLL DISTRICT, 2014 | 182

GUNDLACH BUNDSCHU, NAPA VALLEY, 2013 | 78

FERRARI-CARANO, SONOMA COUNTY, 2015 | 63

PAHLMAYER, NAPA VALLEY, 2014 | 198

MARKHAM VINEYARDS, NAPA VALLEY, 2014 | 79

MATANZAS CREEK, BENNETT VALLEY, 2013 | 54

MAYACAMAS, NAPA VALLEY, 2010 | 123

SHAFER, NAPA VALLEY, 2014 | 257 1500ml

## WASHINGTON

FORCE MAJEURE *EPINETTE*, RED MOUNTAIN, 2015 | 248

J BOOKWALTER *FORESHADOW*, COLUMBIA VALLEY, 2013 | 95

# Carménère

## CHILE

VINA SANTA RITA *PEHUEN*, APALTA, COLCHAGUA VALLEY, 2007 | 138

# Cabernet Franc

## FRANCE

BEATRICE & PASCAL LAMBERT *LES PERRUCHES*, CHINON, 2014 | 50

COULY-DUTHEIL, CHINON, 1988 | 488 3000ml

DOMAINE GUIBERTEAU, SAUMUR ROUGE, 2017 | 68

LA VARENNE *LES PIERRES BLANCHES*, 2010 | 84

## CALIFORNIA

FREEMARK ABBEY 'SYCAMORE', NAPA VALLEY, 2013 | 148

MATTHIASSEN, NAPA VALLEY, 2013 | 128

# Malbec

## FRANCE

CHÂTEAU DU CAYROU, CAHORS, 2014 | 54

## ARGENTINA

CUVELIER LOS ANDES, UCO VALLEY, 2015 | 64

CUVELIER LOS ANDES *GRAND MALBEC*, UCO VALLEY, 2014 | 132

TERRAZAS DE LOS ANDES 'LAS COMPUERTAS', LUJÁN DE CUYO, 2015 | 93

## UNITED STATES

HESS *THE LION TAMER*, NAPA VALLEY, 2016 | 96

TRINCHERO *FORTE*, NAPA VALLEY, 2013 | 148

# Zinfandel

## CALIFORNIA

HENDRY 'BLOCK 28', NAPA VALLEY, 2012 | 83

MARTINELLI 'VELLUTINI RANCH', RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY, 2011 | 148

QUIVIRA VINEYARDS *BLACK BOAR*, DRY CREEK VALLEY, 2013 | 116

STORYBOOK MOUNTAIN VINEYARDS *ESTATE RESERVE*, 2013 | 179

THE PRISONER, NAPA VALLEY, 2018 | 98

# Dessert Wines

## SAUTERNES

CHATEAU D'YQUEM, 2000 | 1157  
CHÂTEAU D'YQUEM, 1995 | 1526  
CHÂTEAU D'YQUEM, 2007 | 587 375ml  
CHÂTEAU GILETTE, 1937 | 3900  
CHÂTEAU GILETTE, 1953 | 2100  
CHÂTEAU GILETTE, 1971 | 704  
CHÂTEAU GILETTE, 1975 | 819  
CHÂTEAU GILETTE, 1976 | 798  
CHÂTEAU GILETTE, 1983 | 535  
CHÂTEAU RIEUSSEC, 2005 | 211

## ALSACE

DOMAINE OSTERTAG 'MUENCHBERG' RIESLING, VENDANGES TARDIVES, 2011 | 106

## TOKAJI

DISZNÓKŐ 5 PUTTONYOS ASZÚ, 2005 | 126  
DISZNÓKŐ 5 PUTTONYOS ASZÚ, 2008 | 105  
ROYAL TOKAJI 5 PUTTONYOS ASZÚ, HUNGARY, 2009 | 234 500ml  
ROYAL TOKAJI 5 PUTTONYOS, ST TAMAS PRIMAE CLASSIS, 1999 | 246 500ml  
ROYAL TOKAJI 6 PUTTONYOS, BETSEK PRIMAE CLASSIS, 2000 | 237 500ml  
ROYAL TOKAJI 6 PUTTONYOS, MESES MALY, 1999 | 394 500ml

## FORTIFIED

BARBEITO MALMSEY MADERA, PORTUGAL, 1920 | 833  
GRAHAM'S PORT QUINTA DOS MALVEDOS, 1995 | 135  
NOVAL RUBY PORT *BLACK*, PORTUGAL, | 100  
DOMAINE RANCY, RIVESALTES, FRANCE, 2001 | 65 375ml

## SWEET BACKROADS

COSTERS DEL SIURANA 'DOLÇ DE L'OBAC' VINO DULCE NATURAL, PRIORAT, 2001 | 192 500ml