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WHITE & SPARKLING WINES BY THE GLASS

SPARKLING WINES

- BORGOLUCE CONEGLIANO VALDOBBIADENE, PROSECCO, ITALY NV** 15
CHARMAT METHOD SPARKLING WINE (MADE IN TANK) THAT IS CRISP, REFRESHING, VIBRANT WITH VIGOROUS EFFERVESCENCE. THIS IS A PERFECT START TO A MEAL (APERITIVO).
- POL ROGER RESERVE BRUT EPERNAY, CHAMPAGNE, FRANCE NV** 35
POL ROGER STARTED THIS INCREDIBLE CHAMPAGNE HOUSE AT ONLY 18 YEARS OLD IN 1849! THIS WAS THE FAVORITE OF SIR WINSTON CHURCHILL; WHO, AS LEGEND HAS IT, CONSUMED OVER 42000 BOTTLES! WHICH NOW BEGS THE QUESTION; WHY DO YOU NOT HAVE A GLASS OF THIS IN FRONT OF YOU ALREADY?
- DOM PÉRIGNON PRESTIGE CUVÉE BRUT EPERNAY, CHAMPAGNE, FRANCE 2006** 60
THIS ICONIC CHAMPAGNE IS SUPREMELY NUANCED AND CLEAN WITH SUBTLE PIE SHOP AROMAS CONCLUDED WITH A LONG FINISH. A CLASSIC EXAMPLE OF REDUCTIVE (OXYGEN FREE) WINE MAKING.
- JEAUNAUX-ROBIN ECLATS DE MEULIÈRE EXTRA BRUT CÔTE DES BLANCS, CHAMPAGNE, FRANCE NV** 45
ECLATS DE MEULIÈRE MEANS "BURST OF MILLSTONE"; A NOD TO THE FLINT AND MILLSTONES IN THE SOILS OF THE 5.7 HA PROPERTY IN VAL DE PETIT MORIN. THIS RICH AND LAYERED OXIDATIVE CHAMPAGNE SPENDS 30 MONTHS ON THE LEES AND IS ASTOUNDINGLY DELICIOUS.
- DOM PÉRIGNON P2 PRESTIGE CUVÉE BRUT EPERNAY, CHAMPAGNE, FRANCE 2000** 95
FOR NUMEROUS YEARS WHISPERS EXISTED IN THE CHAMPAGNE WORLD OF A PRESTIGIOUS OFFERING BY DOM PÉRIGNON CALLED "OENOTHÉQUE." STARTING IN 1998, IT WAS REBRANDED AS P2 OR "PLENITUDE 2." THIS INCREDIBLE CHAMPAGNE SEES AN ASTOUNDING 15 YEARS OF AGING ON THE LEES!

WHITE WINES

- MELON - DOMAINE DE LA BRETONNIÈRE SUR LIE MUSCADET SÈVRE-ET-MAINE, FRANCE 2017** 14
DOMAINE DE LA BRETONNIÈRE IS UNIQUE IN MUSCADET FOR THEY PUT A LOT OF ATTENTION INTO THE VINEYARDS FROM WHICH THEY SOURCE THEIR FRUIT. AS A RESULT THE WINES HAVE A LOT NERVE, TENSION AND A RACY LIGHTNESS. THIS IS ONE OF THE GREATEST WINES EVER CRAFTED TO PAIR WITH OYSTERS.
- PINOT GRIGIO - SCARPETTA FRIULI, ITALY 2017** 15
INCREDIBLE EXPRESSION OF PINOT GRIGIO FROM THE EPONYMOUS MASTER SOMMELIER BOBBY STUCKEY AND CHEF LACHLAN PATTERSON WITH SLIGHT MACERATION TO GIVE A COMPLEX, CRISP, EARTHY WINE THAT PAIRS WELL WITH FOOD.
- RIESLING - WEINGUT ÖKONOMIERAT REBHOLZ ESTATE PFALZ, GERMANY 2016** 16
HANSJORG REBHOLZ AND FAMILY HAVE BEEN PRODUCING SOME OF THE MOST EXCITING RIESLINGS OUT OF GERMANY. THEIR SPECIALTY IS DRY RIESLINGS AND THIS WINE IS SOURCED FROM 3 DIFFERENT GRAND CRU SITES. ALL OF THEIR FARMING IS BIODYNAMIC, AND SPECIAL ATTENTION IS GIVEN TO FRUIT SELECTION. THE WINE IS SUPREMELY COMPLEX, FOOD FRIENDLY AND REFRESHING WITH FLAVORS OF INTENSE LIME, HIGH TONE MINERALITY AND FLORAL AROMATICS.
- RIESLING - MEULENHOF 'ERDENER TREPPCHEN' KABINETT MOSEL, GERMANY 2014** 16
MEULENHOF HAS BEEN CONTINUOUSLY MAKING WINE SINCE 1337, BY THE DEFT HAND OF THE ORDER OF CISTERCIAN MONKS. THEIR WINES IN TREPPCHEN VINEYARD ARE CURIOUSLY OWN ROOTED AND ALSO IN ONE OF THE FEW POCKETS OF RED SLATE IN THE MOSEL. THE WINE IS HARMONIOUSLY OFF DRY WITH INTENSE MINERALITY AND AN UNRIVALED COMPLEXITY.
- SAUVIGNON BLANC - SERESIN MARLBOROUGH, NEW ZEALAND 2017** 16
SERESIN REPRESENTS A LITTLE INNOVATION AND DIFFERENT THINKING TO THE NORM THAT IS NZ SAUVIGNON BLANC. THERE IS A LITTLE SEMILLON AND WOOD EMPLOYED TO REALLY ROUND OUT THE COMPLEXITY AND EXPRESSION.
- CHARDONNAY - MATIAS SANTA LUCIA HIGHLANDS, CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA 2015** 19
WELL BALANCED OFFERING FROM SOBERANES AND SIERRA MAR VINEYARDS. ELEGANT, OAKY AND RICH CHARDONNAY THAT PAIRS WELL WITH CHICKEN AND LOBSTER
- CHARDONNAY - ROLAND LAVANTUREUX CHABLIS, BURGUNDY, FRANCE 2015** 17
THE LAVANTUREUX FAMILY HAS BEEN MAKING SOME OF THE MOST COMPLEX AND AMAZING CHABLIS SINCE 1978. WITH A STAUNCH APPROACH TO IMPECCABLE VINEYARD PRACTICES BY WHICH TO INFLUENCE FLAVORS, THE WINE IS SHARPLY CRISP, EXPRESSIVE AND LIVELY.
- PROVENCE ROSÉ - MY ESSENTIAL ROSÉ CÔTES DE PROVENCE, FRANCE 2017** 15
IN THE BRILLIANT WORDS OF THE EPONYMOUS RICHARD BETTS MS; "WINE IS A GROCERY, NOT A LUXURY." THIS GREAT OFFERING OF INTENTIONALLY MACERATED ROSE FROM GRENACHE, CINSULT & SYRAH IS REFRESHING, CRISP AND OVERALL DELICIOUS! STAY FRISKY!

RED WINES BY THE GLASS

RED WINE

- GAMAY - MARCEL LAPIERRE *RAISINS GAULOIS* FRANCE 2017** 16
MARCEL LAPIERRE FROM KERMIT LYNCH'S FAMED "GANG OF FOUR" MAKES SOME OF THE MOST COMPELLING GAMAY THAT HAS EVER COME OUT OF BEAUJOLAIS. THE FRUIT SOURCE FOR THIS WINE IS ALMOST ENTIRELY MORGON, BUT THE MINISCULE AMOUNT FROM SOMEWHERE ELSE FORFEITS CALLING IT "MORGON." THE WINE IS ONE OF THE EASIEST TO DRINK AND LEAST FUSSY WITH OPULENT FRUIT, SAVORY EARTH AN ADDICTIVE NOSE AND AN OVERALL LIGHT, DELICIOUS FRAME.
- BARBERA - VIETTI *TRE VIGNE* BARBERA D'ASTI, PIEDMONT, ITALY 2016** 16
LUCA CURRADO MAKES SOME OF THE MOST COMPELLING WINES IN PIEDMONT AND THEIR BARBERA IS NO EXCEPTION. THE WINE GALLIVANTS AS EASY DRINKING & NOT FUSSY BUT THERE'S A HIDDEN COMPLEXITY AND LIVELINESS WHICH MAKES IT STELLAR WITH FOOD
- PINOT NOIR - LOST AND FOUND 'THE NINES' SONOMA MOUNTAIN, SONOMA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA 2017** 20
GEOFF KRUTH MS AND AMY GLAAB AS A WINEMAKING CONSULTANT CRAFT THIS INCREDIBLE PINOT NOIR, HAILING FROM THE NINES VINEYARD IN SONOMA MOUNTAIN AVA. THE WINE USES PARTIAL WHOLE CLUSTER TO BRIGHTEN UP THE FRUIT AND EXPRESSION. DELICIOUS PINOT NOIR THAT ONLY YIELDED 417 CASES OF PRODUCTION!
- PINOT NOIR - NICOLAS JAY *RED VINYL* WILLAMETTE VALLEY, OREGON, 2015** 20
JEAN-NICOLAS MÉO, OF MÉO-CAMUZET IN VOSNE-ROMANÉE IN BURGUNDY, AND JAY BOBERG OF IRS RECORDS TEAMED UP TO PRODUCE SOMETHING INCREDIBLE IN THE WILLAMETTE VALLEY. THE WINE PERSONIFIES WORLD CLASS PINOT NOIR WITH AN EXPRESSIVE VOICE THAT COMMANDS ACKNOWLEDGEMENT... ONLY 500 CASES MADE.
- ZINFANDEL - FROG'S LEAP NAPA VALLEY, CALIFORNIA 2016** 18
FROG'S LEAP REPRESENTS THE FIRST ORGANIC PROPERTY IN NAPA VALLEY AND ALSO PRACTICES ASPECTS OF BIODYNAMICS AND FULL DRY FARMING. DRY FARMING IS QUITE THE RARITY AND ACCORDING TO JOHN WILLIAMS AND JONAH BEER IT IS THE ONLY WAY TO FARM NAPA VALLEY TO YIELD INCREDIBLE GRAPES. AMAZING VIBRANT FRUIT BURSTS FROM THE GLASS AND ALONG WITH FIRM STRUCTURE AND CRISP VIBRANCY ROUNDS OUT THIS STELLAR ZINFANDEL
- MALBEC - TAPIZ *ALTA COLLECTION* UCO VALLEY, MENDOZA, ARGENTINA 2015** 18
THIS 4200' ELEVATION SITE FOR MALBEC PRODUCES A DELICIOUS EXPRESSION WITH AMPLE BLACK AND BLUE FRUIT, DENSE BODY AND A CLEAN BALANCE.
- TEMPRANILLO - BERONIA *GRAN RESERVA* RIOJA, SPAIN 2009** 20
BERONIA REPRESENTS A PROPERTY STARTED IN THE LATE 70'S THAT HAVE EMBRACED A TRADITIONAL APPROACH WITH SOME VARIATIONS; NAMELY USING AMERICAN OAK STAVES AND FRENCH OAK HEADS TO COMPRISE A MIXED BARREL. THE WINE ALIGNS WITH TRADITION WITH LONG AGING, POLISHED SILKY TANNINS AND SOME GREAT SECONDARY NOTES.
- SANGIOVESE - CASTELLO DI MONSANTO *RISERVA* CHIANTI CLASSICO, TUSCANY, ITALY 2014** 18
ESTABLISHED IN THE 60'S BY ALDO BIANCHI, HE HAS MAINTAINED A TRADITIONAL APPROACH TO WINEMAKING. THE FIRST TO PRODUCE SINGLE VINEYARD WINES IN 1968, THE COMMITMENT OF THIS WINERY IS TO HONOR AND SHOWCASE WHAT IS CHIANTI CLASSICO
- MERLOT - TRIG POINT 'DIAMOND DUST' ALEXANDER VALLEY, SONOMA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA 2016** 17
CRAFTED BY NICK GOLDSCHMIDT, THIS WINE EXPRESSES RICH, DECADENT BLACK AND BLUE FRUITS FRAMED BY A FIRM, YET APPROACHABLE STRUCTURE.
- CABERNET SAUVIGNON - DISRUPTION WINE COLUMBIA VALLEY, WASHINGTON 2016** 17
THIS IS ANDREW LATTA'S NEW PROJECT AFTER LEAVING THE CLUTCHES OF CHARLES SMITH. HIS GREAT RELATIONSHIPS WITH TOP VINEYARDS IN WASHINGTON HAS ALLOWED HIM ACCESS TO SOME AMAZING FRUIT THAT GOES INTO A WINE THAT ISN'T PRICED SO. HIS PHILOSOPHY IS "MORE WINE, LESS EGO," AND THE WINE TRULY DELIVERS. AMAZING RED AND BLACK FRUIT WITH A RIGID FRAME AND GOOD OAK.
- CABERNET SAUVIGNON - CHÂTEAU SOCIANDO-MALLET HAUT-MÉDOC, BORDEAUX, FRANCE 2012** 28
CHÂTEAU SOCIANDO-MALLET IS ONE OF THE GREATEST UNCLASSIFIED CHÂTEAUX IN ALL OF BORDEAUX! JEAN GATREAU IS IN A CLASS ABOVE OTHERS WITH HIS COMMITMENT TO SOURCING THE BEST BARRELS, AND DECISION TO FOCUS ON THE FARMING AND VINEYARDS. THIS POWERFUL CABERNET FROM THE BIRTHPLACE OF THE GRAPE IS UTTERLY DELICIOUS AND UNBEATABLE WHEN PAIRING WITH MARBLED CUTS.
- CABERNET SAUVIGNON - FROG'S LEAP RUTHERFORD, NAPA VALLEY 2016** 27
FROG'S LEAP IS THE FIRST ORGANIC WINERY IN NAPA VALLEY AND UNDER THE BENEVOLENT STEWARDSHIP OF JOHN WILLIAMS AND JONAH BEER HAVE FORGED ONE OF THE MOST INTENSIVE, FARMING FORWARD OPERATIONS IN THE HISTORY OF WINE VITICULTURE. THROUGH DRY FARMING AND NUMEROUS OTHER PRACTICES, THEY ARE IN THE VANGUARD OF TRULY MAKING WINE IN THE VINEYARDS. WITH THE ADDITION OF THE CORNERSTONE "ROSSI VINEYARD" FROM THE TENACIOUS LOUISE ROSSI, FROG'S LEAP HAS PRODUCED ONE OF THE MOST EXCITING CABERNETS THAT SHOWCASES DARK FRUIT, TENSION, BALANCE AND POWERFUL FORTITUDE.
- PETITE SIRAH - RUNQUIST 'SALMAN VINEYARD' CLARKSBURG, CALIFORNIA 2016** 24
JEFF RUNQUIST REALLY OUTDID HIMSELF WITH THIS HIGH OCTANE, RICH AND DELICIOUS PETITE SIRAH FROM THE METICULOUS SALMAN VINEYARD IN CLARKSBURG AVA. THE WINE SEES A GOOD PORTION OF FRENCH OAK SO IT HAS A CONFIDENT RICHNESS ABOUT IT. THE WINE ALSO HAS PLENTIFUL BLACK FRUIT, POWERFUL TANNINS AND A POETIC COMPLEXITY.

RESERVE WINES BY THE GLASS

THERES ALWAYS BEEN A CURIOSITY BY SOMMELIERS TO UP THE ANTE AND HAVE AMAZING SELECTIONS AVAILABLE BY THE GLASS, ESPECIALLY WHEN THERE IS AMAZING CUISINE TO ACCOMPANY. THESE RESERVE WINES REPRESENT INCREDIBLE EXPRESSIONS THAT STAND ALONE CONFIDENTLY BUT REALLY SHINE WHEN PAIRED WITH CHEF GARRANT'S MENU. WITH THE USE OF A FERROUS POWDER, THE REPOUR IS A MAGNIFICENT GADGET THAT ALLOWS FOR THE COMPLETE REMOVAL OF OXYGEN FROM A WINE TO HALT ITS DEGRADATION AND ALLOW THESE INCREDIBLE WINES TO BE OFFERED.

RESERVE WHITES

- CHARDONNAY - FAR NIENTE NAPA VALLEY, CALIFORNIA 2017** 35
ORIGINALLY ESTABLISHED IN 1885, BETH AND GIL NICKEL PURCHASED FAR NIENTE IN 1979 AND RESTORED WINEMAKING BACK ON THE PROPERTY. THE NICKELS FOCUS ON TWO GRAPES ARE FAR NIENTE; CHARDONNAY AND CABERNET SAUVIGNON. MADE WITH 100% OAK, 58% BEING NEW, THIS CHARDONNAY IS RICH, CREAMY, AND OPULENT WITH AN ELEGANT FRAME.
- CHENIN BLANC - CHÂTEAU SOUCHERIE CLOS DES PERRIÈRES SAVENNIÈRES, LOIRE VALLEY 2013** 27
CHÂTEAU SOUCHERIE REPRESENTS SOME OF THE GREATEST FARMING IN THE LOIRE VALLEY WHERE ATTENTION TO ORGANICS IS OBSERVED TO YIELD SOME OF THE GREATEST GRAPES. THE WINE IS SNAPPY, EARTHY AND QUICK ON ITS FEET THAT PAIRS INCREDIBLY WITH DEMANDING FISH DISHES. THE WINE LIVES OUT OF THE BOX, BUT IS VERY REWARDING; STAY ADVENTUROUS!
- RIESLING - HUGEL ET FILS JUBILÉE 'SCHOENENBOURG' GRAND CRU ALSACE, FRANCE 2009** 45
THE HUGEL FAMILY HAS BEEN MAKING WINES FOR OVER 200 YEARS IN ALSACE AND HAVE BEEN INTEGRAL IN MANY CHANGES TO PUSH QUALITY IN THE REGION. THEY ARE UNIQUE IN THEIR VIEWS REGARDING GRAND CRU VINEYARDS AND WILL NOT PLACE THE NAME ON THE LABEL, AS THEY DON'T AGREE WITH ALL OF THE VINEYARDS THAT HAVE GARNERED GRAND CRU STATUS. JUBILÉE REPRESENTS THEIR UPPER ECHELON OF WINES (AND THIS ONE IS FROM SCHOENENBOURG GRAND CRU SPECIFICALLY). THE WINE IS COMPLEX, NUANCED AND VERY LONG LIVED. EXCELLENT FOOD WINE AND AMAZINGLY REFRESHING.

RESERVE REDS

- CABERNET SAUVIGNON - MT. BRAVE MT. VEEDER, NAPA VALLEY 2015** 50
IF YOU WANT A GREAT EXAMPLE OF HOW AMAZING NAPA'S MOUNTAINOUS AVAS CAN BE, THEN CHRIS CARPENTER IS YOUR MAN. ASIDE FROM HAVING ONE OF THE BEST SCRATCHY AND GRAVELLY VOICES, HE HAS FIGURED OUT HOW TO HARNESS THE POWERFUL GRAPES FOUND ABOVE THE INVERSION LAYER. CARPENTER ALSO MAKES LOKOYA, LA JOTA AND CARDINALE. MT BRAVE REPRESENTS HIS EFFORTS ON MT VEEDER AND THE WINE SHOWCASES THIS STYLE WITH VIVID DARK FRUIT, PRECISE OAK AND A MASSIVE STRUCTURE.
- SHIRAZ - HICKINBOTHAM BROOK ROADS 'CLARENDON' MCLAREN VALE, FLEURIEU, SOUTH AUSTRALIA, AUSTRALIA 2014** 30
HICKINBOTHAM HAS SECURED ONE OF THE MORE PRESTIGIOUS AND QUALITY DRIVEN VINEYARDS THAT AT ONE POINT WAS SUPPLYING FRUIT TO PENFOLD'S, FOR GRANGE, AND A LIST OF OTHER IMPRESSIVE BOTTLINGS THROUGHOUT AUSTRALIA. NOW IT IS SOLELY FOR THE USE OF HICKINBOTHAM AND THE WINE IS MADE BY CHRIS CARPENTER OF NAPA VALLEY FAME.
- BAROLO - FRANCESCO RINALDI BAROLO, PIEDMONT, ITALY 2013** 40
FRANCESCO RINALDI ET FIGLI WAS ESTABLISHED IN 1870 AND HAS BEEN A DRIVING FORCE TOWARDS SOME OF THE MOST LAYERED, COMPLEX, DELICIOUS AND PERFUMED EXAMPLES OF BAROLO TODAY. MARTA RINALDI IS AT THE HEAD AND KEEPS THE PROPERTY DEEPLY ROOTED IN TRADITIONAL PRACTICES. THE WINE IS INTENSELY PERFUMED WITH A LIGHT APPEARANCE BUT A VERY POWERFUL STRUCTURE DRAPED IN ALL OF THAT ELEGANCE. INCREDIBLE WINE!

HALF BOTTLES

SPARKLING

30046	ELIO PERRONE <i>SOURGAL</i> MOSCATO D'ASTI, PIEDMONT, ITALY 2017	36
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WHITE WINE

30734	CHARDONNAY - TOR <i>TORCHIANA</i> 'BERESINI' CARNEROS, NAPA VALLEY, CA 2014	71
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30260	SAUVIGNON BLANC - LUCIEN CROCHET <i>SANCERRE</i> , LOIRE VALLEY, FRANCE 2017	55
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RED WINE

30408	BORDEAUX - CHÂTEAU GOMBAUDE-GUILLOT <i>POMEROL</i> , FRANCE 1999	114
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30808	MOURVÈDRE - DOMAINE TEMPIER <i>BANDOL</i> , PROVENCE, FRANCE 2014	85
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LARGE FORMAT BOTTLES

SPARKLING

RED WINE

30801	GAMAY - JEAN FOILLARD <i>3.14</i> MORGON, BEAUJOLAIS, FRANCE 2016 MAGNUM	270
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30328	PINOT NOIR - ANTICA TERRA <i>CERAS</i> WILLAMETTE VALLEY, OREGON 2015 MAGNUM	456
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29724	MERLOT - DUCKHORN 'THREE PALMS' 2011 MAGNUM	486
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24213	CABERNET SAUVIGNON - BOND 'MELBURY' 2009 MAGNUM	1800
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DRY ROSÉ

30370	SYRAH - AZUR CALIFORNIA 2016	65
30305	GRENACHE - MY ESSENTIAL ROSÉ CÔTES DE PROVENCE, FRANCE 2017	60
29795	CABERNET SAUVIGNON - ENTRE NOUS NAPA VALLEY 2014	98
30086	PINOT NOIR - CHARLES AUDOIN MARSANNAY, CÔTE DE NUITS, BURGUNDY, FRANCE 2016	68

OFF DRY / SWEET WINES

HALF BOTTLES

23706	CHARDONNAY - ALOIS KRACHER #9 TROCKENBEERENAUSLESE AUSTRIA 2004	203
23704	MUSCAT - ALOIS KRACHER #5 TROCKENBEERENAUSLESE AUSTRIA 2004	180
21209	RIESLING - MT HORROCKS CORDON CUT CLARE VALLEY, AUSTRALIA 2006	75
23702	SCHEUREBE - ALOIS KRACHER #10 TROCKENBEERENAUSLESE AUSTRIA 2004	210
23705	WELSCHRIESLING - ALOIS KRACHER #8 TROCKENBEERENAUSLESE AUSTRIA 2002	172

FULL BOTTLES

29568	GEWURZTRAMINER - ZIND HUMBRECHT 'HERRENWED DE TRUCKHEIM' VT ALSACE, FRANCE 2011	203
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CHAMPAGNE

LITERALLY TRANSLATED AS "OPEN LANDSCAPE," CHAMPAGNE IS NOT JUST ANY SPARKLING WINE. THREE MAIN GRAPES COMPRISE THE LION'S SHARE OF CHAMPAGNE'S PRODUCTION; CHARDONNAY, PINOT NOIR & MEUNIER. IT IS PRODUCED FROM THE EPONYMOUS SECONDARY FERMENTATION STYLE OF WINEMAKING KNOWN AS "MÉTHODE CHAMPENOISE." THE COOL CLIMATE, THE UNIQUE MICRASTER + BELEMNITE CHALK SOILS AND INCREDIBLE TALENTS OF THE WINEMAKERS HAVE YIELDED ONE OF THE WORLD'S GREATEST WINES. STYLES INCLUDE: NON-VINTAGE, ROSÉ, BLANC DE NOIRS, BLANC DE BLANCS, SINGLE VINEYARD, AND VINTAGE CHAMPAGNE. THE TOP OFFERING FROM A HOUSE IS CALLED THE PRESTIGE CUVÉE OR TÊTE DE CUVÉE.

29579	AYALA MAJEUR Aÿ NV	136
30343	CHARLES HEIDSIECK BRUT RESERVE REIMS NV	150
29912	DOM PÉRIGNON <i>PRESTIGE CUVÉE</i> 2006	300
30275	DOM PÉRIGNON <i>P2 PRESTIGE CUVÉE</i> 1998	950
29830	EGLY-OURIET <i>VIEILLISSEMENT PROLONGÉ</i> REIMS NV	297
30606	EGLY-OURIET <i>LES CRAYÈRES PRESTIGE CUVÉE</i> BLANC DE NOIRS REIMS NV	396
22121	GOSSET <i>CELEBRIS</i> BLANC DE BLANCS Aÿ 1996	330
30345	GOUTORBE <i>SPECIAL CLUB</i> Aÿ 2005	251
22135	HENRI BILLIOT <i>CUVEE LAETITIA</i> AMBONNAY	243
20102	HENRIOT BLANC DE BLANCS REIMS NV	209
22132	KRUG <i>GRANDE CUVÉE</i> REIMS NV	456
22131	KRUG 'CLOS DE MESNIL' BLANC DE BLANCS REIMS 1996	2520
30045	KRUG REIMS 1990	1150
29692	KRUG REIMS 1998	696
29693	KRUG REIMS 2000	696
30045	KRUG REIMS 2002	696
29694	KRUG REIMS 2003	696
30020	NICOLAS FEUILLATTE <i>GASTRONOMIE</i> CHOUILLY NV	124
30786	MOUTARD PERES & FILS <i>CEPAGE ARBANE VIEILLES VIGNES</i> AUBE 2013	225
30602	POL ROGER <i>BRUT RESERVE</i> EPERNAY NV	140
30237	POL ROGER <i>CUVÉE SIR WINSTON CHURCHILL PRESTIGE CUVÉE</i> CÔTE DE BLANCS 2002	585
30806	POL ROGER <i>CUVÉE SIR WINSTON CHURCHILL PRESTIGE CUVÉE</i> CÔTE DE BLANCS 2008	606
24622	PEHU-SIMONET <i>SELECTION</i> VERZENAY NV	123
22127	RUINART <i>DOM RUINART PRESTIGE CUVÉE</i> BLANC DE BLANCS REIMS 1996	450
29638	RUINART <i>DOM RUINART PRESTIGE CUVÉE</i> ROSÉ REIMS 1998	758
29674	VEUVE CLICQUOT <i>LA GRANDE DAME PRESTIGE CUVÉE</i> ROSÉ REIMS 1998	676
2196	VEUVE CLICQUOT <i>LA GRANDE DAME PRESTIGE CUVÉE</i> ROSÉ REIMS 2006	645
2194	VEUVE CLICQUOT REIMS NV	158
29895	VEUVE CLICQUOT REIMS 2004	280

WHITE WINES OF CONSEQUENCE

SOMETIMES RULES ARE A GOOD THING AND NEED TO BE FOLLOWED, OTHER TIMES THE CLASSIC GUIDELINES CAN IMPEDE PROGRESS. THROUGH TASTING WINES AND TRAVELING TO REGIONS THERE ARE SOME UNIQUE PRODUCERS THAT CAN OFFER UP SOME GEMS THAT MIGHT NOT FIT CLEANLY INTO A LINEAR DEFINITION AND THAT IS WHERE THIS SECTION LIVES; DANCING THE LINE.

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30585	GRÜNER VELTLINER - PRAGER 'ACHLEITEN STOCKKULTUR' SMARAGD WACHAU, AUSTRIA 2013	119
30048	HONDARRABI ZURI - GORKA IZAGIRRE G22 BIZKAIKO TXAKOLINA, SPAIN	80
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24855	MARSANNE/ROUSSANNE - BETTS & SCHOLL HERMITAGE, RHÔNE VALLEY, FRANCE 2006	136
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30089	MARSANNE/ROUSSANNE - PAUL JABOULET AÎNÉ MULE BLANCHE CROZES-HERMITAGE, RHÔNE VALLEY, FRANCE 2014	119
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29567	MUSCAT - ZIND HUMBRECHT ALSACE, FRANCE 2012	76
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30454	PINOT GRIGIO - RADIKON S VENEZIA GIULIA, FRIULI, ITALY 2014	93
29991	PINOT GRIGIO - LE MONDE FRIULI, ITALY 2017	65
30289	SAVAGNIN - DOMAINE DU PELICAN OUILLE ARBOIS, JURA, FRANCE 2015	85
30412	SÉMILLON - AN APPROACH TO RELAXATION NICHON BAROSSA VALLEY, SOUTH AUSTRALIA, AUSTRALIA 2015	117
30557	SPARKLING - DOMAINE CARNEROS LA REVE BLANC DE BLANCS CARNEROS, NAPA VALLEY 2009	251
30439	SPARKLING - NYETIMBER 'TILLINGTON' WEST SUSSEX, ENGLAND 2010	345
30527	SPARKLING - SOTER MINERAL SPRINGS RANCH BLANC DE BLANCS YAMHILL-CARLTON, OREGON 2012	223
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29354	WHITE BLEND - TOOTH & NAIL FRAGRANT SNARE PASO ROBLES, CALIFORNIA 2012	86

SAUVIGNON BLANC

THE SAUVIGNON BLANC GRAPE ORIGINATED IN BORDEAUX YET NOW IT IS WIDELY GROWN IN THE LOIRE VALLEY, CALIFORNIA, NEW ZEALAND, AND OTHER COUNTRIES. CHARACTERISTICALLY A WINE WITH A LOT OF CITRUS INFLUENCE AND CRISP ACIDITY, THE WIDE ARRAY OF WINEMAKING DECISIONS CAN ELICIT VASTLY DIFFERENT WINES.

29817	ARAUJO 'EISELE' NAPA VALLEY 2013	216
24040	CLOUDY BAY MARLBOROUGH, NEW ZEALAND 2018	73
30391	DELILLE CELLARS <i>CHALEUR ESTATE</i> COLUMBIA VALLEY, WASHINGTON 2014	90
30586	DIDIER DAGUENEAU <i>LE MONT DAMNE</i> SANCERRE, LOIRE VALLEY, FRANCE 2007	745
29804	DOMAINE CIRINGA <i>FOSILNI BREG</i> ŠTAJERSKA SLOVENIJA, SLOVENIA 2012	64
30024	DOMAINE SERGE LAPORTE <i>LES BOURSIOTTES</i> SANCERRE, FRANCE 2017	64
29635	LADOUCETTE POUILLY-FUMÉ, LOIRE VALLEY, FRANCE 2015	94
30570	RONCO DE GNEMIZ <i>PERI</i> FRIULI COLLI ORIENTALI, FRIULI, ITALY 2016	165
29779	RUDD <i>ESTATE</i> MOUNT VEEDER, NAPA VALLEY 2012	176

CHARDONNAY - NEW WORLD

CHARDONNAY, ORIGINALLY FROM BURGUNDY, IS AN EASILY INFLUENCED GRAPE BEING ABLE TO TAKE ON MANY ASPECTS OF WHAT IT'S SUBJECTED TO IN TERMS OF WINEMAKING, CLIMATE, SOIL, COOPERAGE AND MORE. THE DIFFERENCE IS CHARDONNAY CAN HAVE VASTLY DIFFERENT EXPRESSIONS THAT ARE TRULY WORLD CLASS. ASIDE FROM FRANCE, CHARDONNAY HAS FOUND IT'S HOME IN THE NEW WORLD, AND ESPECIALLY IN CALIFORNIA. WHEN IT COMES TO OAK USAGE, IT IS A GRAPE THAT CAN STAND UP TO HEAVY OAK INFLUENCE, WHERE MOST OTHER WHITE GRAPES WOULD BUCKLE.

30641	ANCIENT OAK CELLARS 'NURMI' RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY, SONOMA COAST 2015	146
30283	ANTICA TERRA AURATA 'SHEA VINEYARD' YAMHILL-CARLTON, WILLAMETTE VALLEY, OREGON 2014	215
30452	BIEN NACIDO VINEYARDS SANTA MARIA VALLEY, SANTA BARBARA 2014	122
30555	BINDI KOSTAS RIND MACEDON RANGES, VICTORIA, AUSTRALIA 2013	171
30051	CAPENSIS WESTERN CAPE, SOUTH AFRICA 2014	193
30631	CURVATURE SONOMA COUNTY 2015	145
29920	FAR NIENTE NAPA VALLEY, CALIFORNIA 2017	140
18765	FROG'S LEAP NAPA VALLEY, CALIFORNIA 2016	75
30252	GRAN MORAINÉ YAMHILL-CARLTON, WILLAMETTE VALLEY, OREGON 2014	142
30791	KISTLER SONOMA MOUNTAIN, SONOMA COUNTY 2017	198
29799	LEEWIN ESTATE ART SERIES MARGARET RIVER, AUSTRALIA 2012	234
29583	MATTHIASSEN 'LINDA VISTA' NAPA VALLEY, CALIFORNIA 2017	84
30494	MIURA NAPA VALLEY, CALIFORNIA 2016	137
30758	'OLELO CENTRAL COAST, CALIFORNIA 2016	83
30326	RHYS 'HORSESHOE VINEYARD' SANTA CRUZ MOUNTAINS, CALIFORNIA 2013	247
30556	RIVERS MARIE SONOMA COAST, CALIFORNIA 2016	135
29375	SANGUIS LONER B SANTA BARBARA COUNTY 2011	137
30638	SCHERRER WINERY 'SCHERRER VINEYARD' ALEXANDER VALLEY, SONOMA COUNTY 2015	118
30304	TYLER 'BIEN NACIDO - W BLOCK' SANTA MARIA VALLEY, SANTA BARBARA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA 2013	155
29473	WEDELL CELLARS 'SIERRA MADRE' SANTA MARIA VALLEY, SANTA BARBARA COUNTY 2011	128

CHARDONNAY - OLD WORLD

DUE TO THE LIMESTONE SOIL AND COOLER CLIMATE, CHARDONNAY GROWN IN BURGUNDY ARE TYPICALLY HIGHER IN ACIDITY, SHOW MORE EARTH AND ARE VERY COMPLEX. SIMILAR TO MOVIES, THE PRODUCER OF THE WINE IS BEHIND THE CAMERA, AND THE VINEYARDS AND THEIR LOCATION ARE THE STAR. CHARDONNAY IS ABLE TO DO THINGS IN BURGUNDY THAT ARE UNMATCHED BY OTHER WINES. THE GRAND CRUS ARE THE MOST PRESTIGIOUS PIECES OF LAND TO GROW AMAZING CHARDONNAY, BUT THE PREMIER CRUS AREN'T FAR BEHIND. THESE ARE EXCEPTIONAL WINES.

BOURGOGNE BLANC

30281	DOMAINE MOREY-COFFINET BOURGOGNE BLANC 2014	85
30796	DOMAINE ROULOT BOURGOGNE BLANC 2016	168
30375	MAISON LEROY BOURGOGNE BLANC 2014	143
30413	MAISON LEROY BOURGOGNE BLANC 2015	185
30787	PIERRE-YVES COLIN-MOREY BOURGOGNE BLANC 2017	125

CHABLIS

30815	CHRISTIAN MOREAU 'VAILLONS' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> 2017	164
30663	DOMAINE BILLAUD-SIMON 'VAILLONS' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> 2016	125
30235	DOMAINE LONG-DEPAQUIT 'BLANCHOT' <i>GRAND CRU</i> 2014	215
30169	DOMAINE LONG-DEPAQUIT 'LA MOUTONNE' <i>GRAND CRU - MONOPOLE</i> 2014	342
30480	DOMAINE LONG-DEPAQUIT 'LA MOUTONNE' <i>GRAND CRU - MONOPOLE</i> 2015	353
30479	DOMAINE LONG-DEPAQUIT 'LES CLOS' <i>GRAND CRU</i> 2015	229
30701	DOMAINE LONG-DEPAQUIT 'LES CLOS' <i>GRAND CRU</i> 2016	232
30170	DOMAINE LONG-DEPAQUIT 'VAUCOUPIN' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> 2014	151
30613	DOMAINE FRANÇOIS RAVENEAU 'LES BUTTEAUX' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> 2015	431
30614	DOMAINE FRANÇOIS RAVENEAU 'VALMUR' <i>GRAND CRU</i> 2015	642
30238	PATRICK PIUZE 'LES PREUSES' <i>GRAND CRU</i> 2015	309
30517	PATRICK PIUZE 'RONCIÈRES' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> 2016	187
30554	ROLAND LAVANTUREUX 'VAUDÉSIR' <i>GRAND CRU</i> 2014	239

CHARDONNAY - OLD WORLD

MOREY-ST.-DENIS

30549	DOMAINE DUJAC 'LES MONTS LUISANTS' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> MOREY-ST.-DENIS 2015	241
30687	DOMAINE DUJAC 'LES MONTS LUISANTS' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> MOREY-ST.-DENIS 2016	298

VOUGEOT

30046	DOMAINE DE LA VOUGERAIE <i>CLOS DE PRIUERE</i> VOUGEOT 2011	240
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CORTON-CHARLEMAGNE

24253	BOUCHARD 'CORTON CHARLEMAGNE' <i>GRAND CRU</i> 2006	545
22617	LOUIS JADOT 'CORTON CHARLEMAGNE' <i>GRAND CRU</i> 2005	341
24160	TOLLOT BEAUT 'CORTON CHARLEMAGNE' <i>GRAND CRU</i> 2004	262
30696	DOMAINE BERNARD DUGAT-PY 'CORTON-CHARLEMAGNE' <i>GRAND CRU</i> 2014	777

PERNAND-VERGELESSES

30698	DOMAINE BERNARD DUGAT-PY 'SOUS FRÉTILLE' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> 2014	311
30789	PIERRE-YVES COLIN-MOREY 'LES COMBOTTES' 2017	174

MEURSAULT

30085	BERNARD BONIN <i>VIELLES VIGNES</i> MEURSAULT 2013	148
30311	CHÂTEAU DE MEURSAULT 'LES CHARMES' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> MEURSAULT 2014	291
30657	DOMAINE DES COMTES LAFON 'CLOS DE LA BARONNE' MEURSAULT 2015	345
30656	DOMAINE DES COMTES LAFON 'LES PORUSOTS' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> MEURSAULT 2015	719
30264	DOMINIQUE LAFON 'LES NARVAUX' MEURSAULT 2014	314
30797	DOMAINE ROULOT 'VIREUILS' MEURSAULT 2016	285
25187	MAISON L'OREE 'LES CHARMES' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> MEURSAULT 2010	225
25275	MAISON L'OREE 'LES LUCHETS' MEURSAULT 2009	237

CHARDONNAY - OLD WORLD

PULIGNY-MONTRACHET

22421	DOMAINE LEFLAIVE 'CHEVALIER-MONTRACHET' <i>GRAND CRU</i> 2005	910
29681	DOMAINE LEFLAIVE 'CLAVOILLON' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> PULIGNY-MONTRACHET 2011	443
29682	DOMAINE LEFLAIVE 'LES COMBETTES' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> PULIGNY-MONTRACHET 2011	654
29987	DOMAINE LEFLAIVE PULIGNY-MONTRACHET 2013	336
30610	DOMAINE LEFLAIVE PULIGNY-MONTRACHET 2014	351
22622	MAISON JOSEPH DROUHIN 'MONTRACHET' <i>MARQUIS DE LAGUICHE GRAND CRU</i> 2000	999
29797	LOUIS JADOT PULIGNY-MONTRACHET 2012	168
22935	ROBERT AMPEAU 'LES COMBETTES' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> PULIGNY-MONTRACHET 1992	360

SAINT-AUBIN

30788	PIERRE-YVES COLIN-MOREY 'LE BANC' 2017	180
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CHASSAGNE-MONTRACHET

25241	BRUNO COLIN 'MORGEOT' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> 2009	224
25200	MAISON L'OREE 'LES CHENEVOTTES' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> 2010	192
24392	PHILIPPE COLIN 'LES VERGERS' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> 2004	191

SANTENAY

30700	ALBERT BICHOT 2016	125
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MÂCONNAIS

30023	DOMAINE FERRET POUILLY-FUISSÉ, MÂCONNAIS 2013	84
29695	DOMAINE A. & P. VILLAIN <i>LES CLOUS</i> BOURGOGNE, CÔTE CHALONNAISE 2010	94

RIESLING

RIESLING IS THE BEST WINE GRAPE THAT IS MISUNDERSTOOD. ITS CELLAR LONGEVITY AND ITS ABILITY TO MAINTAIN VARIETAL IDENTITY WHILE REFLECTING THE INDIVIDUALITY OF ITS 'TERROIR' ARE REASON ENOUGH THAT THE HIGH ACID RIESLING MAY BE THE BEST OF ALL THE WHITE WINE GRAPES. THE FINEST RIESLINGS HAVE ELITE AGING POTENTIAL, AND SOMEHOW RETAIN AN ELEMENT OF LIVELY FRESHNESS EVEN AFTER SEVERAL DECADES. IT CAN PRODUCE WINES THAT VARY FROM BONE DRY TO SWEET AND IS GROWN IN NUMEROUS COUNTRIES. GERMANY LEADS IN PRODUCTION, FOLLOWED BY AUSTRALIA, AUSTRIA, USA AND OTHERS.

30184	ALBERT BOXLER 'BRAND' <i>GRAND CRU ALSACE, FRANCE 2011</i>	192
30163	ALBERT BOXLER 'SOMMERBERG' <i>GRAND CRU ALSACE, FRANCE 2011</i>	192
29347	BISCHÖFLICHE <i>CLASSIC MOSEL, GERMANY 2011</i>	80
30778	CARL VON SCHUBERT'SCHE SCHLOSSKELLEREI MAXIMIN GRÜNHAUS 'ABTSBERG' <i>SPÄTLESE RUWER, MOSEL, GERMANY 2011</i>	117
30294	DOMAINE WEINBACH 'SCHLOSSBERG' <i>CUVÉE ST.-CATHERINE-CLOS DE CAPUCINS GRAND CRU ALSACE, FRANCE 2011</i>	168
30131	DONNHOF 'NIEDERHÄUSER HERMANNSHÖHLE' <i>GROSSES GEWÄCHS NAHE, GERMANY 2014</i>	162
29490	DR. LOOSEN <i>ESTATE AUSLESE MOSEL, GERMANY 2011</i>	121
22712	DRY RIVER MARTINBOROUGH, NEW ZEALAND 2004	99
30255	GEORG BREUER 'RAUENTHALER NONNENBERG' <i>ALLEINBESITZ ERSTES GEWÄCHS RHEINGAU, GERMANY 2013</i>	179
29811	GIACOMO BORGOGNO <i>ERA ORO LANGHE, PIEDMONT, ITALY 2012</i>	88
29540	HEXAMER <i>QUARTZIT NAHE, GERMANY 2013</i>	65
22714	HIRTZBERGER 'HOCHRAIN' <i>SMARAGD WACHAU, AUSTRIA 2006</i>	154
22702	MARC KREYDENWEISS 'KASTELBERG' <i>GRAND CRU ALSACE, FRANCE 2005</i>	162
30090	KRUGER-RUMPF 'SCHARLACHBERG' <i>GROSSES GEWÄCHS RHEINHESSEN, GERMANY 2014</i>	121
29848	LEITZ 'RUDESHEIMER MAGDALENEKREUZ' <i>RHEINGAU, GERMANY 2013</i>	77
30419	PATTON VALLEY CHEHALEM MOUNTAINS, WILLAMETTE VALLEY, OREGON 2015	58
22718	PRAGER 'BODENSTEIN' <i>SMARAGD WACHAU, AUSTRIA 2006</i>	121
22715	RUDI PICHLER 'ACHLEITEN' <i>SMARAGD WACHAU, AUSTRIA 2006</i>	148
30344	ROBERT WEIL 'KIEDRICH GRAFENBERG' <i>SPÄTLESE RHEINGAU, GERMANY 2008</i>	227
30358	ROBERT WEIL 'KIEDRICH GRAFENBERG' <i>GROSSES GEWÄCHS RHEINGAU, GERMANY 2015</i>	219
24627	SELBACH-OSTER 'ZELTINGER SCHLOSSBERG' <i>AUSLESE MOSEL GERMANY 2005</i>	95
30489	WEINGUT ÖKONOMIERAT REBHOLZ 'BIRKWEILER KASTANIENBUSCH' <i>GROSSES GEWÄCHS PFALZ, GERMANY 2011</i>	249
30662	TRIMBACH <i>CLOS STE HUNE GRAND CRU ALSACE, FRANCE 2012</i>	525
30334	WEINGUT VON HÖVEL 'SCHARZHOFBERGER' <i>GROSSES GEWÄCHS MOSEL, GERMANY 2015</i>	140
29542	ZIND HUMBRECHT <i>ALSACE, FRANCE 2012</i>	72

PINOT NOIR - NEW WORLD

ALTHOUGH IT HERALDS SOME OF THE MOST PRETIGIOUS WINES FROM IT'S NATIVE BURGUNDY, PINOT NOIR HAS FOUND A VERY SUCCESSFUL HOME IN THE NEW WORLD, ESPECIALLY IN CALIFORNIA, OREGON, NEW ZEALAND, AND SOUTH AMERICA. THE WINES DO NOT CRASH THE DOOR DOWN WITH BRUTE FORCE, BUT SEDUCTIVELY CHARM THEIR WAY IN. THESE COMPLEX WINES ARE INCREDIBLE WITH FOOD.

30759	ANTICA TERRA <i>ANTIKYTHERA</i> , 'ANTICA TERRA' EOLA-AMITY HILLS, WILLAMETTE VALLEY, OREGON 2015	330
30476	ANTICA TERRA <i>CERAS</i> WILLAMETTE VALLEY, OREGON 2015	238
30284	ANTICA TERRA <i>CERAS</i> WILLAMETTE VALLEY, OREGON 2016	238
30763	ANCIENT OAK CELLARS RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY, SONOMA COAST, CALIFORNIA 2016	115
30671	BEAUX FRÈRES 'BEAUX FRÈRES' RIBBON RIDGE, WILLAMETTE VALLEY, OREGON 2014	245
30672	BEAUX FRÈRES 'BEAUX FRÈRES' RIBBON RIDGE, WILLAMETTE VALLEY, OREGON 2015	248
30451	BIEN NACIDO VINEYARDS 'BIEN NACIDO VINEYARD' SANTA MARIA VALLEY, SANTA BARBARA, CALIFORNIA 2014	152
29768	CALERA <i>JENSEN</i> MT HARLAN, CALIFORNIA 2011	234
30722	DOMAINE NICOLAS-JAY 'MOMTAZI' MCMINNVILLE, WILLAMETTE VALLEY, OREGON 2015	227
30017	DOMAINE SERENE <i>EVENSTAD RESERVE</i> WILLAMETTE VALLEY, OREGON 2008	330
30542	EYRIE VINEYARDS <i>RESERVE</i> DUNDEE HILLS, WILLAMETTE VALLEY, OREGON 1995	571
30765	HIRSCH VINEYARDS <i>SAN ANDREAS</i> SONOMA COAST, CALIFORNIA 2016	185
30632	KERR CELLARS 'WALALA' SONOMA COAST, CALIFORNIA 2014	194
30757	KOSTA BROWNE 'KEEFER RANCH' GREEN VALLEY OF RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY, SONOMA COAST, CALIFORNIA 2016	345
24094	LITTORAI 'WENDLING' ANDERSON VALLEY, CALIFORNIA 2015	177
30784	MERRY EDWARDS RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY, SONOMA COAST, CALIFORNIA 2017	176
30813	MOUTON NOIR <i>OPP</i> WILLAMETTE VALLEY, OREGON 2016	78
30137	OCCIDENTAL VINEYARDS <i>CUVÉE ELIZABETH</i> 'BODEGA HEADLANDS' SONOMA COAST 2013	273
30725	PISONI <i>ESTATE</i> SANTA LUCIA HIGHLANDS, CALIFORNIA 2016	262
30502	RESONANCE 'DECOUVERTE' DUNDEE HILLS, WILLAMETTE VALLEY, OREGON 2015	161
30538	REULING SONOMA COAST, CALIFORNIA 2014	169
30637	SCHERRER WINERY RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY, SONOMA COAST, CALIFORNIA 2012	140
30805	SOLOMON HILLS VINEYARDS 'SOLOMON HILLS' SANTA MARIA VALLEY, SANTA BARBARA, CALIFORNIA 2015	168
30812	THE WITHERS 'ENGLISH HILL' SONOMA COAST, CALIFORNIA 2016	156
29831	YARRA YERING YARRA VALLEY, VICTORIA, AUSTRALIA 2006	198

PINOT NOIR - OLD WORLD

BURGUNDY IS THE BIRTHPLACE OF PINOT NOIR, WHERE IT THRIVES ON MARL DOMINATED SOILS (CLAY WITH HIGH LIME CONTENT) AND COOLER CLIMATE. UNLIKE BORDEAUX, THE ACTUAL LOCATION OF THE VINEYARD IS EQUALLY AS IMPORTANT (IF NOT MORE IMPORTANT) AS WHO IS PRODUCING THE WINE. EACH VINEYARD HAS A STORY TO TELL AND PINOT NOIR IS THE VOICE.

BOURGOGNE ROUGE

30414	MAISON LEROY BOURGOGNE ROUGE 2015	209
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30699	ALBERT BICHOT 'CLOS DE LA PERRIÈRE' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> 2016	215
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GEVREY-CHAMBERTIN

30482	DOMAINE ALBERT BICHOT 'LAVAUX ST.-JACQUES' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> GEVREY-CHAMBERTIN 2015	352
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30697	DOMAINE BERNARD DUGAT-PY <i>COEUR DU ROY</i> GEVREY-CHAMBERTIN 2014	393
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30190	DOMAINE DUPONT-TISSERANDOT 'LES CAZATIERES' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> GEVREY-CHAMBERTIN 2012	315
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30109	MAISON L'OREE 'LES CHAMPEAUX' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> GEVREY-CHAMBERTIN 2011	364
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30777	THIBAUT LIGER-BELAIR <i>LA CROIX DES CHAMPS</i> GEVREY-CHAMBERTIN 2015	254
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MOREY-ST.-DENIS

30743	DOMAINE ARMAND ROUSSEAU 'CLOS DE LA ROCHE' <i>GRAND CRU</i> 2015	671
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30491	DAVID DUBAND <i>PREMIER CRU</i> MOREY-ST.-DENIS 2015	239
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30245	DOMAINE DUJAC 'CLOS DE LA ROCHE' <i>GRAND CRU</i> 2014	607
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30690	DOMAINE DUJAC 'CLOS SAINT-DENIS' <i>GRAND CRU</i> 2016	989
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30513	DOMAINE GEORGES ROUMIER 'CLOS DE LA BUSSIÈRE' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> MOREY-ST.-DENIS 2015	338
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22902	VINCENT GIRARDIN 'CLOS DE LA ROCHE' <i>GRAND CRU</i> 2005	428
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CHAMBOLLE-MUSIGNY

30510	DOMAINE GEORGES ROUMIER 'BONNES MARES' <i>GRAND CRU</i> 2015	1199
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30726	DOMAINE GEORGES ROUMIER 'BONNES MARES' <i>GRAND CRU</i> 2016	1195
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30727	DOMAINE GEORGES ROUMIER CHAMBOLLE-MUSIGNY 2016	295
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30512	DOMAINE GEORGES ROUMIER 'LES CRAS' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> CHAMBOLLE-MUSIGNY 2015	415
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VOUGEOT

29897	DOMAINE DE LA VOUGERAIE 'LE CLOS DU PRIEURE' VOUGEOT 2011	246
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PINOT NOIR - OLD WORLD

VOSNE-ROMANÉE

30688	DOMAINE DUJAC 'LES BEAUX MONTS' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> VOSNE-ROMANÉE 2016	630
30689	DOMAINE DUJAC 'AUX MALCONSORTS' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> VOSNE-ROMANÉE 2016	869
29798	MAISON JOSEPH DROUHIN VOSNE-ROMANÉE 2011	238

NUITS-ST.-GEORGE

30492	DAVID DUBAND 'AUX THOREY' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> NUIITS-ST.-GEORGE 2015	237
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BLAGNY

30551	DOMAINE COMTESSE BERNARD DE CHÉRISEY 'LA GENELOTTE' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> BLAGNY 2013	177
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CORTON

30483	DOMAINE DU PAVILLON 'CORTON CLOS DES MARACHAUDES' <i>GRAND CRU - MONOPOLE</i> 2015	381
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BEAUNE

29887	BOUCHARD <i>BEAUNE DU CHÂTEAU</i> BEAUNE 2014	96
30265	DOMINIQUE LAFON 'LES VIGNES FRANCHES' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> BEAUNE 2014	244

VOLNAY

30730	DOMAINE MARQUIS D'ANGERVILLE VOLNAY 2014	226
30313	DOMAINE MARQUIS D'ANGERVILLE 'CLOS DES DUCS' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> VOLNAY 2014	447
30729	DOMAINE MARQUIS D'ANGERVILLE 'CLOS DES DUCS' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> VOLNAY 2016	548
30415	MAISON LEROY 'LES ANGLES' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> VOLNAY 2000	798

SANTENAY

30552	DOMAINE JEAN-MARC VINCENT 'PASSETEMPS' <i>PREMIER CRU</i> SANTENAY 2015	165
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GERMANY

30659	MEYER-NÄKEL 'NEUENÄHRER SONNENBERG' <i>GROSSES GEWÄCHS</i> AHR, GERMANY 2011	270
29998	RUDOLF FÜRST <i>KLINGENBERGER</i> FRANKEN, GERMANY 2012	181
30490	WEINGUT ÖKONOMIERAT REBHOLZ 'SIEBELDINGER IM SONNENSCHIN' <i>GROSSES GEWÄCHS</i> PFALZ, GERMANY 2009	229

PINOT NOIR - DOMAINE DE LA ROMANÉE CONTI (DRC)

24446	DOMAINE DE LA ROMANÉE CONTI 'RICHEBOURG' <i>GRAND CRU</i> 2006	2036
25046	DOMAINE DE LA ROMANÉE CONTI 'RICHEBOURG' <i>GRAND CRU</i> 2009	3240
29302	DOMAINE DE LA ROMANÉE CONTI 'RICHEBOURG' <i>GRAND CRU</i> 2010	3362
29837	DOMAINE DE LA ROMANÉE CONTI 'RICHEBOURG' <i>GRAND CRU</i> 2012	3440
30119	DOMAINE DE LA ROMANÉE CONTI 'RICHEBOURG' <i>GRAND CRU</i> 2013	3460
30392	DOMAINE DE LA ROMANÉE CONTI 'RICHEBOURG' <i>GRAND CRU</i> 2014	3420
25045	DOMAINE DE LA ROMANÉE CONTI 'ROMANÉE-ST.-VIVANT' <i>GRAND CRU</i> 2009	3095
29303	DOMAINE DE LA ROMANÉE CONTI 'ROMANÉE-ST.-VIVANT' <i>GRAND CRU</i> 2010	3822
29838	DOMAINE DE LA ROMANÉE CONTI 'ROMANÉE-ST.-VIVANT' <i>GRAND CRU</i> 2012	3426

RED WINES OF CONSEQUENCE

SOMETIMES RULES ARE A GOOD THING AND NEED TO BE FOLLOWED, OTHER TIMES THE CLASSIC GUIDELINES CAN IMPEDE PROGRESS. THROUGH TASTING WINES AND TRAVELING TO REGIONS THERE ARE SOME UNIQUE PRODUCERS THAT CAN OFFER UP SOME GEMS THAT MIGHT NOT FIT CLEANLY INTO A LINEAR DEFINITION AND THAT IS WHERE THIS SECTION LIVES; DANCING THE LINE.

30389	CABERNET FRANC - HABIT WINES 'COQUELICOT VINEYARD' SANTA YNEZ VALLEY, SANTA BARBARA 2017	75
30042	CARMÉNÈRE - MONTES <i>PURPLE ANGEL</i> VALLÉ DE COLCHAGUA, VALLÉ DE RAPEL CHILE 2015	221
30776	GAMAY - DAMIEN COQUELET 'CÔTE DE PY' MORGON, BEAUJOLAIS, FRANCE 2013	97
30799	GAMAY - JEAN FOILLARD BEAUJOLAIS-VILLAGES, FRANCE 2017	77
30800	GAMAY - JEAN FOILLARD <i>CUVÉE CORCOLETTE</i> MORGON, BEAUJOLAIS, FRANCE 2017	112
30043	GAMAY - JEAN-PAUL THEVENET <i>VIELLES VIGNES</i> MORGON, BEAUJOLAIS, FRANCE 2016	88
30780	GAMAY - NICOLE CHANRION CÔTE DE BROUILLY, BEAUJOLAIS, FRANCE 2016	71
30739	MALBEC - VIÑA COBOS 'MARCHIORI' LUJAN DE CUYO, MENDOZA, CUYO, ARGENTINA 2013	380
30740	MALBEC - VIÑA COBOS 'CHAÑARES' VALLE DE UCO, MENDOZA, CUYO, ARGENTINA 2015	431
29874	MALBEC - CROCUS <i>L'ATELIER</i> CAHORS, FRANCE 2014	118
29790	MALBEC - TAPIZ <i>BLACK TEARS</i> MENDOZA, CUYO, ARGENTINA 2013	132
30262	RED BLEND - DOS CABEZAS AGUILION 'CIMARRON VINEYARD' SONOITA, ARIZONA 2014	75
30588	RED BLEND - HICKINBOTHAM <i>THE PEAKE</i> 'CLARENDON HILLS' MCLAREN VALE, AUSTRALIA 2014	299
30633	RED BLEND - KERR CELLARS <i>RESERVE</i> NAPA VALLEY, CALIFORNIA 2014	360
30640	RED BLEND - RIDGE 'GEYSERVILLE' ALEXANDER VALLEY, SONOMA COUNTY 2017	106
30639	RED BLEND - RIDGE 'LYTTON SPRINGS' DRY CREEK VALLEY, SONOMA COUNTY 2016	101
30282	RED BLEND - CHÂTEAU MUSAR BEKAA VALLEY, LEBANON 2000	195
29832	RED BLEND - YARRA YERING <i>DRY RED #1</i> YARRA VALLEY, VICTORIA, AUSTRALIA 2006	198
30234	ZINFANDEL - EHREN JORDAN CELLARS <i>DAY</i> SONOMA COUNTY, 2016	84
30719	ZINFANDEL - TURLEY <i>JUVENILE</i> CALIFORNIA 2017	99

SYRAH & GRENACHE - NEW WORLD

SYRAH, ALSO KNOWN AS SHIRAZ IN AUSTRALIA, IS DENSER AND FULLER THAN GRENACHE IN MORE CASES. THE NEW WORLD EXPRESSIONS ARE RIPER, RICH AND FULL BODIED WHEREAS IN THE NORTHERN RHÔNE, SYRAH IS MORE PRIMAL, ANIMALISTIC, EARTHY AND LOQUACIOUS. WHERE SYRAH IS THE STAR OF THE NORTHERN RHÔNE, GRENACHE MAKES UP THE MAJORITY OF THE SOUTHERN RHÔNE. THERE IS A LOT MORE BLENDING, BUT GRENACHE USUALLY FINDS IT'S WAY INTO THE LARGER PART OF THOSE BLENDS. IN THE NEW WORLD THE WINES ARE HIGH ALCOHOL, PEPPERY AND HAVE AN INTENSE RASPBERRY PRESERVES NOTE.

29787	AMON-RA BAROSSA VALLEY, AUSTRALIA 2012	276
30453	BIEN NACIDO VINEYARDS SANTA MARIA VALLEY, SANTA BARBARA, CALIFORNIA 2013	135
29645	CAYUSE 'ARMADA' WALLA WALLA VALLEY, COLUMBIA VALLEY, WASHINGTON 2011	367
30107	CAYUSE <i>BIONIC FROG</i> WALLA WALLA VALLEY, COLUMBIA VALLEY, WASHINGTON 2013	421
25043	FAVIA ROMPECABEZAS AMADOR COUNTY, CALIFORNIA 2010	198
30519	HICKINBOTHAM 'CLARENDON' <i>BROOKS ROAD</i> MCLAREN VALE, AUSTRALIA 2014	125
24197	HORSEPOWER 'THE TRIBE' ROCKS OF MILTON- FREEWATER, WALLA WALLA VALLEY, OREGON 2015	395
29926	PENFOLDS <i>RWT</i> BAROSSA VALLEY, AUSTRALIA 2009	368
30624	RUNE WINES 'PILLSBURY VINEYARD' <i>WILD</i> WILLCOX, ARIZONA 2015	121
30194	SHAFER <i>RELENTLESS</i> NAPA VALLEY 2013	302
30055	SINE QUA NON <i>MALE</i> CALIFORNIA 2013	579
30346	SINE QUA NON <i>PIRAHNA WATERDANCE</i> CALIFORNIA 2014	580
30346	SINE QUA NON <i>TROUVER L'ARÈNE</i> CALIFORNIA 2015	585
30347	SINE QUA NON <i>LES CHEMIN VERS L'HÉRÉSIE</i> CALIFORNIA 2015	585
30768	SINE QUA NON <i>RATSEL</i> CALIFORNIA 2016	591
30769	SINE QUA NON <i>DIRT VERNACULAR</i> CALIFORNIA 2016	590

SYRAH & GRENACHE - OLD WORLD

NORTHERN RHÔNE

30580	CLUSEL-ROCH <i>CLASSIQUE</i> CÔTE-RÔTIE 2015	199
30251	CLUSEL-ROCH 'VIALLIÈRE' CÔTE-RÔTIE 2015	244
30581	DOMAINE JAMET CÔTE-RÔTIE 2009	671
30582	DOMAINE JAMET CÔTE-RÔTIE 2012	485
30732	DOMAINE JAMET CÔTE-RÔTIE 2015	355
23107	E. GUIGAL <i>CHÂTEAU D'AMPUIS</i> CÔTE-RÔTIE 2003	402
30134	E. GUIGAL <i>LA MOULINE</i> CÔTE-RÔTIE 2010	1245
30133	E. GUIGAL <i>LA TURQUE</i> CÔTE-RÔTIE 2010	1245
30132	E. GUIGAL <i>LA LANDONNE</i> CÔTE-RÔTIE 2010	1245
30091	J.L. CHAVE <i>L'ERMITAGE</i> HERMITAGE 2013	605
30350	J.L. CHAVE <i>L'ERMITAGE</i> HERMITAGE 2014	595
30589	J.L. CHAVE <i>L'ERMITAGE</i> HERMITAGE 2015	655
30092	J.L. CHAVE ST.-JOSEPH 2013	190
30351	J.L. CHAVE ST.-JOSEPH 2014	194
30591	J.L. CHAVE ST.-JOSEPH 2015	227
24565	J.L. CHAVE SELECTION <i>FARCONNET</i> HERMITAGE 2011	216
29899	NICOLAS PERRIN CÔTE-RÔTIE 2012	198
30607	RENÉ ROSTAING <i>AMPODIUM</i> CÔTE-RÔTIE 2015	271
30603	THIERRY ALLEMAND 'LES CHAILLOT' CORNAS 2015	345
30604	THIERRY ALLEMAND 'LES REYNARD' CORNAS 2015	395

SOUTHERN RHÔNE

30583	CHÂTEAU RAYAS CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE 2000	1691
30321	DOMAINE DU PEGAU CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE 2014	185
30608	DOMAINE DU VIEUX TÉLÉGRAPHE 'LA CRAU' CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE 2015	233

VARIOUS REGIONS

30733	DOMAINE JAMET COLLINES RHODANIENNES, RHONE VALLEY 2016	98
30630	DOMAINE ROSTAING <i>LE VASSAL</i> COTEAUX-DU-LANUEDOC, FRANCE 2013	85

SPAIN

SPAIN IS A REGION THAT HAS BEEN MAKING WINE THROUGHOUT IT'S HISTORY BUT HAS RELATIVELY RECENTLY STEPPED UP THEIR GAME AND ARE PRODUCING WORLD CLASS WINES ALL OVER THE COUNTRY. ALTHOUGH A LOT OF SPAIN IS ROOTED IN TRADITIONAL WINEMAKING THERE IS A NEW WAVE OF MODERN PRODUCERS PUSHING THE ENVELOPE FOR EXCITING STYLES. SPAIN MAY BE MANY THINGS, BUT ONE THING IT WILL NEVER BE IS BORING.

RIOJA

30054	BODEGAS RODA <i>CIRSION</i> 2010	681
30495	CVNE <i>IMPERIAL GRAN RESERVA</i> 2010	215
30383	BODEGAS HERMANOS PECIÑA <i>SEÑORIO DE PECIÑA RESERVA</i> 2011	95
30470	TELMO RODRIGUEZ 'LAS BEATAS VINEYARD' 2012	413

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23608	ALVARO PALACIOS <i>L'ERMITA</i> 2005	1425
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VARIOUS SPAIN

23605	DESCENDIENTES DE JOSE PALACIOS <i>PETALOS BIERZO, SPAIN</i> 2016	64
30822	DESCENDIENTES DE JOSE PALACIOS 'CORULLON' BIERZO, SPAIN 2016	137
30148	BODEGAS NUMANTHIA 'TERMANTHIA' TORO 2012	452
30587	VEGA SICILIA <i>UNICO RIBERA DEL DUERO</i> 2006	947
29858	VEGA SICILIA <i>VALBUENA 5° RIBERA DEL DUERO</i> 2009	556

ITALY

ITALY, THE ONLY COUNTRY WHERE WINE IS A NEEDED STAPLE JUST LIKE FOOD. THERE'S ALWAYS A DESIGNATED PLACE AT AN ITALIAN DINNER TABLE FOR WINE, AND THE CHARACTER OF THESE WINES REFLECTS IT. THIS IS ALL THAT IS COMMON WITH ITALIAN WINES AS THERE IS A MASSIVE NUMBER OF DIFFERENT REGIONS AND STYLES OF WINES BEING PRODUCED. FROM THE POWERFUL WINES OF THE NORTHERN PIEDMONT TO THE COMPLEX VOLCANIC HILLSIDES OF THE SOUTHERN ISLAND OF SICILY, THE WINES MAY BE VASTLY DIFFERENT IN STYLE, BUT THEY ARE ALL INCREDIBLE IN QUALITY.

PIEDMONT

30670	ALDO CONTERNO <i>BAROLO</i> 2013	276
30487	CAVALLOTTO 'VIGNA SAN GIUSEPPE' <i>RISERVA</i> BRICCO BOSCHIS, CASTIGLIONE FALLETO, <i>BAROLO</i> 2011	294
30123	CIGLIUTI 'SERRABOELLA' NEIVE, <i>BARBARESCO</i> 2012	216
30766	CORDERO DI MONTEZEMOLO <i>MONFALLETTO</i> LA MORRA, <i>BAROLO</i> 2014	221
30742	FONTANAFREDDA 'VIGNA LA DELIZIA' LAZZARITO, SERRALUNGA D'ALBA, <i>BAROLO</i> 1982	771
30802	FRATELLI BROVIA <i>UNIO</i> <i>BAROLO</i> 2014	204
30488	DOMENICO CLERICO <i>PERCRISTINA</i> MOSCONI, MONFORTE D'ALBA, <i>BAROLO</i> 2006	348
30753	ODDERO <i>BAROLO</i> 2000	195
30694	FRANCESCO RINALDI 'CANNUBI' <i>BAROLO</i> 2012	197
30523	GIUSEPPE RINALDI 'BRUNATE' LA MORRA, <i>BAROLO</i> 1994	487
29957	VIETTI 'VIGNA VECCHIA - SCARRONE' CASTIGLIONE FALLETO, BARBERA D'ALBA 2016	135

ITALY

TUSCANY

25022	BIONDI-SANTI BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO 2012	385
30151	CASTELLO DI AMA <i>L'APPARITA SUPER TUSCAN</i> TOSCANA ROSSO 2014	420
30012	CASTELLO DI AMA SAN LORENZO CHIANTI CLASSICO GRAN SELEZIONE 2014	135
30623	CIACCI PICCOLOMINI D'ARAGONA BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO 2014	174
30754	FONTODI <i>FLACCIANELLO DELLA PIEVE SUPER TUSCAN</i> TOSCANA ROSSO 2007	388
30484	ISOLE Y OLENA <i>CEPPARELLO SUPER TUSCAN</i> TOSCANA ROSSO 2015	225
23521	ORNELLAIA MASSETO <i>SUPER TUSCAN</i> TOSCANA ROSSO 2010	1357
30716	ORNELLAIA MASSETO <i>SUPER TUSCAN</i> TOSCANA ROSSO 2015	1540
29414	TENUTA SAN GUIDO SASSICAIA BOLGHERI SASSICAIA 2015	522
4317	TENUTA SAN GUIDO SASSICAIA BOLGHERI SASSICAIA 2016	627
30524	TERRENO CHIANTI CLASSICO RISERVA 1997	117
30526	VALDICAVA MADONNA DEL PIANO BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO RISERVA 2010	726
30525	VALDICAVA BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO 2013	339

VARIOUS ITALY

30747	BALGERA VALTELLINA SUPERIORE, LOMBARDY 2005	135
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MERLOT

NAPA VALLEY

30183	DUCKHORN 2016	153
30156	EHLER'S ESTATE NAPA VALLEY, CALIFORNIA 2014	146
29349	PLUMPJACK OAKVILLE, CALIFORNIA 2016	165

NEW WORLD

30521	HICKINBOTHAM 'CLARENDON' <i>THE REVIVALIST</i> MCLAREN VALE, AUSTRALIA 2013	115
5653	PRIDE MOUNTAIN NORTH COAST, CALIFORNIA 2016	175
30031	SEVEN HILLS 'SEVEN HILLS VINEYARD' WALLA WALLA VALLEY, COLUMBIA VALLEY, WASHINGTON 2014	108

BORDEAUX

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LEFT BANK

30819	CHÂTEAU BRANE-CANTENAC 2ND GROWTH MARGAUX 2015	307
30506	CHÂTEAU CHASSE SPLEEN FORMER CRUS BOURGEOIS EXCEPTIONNEL MOULIS 1985	416
30618	CHÂTEAU LYNCH-BAGES 5TH GROWTH PAUILLAC 2009	568
30149	CHÂTEAU MOUTON-ROTHSCHILD 1ST GROWTH PAUILLAC 2005	2547
30617	CHÂTEAU ORMES DE PEZ FORMER CRUS BOURGEOIS EXCEPTIONNEL ST.-ESTEPHE 2009	215
30465	CHÂTEAU PALMER 3RD GROWTH MARGAUX 2005	782
25229	CHÂTEAU PAPE-CLÉMENT CRU CLASSÉ PESSAC-LEOGNAN 2006	441
30216	CHÂTEAU POUJEAUX FORMER CRUS BOURGEOIS EXCEPTIONNEL MOULIS-EN-MÉDOC 2010	176
30764	CHÂTEAU PRIEURE-LICHINE 4TH GROWTH MARGAUX 2012	224
30820	CHÂTEAU PRIEURE-LICHINE 4TH GROWTH MARGAUX 2015	232
30612	CHÂTEAU SOCIANDO-MALLET HAUT-MÉDOC 1982	555
30504	CHÂTEAU SOCIANDO-MALLET HAUT-MÉDOC 1985	348
30611	CHÂTEAU SOCIANDO-MALLET HAUT-MÉDOC 1986	461
30584	CHÂTEAU SOCIANDO-MALLET HAUT-MÉDOC 1995	241
30145	CHÂTEAU SOCIANDO-MALLET HAUT-MÉDOC 2009	167
30503	CHÂTEAU SOCIANDO-MALLET HAUT-MÉDOC 2010	171
30339	CHÂTEAU SOCIANDO-MALLET HAUT-MÉDOC 2012	130
30507	DOMAINE DE CHEVALIER CRU CLASSÉ PESSAC-LEOGNAN 1988	329
30798	SÉGLA MARGAUX 2012	198

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RIGHT BANK

24370	CHÂTEAU AUSONE <i>PREMIER GRAND CRU CLASSÉ "A"</i> ST.-ÉMILION 2005	4208
30466	CHÂTEAU CANON-LA-GAFFELIERE <i>PREMIER GRAND CRU CLASSÉ "B"</i> ST.-ÉMILION 2009	312
30501	CHÂTEAU SAINT-ANDRE CORBIN ST.-GEORGES-SAINT-ÉMILION 2016	85

CABERNET SAUVIGNON & BLENDS - NEW WORLD

NAPA VALLEY

23205	ABREU 'THOREVILOS' 2000	768
29818	ARAUJO <i>ALTAGRACIA</i> 2012	418
23206	ARAUJO 'EISELE' 1991	1308
29819	ARAUJO 'EISELE' 2011	1140
29922	ARAUJO 'EISELE' 2012	1200
30468	ARIETTA <i>COOMBSVILLE</i> 2013	265
30550	BEAULIEU VINEYARDS <i>PRIVATE RESERVE GEORGES DE LATOUR</i> 2012	354
23211	BLANKIET ESTATE 'PARADISE HILLS' 2002	554
30060	CADE <i>ESTATE</i> HOWELL MOUNTAIN 2016	256
24256	CADE <i>RESERVE</i> HOWELL MOUNTAIN 2014	465
30720	CADE <i>RESERVE</i> HOWELL MOUNTAIN 2015	525
30167	CHAPPELLET 2016	169
29383	CORISON 2014	245
30063	DANA ESTATES <i>ONDA</i> 2012	462
30756	DIAMOND CREEK 'GRAVELLY MEADOW' DIAMOND MOUNTAIN DISTRICT 2016	551
30365	FREEMARK ABBEY 2014	125
29869	GRACE FAMILY VINEYARDS <i>ST. HELENA</i> 2010	734
30792	HARLAN ESTATE 2015	2250
30150	HEITZ 2014	159
30342	HEITZ 'MARTHA'S VINEYARD' OAKVILLE 1989	861
30363	HEITZ 'MARTHA'S VINEYARD' OAKVILLE 1997	795
23273	HEITZ 'MARTHA'S VINEYARD' OAKVILLE 2005	433
29822	INGLENOOK <i>RUBICON</i> RUTHERFORD 2012	414
30539	INGLENOOK <i>RUBICON</i> RUTHERFORD 2013	399
30702	INGLENOOK RUTHERFORD 2014	156
20197	ITALICS <i>ESTATE</i> COOMBSVILLE 2014	240

CABERNET SAUVIGNON & BLENDS - NEW WORLD

NAPA VALLEY (CONTINUED)

18951	LAPONZA 2010	261
30545	LAPONZA 2013	251
30236	LOKOYA HOWELL MOUNTAIN 2010	685
30098	LOKOYA HOWELL MOUNTAIN 2014	647
30371	MATTHEW WALLACE STAGS LEAP DISTRICT 2015	225
30275	MEMENTO MORI 2013	485
30795	MEMENTO MORI 2016	570
29940	MT. BRAVE MOUNT VEEDER 2015	200
5410	OPUS ONE OAKVILLE 2015	699
20207	O'SHAUGHNESSY HOWELL MOUNTAIN 2015	272
30702	PILCROW 'PYM RAE' MOUNT VEEDER 2015	233
30758	PLUMPJACK ESTATE OAKVILLE 2016	425
30793	REALM CELLARS MOONRACER STAGS LEAP DISTRICT 2015	925
30794	REALM CELLARS MOONRACER STAGS LEAP DISTRICT 2016	945
24950	RIVERS-MARIE 2016	238
30462	RIVERS-MARIE CALISTOGA 2015	343
30573	SCARECROW RUTHERFORD 2016	970
30731	SCARLETT RESERVE 'MCGAH VINEYARD' RUTHERFORD 2016	375
30531	SCHRADER 'CCS - BECKSTOFFER TO KALON' OAKVILLE 2009	795
30532	SCHRADER 'RBS - BECKSTOFFER TO KALON' OAKVILLE 2015	766
30464	SHAHER HILLSIDE SELECT STAGS LEAP DISTRICT 2014	695
29767	SPOTTSWOODE ST HELENA 2012	495
30378	SPOTTSWOODE ST HELENA 2013	512
30807	VINE HILL RANCH 2015	390

CABERNET SAUVIGNON & BLENDS - NEW WORLD

WASHINGTON

30577	QUILCEDA CREEK COLUMBIA VALLEY 2015	570
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NEW WORLD

30571	AO YUN YUNNAN PROVINCE, CHINA 2013	630
30767	DAOU VINEYARDS <i>RESERVE</i> PASO ROBLES, CALIFORNIA 2016	125
30520	HICKINBOTHAM 'CLARENDON' <i>TRUEMAN</i> MCLAREN VALE, AUSTRALIA 2015	99
30463	KAMEN <i>ESTATE</i> MOON MOUNTAIN DISTRICT, SONOMA, CALIFORNIA 2014	245
29294	RIDGE 'MONTE BELLO' SANTA CRUZ MOUNTAINS, CALIFORNIA 2004	490
29461	RIDGE 'MONTE BELLO' SANTA CRUZ MOUNTAINS, CALIFORNIA 2005	525
30442	RIDGE 'MONTE BELLO' SANTA CRUZ MOUNTAINS, CALIFORNIA 2014	385
30661	RIDGE 'MONTE BELLO' SANTA CRUZ MOUNTAINS, CALIFORNIA 2015	395
30071	VIK MILLAHUE, CACHAPOAL, CENTRAL VALLEY, CHILE 2011	315