La Ruelle

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Champagne & Sparkling Wine

Champagne Louis Roederer Collection 243, 12.5%vol. Harvest 2018 €135.00

The number 243 represents the House's 243rd blend since its creation. Collection 243 by Louis Roederer is a champagne made from the 2018 vintage to which 10% of oak-aged reserve wines (2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017) and 31% from the 'Perpetual Reserve' (2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017) were added.

26% of the blend undergoes malolactic fermentation. Collection 243 was aged for 3 to 4 years in the cellar. Its dosage is 8 g/litre.

This brilliant champagne reveals a beautiful golden hue with shimmering reflections. The effervescence is fine and persistent.

The full and fresh nose blends fragrances of mirabelle plum and lemon pie with delicious notes of jasmine. When aerated, delectable smoky and subtle notes of toasted pastries emerge.

The dense and structured palate seduces with its power and balance. A refreshing salinity sustains a smooth texture. Throughout the tasting, the palate harmoniously blends the liveliness and complexity of the 'Perpetual Reserve' with the delicate woody expression conferred by the time spent in oak barrels.

Blanquette de Limoux Cuvée Réserve Antech Brut Millésimé 2019 €70.00

Blanquette de Limoux was being made by the monks of St-Hilaire back in 1531 (long before champagne ...) The Antech Réserve Brut is a blend of 90% Mauzac, 5% Chardonnay and 5% Chenin from 20- to 40-year-old vines grown on clay-limestone hillside terraces and slopes buffeted by marine winds.

The grapes are hand-picked, pressed immediately in a pneumatic press and then fermented in temperature-controlled stainless steel. Secondary fermentation is in bottle and the wine ages on lees for 18 months. Dosage is 8–10 g/l and it clocks in at 12% abv.

'This is rather gorgeous. It curves, light as a feather, round the tongue and purrs like a cat. Crisp green apples, candied lemon peel and a dab of sherbet sparkle bright as crystal over a base of sugared almonds. Don't even begin to compare this with champagne or any traditional sparkling wine — it's in a different category altogether and needs to be judged as such. This is quite a special Blanquette.'

Prosecco Spumente, Serrena 1881, Extra Dry, D.O.C Treviso, 11%vol. €55.00

Straw yellow in colour with slight greenish reflections, it has a lively perlage with hints of white flowers, green apple, touches of pear and good minerality. On the palate it is fresh, intense and enveloping, with good fruity returns and a finish of medium persistence.

Cava Villa Conchi Brut Selección D.O Penedes Catalonia Spain, 11.5%vol. €50.00

100% Xarello. Fresh & zesty, good intensity with fruit aromas and toasted nuances. Pleasant and warm on the palate with a long finish.

Irish Whiskey:

Telling, Small Batch, Dublin €7.00 Yellow Spot, Mitchell & Son, Single Pot Still Irish Whiskey €12.00 Tyrconnell, Single Malt 16 years old €15.00 Knappogue Castle, Single Malt, 21 years old €25.00

Gins: Glendalough €7.00 **Gunpowder €8.00 **Ha'Penny €8.00 **Hendricks €8.00

Liqueurs €7 Amaretto, Bailey's, Limoncello, Tia Maria, Sambuca, Mint **Liqueurs** €8 Benedictine, Cointreau, Campari, Drambuie, Grand Marnier, Grappa

All Spirits/Liquors are served in 35.5ml measures.
Ports/Sherries/Sweet Wines 71ml.
Champagne/Sparkling 125ml.



Sweet Wine, Liquors & Ports

Muscat de Beaumes de Venise, Domaine de Fenouillet, 15%vol Gls. €10

Muscat petit grain. This cuvée offers a clear golden colour with silver glints, a very complex nose combining citrus notes to white fruit and white flowers aromas. The mouth is round and fresh and echoes the aromatic complexity of the nose.

Antique Pedro Ximenez, Bodegas Rey Fernando De Castilla, Glass €14

Contains all the drama and intensity you would expect from a 20 year old plus, 500g/l sugar PX, and you can drink it too. There is coffee, liquorice, sweet tobacco, prunes, figs, raisins, tea and a dozen other fleeting scents with a surprising lightness and delicacy. Just Incredible...

Classic Dry Fino, Bodegas Fernando De Castilla, Glass €6

Pale in colour with just a hint of straw yellow at the rim. Powerful and acute on the nose, yet aromatic, intriguing and inviting. Sensuously textured rather than brittle, absolutely bone dry, aristocratic and very poised. Its profile is perfectly seamless right until the finish where fascinating savoury, nutty, ripples conjure some charming, subtle and elusive final flavours.

Armagnac Darroze Grand Assemblages, 8 years old, Glass €10

Marc Darroze has created this new range, using his huge family stocks of hand selected Bas Armagnacs, with vinatges dating back over 100 years. The 8 years old has only a little touch of oak and the fruit expression, quince, black prune and orange zest is quite pure and present.

Armagnac Delord, 25 years old, Lannepax, Gers, Glass €15

Elegant on the nose with peppery notes and spices, it is in the mouth that the 25 years old unveil all of its complexity: cocoa, spices (pepper), mellow tannin, vanilla

Calvados Château du Breuil, Réserve 8 years old, Glass €8

Slowly aged in oak cask for at least 8 years, light and fruity, with bouquet of walnut, almond and vanilla. Silver Medal and Best in Class International Wine & Spirit Competition London 2008-2012-2013

Cognac Pale & Dry XO Delamain, Glass €12

Founded in 1759 by Irishman, James Delamain, the aim of this house is to offer great Cognac in the purest expression of the original terroir. Today it is run by direct descendants, Patrick Peyrelangueard and Charles Braastad. Flowery and dry. This Cognac has reached an age where a brandy reveals the fullness of its flowery notes. Mellow, round, intensely fruity with lingering aftertaste of vanilla.

Dow's Late Bottled Vintage 2016 Glass €10

Deep ruby colour with upfront aromas of black plums, spice and dried herbs. Firm and evident tannins and rich, long finish.

Dow's Tawny 20 Year Old Glass €14

Classic spicy and raisined nose with hints of buttery toffee. Lovely perfumed and harmonious mid palate of ripe black cherry fruit and lavender with broad nutty finish.

Dow's Vintage 2000 Glass €30

Excellent ruby colour, with rich and complex aromas of mature berry fruit and hints of spices. On the palate good fruit flavours, full bodied, excellent round tannins and lingering finish.



Bordeaux

Château Darzac, Bordeaux Superieur, 13.5%vol. 2019 €35.00

76% Merlot, 11% Cabernet Sauvignon, 13% Cabernet Franc

Chateau Darzac has been in the Barthe family for 220 years, and together with the land and buildings, a deep natural passion for wine growing has been passed from generation to generation. Claude, the father of the actual owners, is at the age of 75, still active as winemaking consultant. In 1996 his sons Stéphane and Alain took over the running of the property and has been hugely successful and happy in carrying on the family tradition.

Deep red ruby colour, this wine opens up to sumptuous aromas of jammy red fruit and offers a velvety palette of ripe berries, lifted by well integrated tannins. The mouthfeel is rich with a long finish.

Château Cantenac, Selection Madame, Saint-Emilion Grand Cru, 14% vol. 2019 €65.00

95% Merlot, 5% Cabernet. Aromas of blackberries, dark cherries, walnuts, dried porcini, charred bark and roasted espresso. It's medium-bodied with silky tanins and a juicy palate. Flavorful, savory finish.

Château Ferrand, 13%vol. Pomerol, 2014 €100.00

60% Merlot, 40% Cabernet Franc Aged 18 months in French oak barrel.

Château Ferrand lies on the southern end of the Pomerol plateau, known for its sandy terroir and smooth, rounder style wines. The property has belonged to the Gasparoux family since 1934. Well-managed and meticulously maintained, Ferrand offers something hard to find in Pomerol: a consistent, reliable wine ready to drink young. Very well balanced with a nice ruby colour, black fruit concentration, soft mouth feels and persistent long finish.

Château Laroque, Margaux, 13%vol. 2014 €75.00

65% Cabernet Sauvignon, 25% Merlot, 8% Cabernet Franc, and 2% Petit Verdot. Family own business and Second wine from Chateau Le Coteau Cru Bourgeois, Château Laroque grows grapes on just 2.5 hectares in the appellation of Margaux. The vines are an average of 35 years old and sit on gravel and clay-limestone soil. No pesticide used, hand harvested. Crushed blackberries, sweet red cherry, plum, moka and chocolate notes on the nose and palate. Aged 12 to 16 months in French oak barrel.

Château Siran, Cru Bourgeois Exceptionnel, Margaux, 14%vol. 2010 €140.00

43 % Cabernet Sauvignon, 46 % Merlot, 11 % Petit Verdot. Aged 16 months in French oak barrel. Packed with flavours of cocoa, espresso, bay leaf, roasted mesquite, plum and black currant preserves. The fruit structure is well-embedded, offering a tug of earth at the very end and leaving a mouth watering impression with long finish. Will aged effortlessly for the next two decades.

Closerie de Seneilhan, Listrac-Medoc, 13.5%vol. 2016 €45.00

65% Cabernet Sauvignon 35% Merlot. Aged 12 months in French oak barrel.

Coureau familly, château owner in Bordeaux since 1871

Beautiful ruby color, brilliant wine, fairly deep, saffron reflections that give the color a certain maturity. Nose open, round and nice with some notes of gingerbread, apricots. Silky attack, fine body, elegant of a beautiful power. The tannins have been refined and give the finish certain sweetness. A graceful wine with a beautiful expression that affirms its origin.

Château Begadan, Cru Bourgeois, Médoc, 13%vol. 2018 €45.00

60% Cabernet Sauvignon, 40% Merlot. Deep dark red in colour. Dry and full bodied with a velvety texture. Cherry and dark berry flavour with hints of vanilla, tobacco and chocolate. Rich long tannins. Bright ruby in appearance. On the nose, fresh aromas of red strawberry, black plums, vanilla bean, black raspberry, and graphite. A perfect food wine, this full-bodied red has well-integrated tannins and a juicy core of acidity with a pleasant, lingering finish.



Bordeaux

Château Clarke, Cru Bourgeois, B.de Rothchild, Listrac-Medoc, 14%vol. 2014 €95.00

80% Merlot 20% Cabernet Sauvignon. Aged 12 months in French oak barrel. Pure, deep crimson. Very fresh fruit on the nose. Classic energetic Médoc. Quite racy and medium bodied. Medium weight and subtlety; in a line-up of Cru Bourgeois this would be one of the best. Jancis Robinson.

Owned by Baron Edmond de Rothschild and now his son Benjamin Rothschild, Chateau Clarke is a top quality property in the middle of the Listrac-Medoc region of the left bank. The name of the Chateau is from it's first owner Tobie Clarke of Irish origin. It was replanted and renovated by the Rothschild to predominately Merlot vines (which is atypical for a left bank property).

This property also over looks Chateau Malmaison (owned by the Baron's wife).

As one of the wealthiest Rothschild in the family and part owner of Chateau Lafite-Rothschild, Edmond saw something special at Chateau Clarke and dedicated many years at modernizing the property. The facilities today are up to date and well kept. The Baron's final resting place is also at the Chateau.

Château Chasse Spleen, Cru Bourgeois Exceptionnel, Moulis en Medoc, 13% vol. 2011 €130.00

65% Cabernet Sauvignon, 30% Merlot and 5% Petit Verdot. It is matured in oak barriques (40% new) for 18 months and is bottled unfiltered.

Chasse-Spleen wines are typically deeply-coloured and full-bodied on the palate, displaying oodles of ripe, black fruit, minerals and sometimes hints of chocolate.

Château Chasse Spleen produces rich wines, powerful and robust. The colour is deep, the nose aromas of red fruits and cassis with hints of cocoa and oak, the palate offers elegant tannins.

La Réserve de Léoville Barton, Saint-Julien, 13%vol. 2014 €120.00

78% Cabernet Sauvignon 17% Merlot 5% Cabernet Franc. Aged 18 months in French Oak Barrel. A great second wine for its finesse, its depth, its discreet greediness. Opulent and generous, with a fruit that flows from the glass and a very mature side, this wine is very seductive.

Classic in its definition of texture, modern in its complexity, density and intense pleasure.

This is regularly one of Bordeaux best 'second wines' and is produced from younger vines from both Léoville and Langoa Barton. Elegant and concentrated with lovely fruit and well balanced tannins, this classic St Julien style offers value for the true claret connoisseur.

Château Langoa Barton, St-Julien 3ème Cru Classé, 13% vol. 2008 €210.00

67% Cabernet Sauvignon, 27% Merlot, 6% Cabernet Franc. Aged 18 months in French oak barrel. Deeply-coloured, still young. Focused, profound nose recalling cassis, black fruits, coffee, graphite and a hint of spice. Lovely presence, dense, fine texture, lingering freshness, elegant oak and silky tannins. A superlative wine still full of promise.

Château Léoville Barton, St-Julien 2ème Cru Classé, 13% vol. 2008 €295.00

72% Cabernet Sauvignon, 20% Merlot, 8% Cabernet Franc.

Aged 18 months in French Oak Barrel (50% new)

Léoville Barton is tannic and austere in youth but with time develops the classic cedary character that is the hallmark of St. Julien, along with intensely pure blackcurrant and cassis fruit notes. Léoville Barton's wines are made for extended cellaring and tend to show at their best with 10-15 years of bottle ageing.

Château Lynch Bages, Pauillac 5ème Cru Classé, 13%vol. 2006 €570.00

80% Cabernet Sauvignon/10% Merlot/10% Cabernet Franc. Aged 18 months in French oak barrel. A classic mature vintage: the nose offers an attractive interplay between deep buttery black fruits, some cedar and graphite notes and a cool, minty Cabernet character. Plenty of structure with backward, muscular personality; beautiful fruit on the attack and alluring purity and nicely textured mouthfeel; full bodied finish.



Bourgogne

Pouilly Fuissé, Domaine Thierry Drouin, 13%vol. 2019 €55.00

Brilliant pale gold colour, this new cuvée reveals a nose of white flowers, white flesh fruits like peach, fresh almond and mineral notes. The mouth is lively and intense with citrus notes and a long mineral finish.

Chablis, William Fèvre, 12.5%vol. 2018 €85.00

Pale gold with hints of green; refined bouquet of citrus and white flowers entwined with a light mineral touch. Fresh, rich mouth balanced by good freshness.

Meursault, Les Clous, Domaine Bouchard Père & Fils, 13%vol. 2018 €150.00

This exceptional village Meursault is sourced mainly from the lieu-dit of Les Clous. Intense bouquet of fruit and flowers. This wine is both subtle and very lively.

Chassagne Montrachet 1er Cru, Les Macherelles, 13%vol. 2017 €185.00

The nose is rather exuberant with some peach, mandarin and spring flower. Aromas of pear, citrus fruits with hints of honey and spice, full-bodied, supple and satiny palate, its ample core of succulent fruit underpinned by great acidity and long finish.

Nuits Saint-Georges, Bouchard Père & Fils, 12.5%vol. 2013 €130.00

One of the best known appellations in Burgundy. An excellent well-structured wine with a prominent nose, plump and very stylish.

Gevrey Chambertin, Bouchard Père & Fils, 12.5%vol. 2013 €130.00

Intense perfumed bouquet with fruit aromas and plenty of charm. Nice structure and lovely fleshiness.

Volnay 1er Cru Les Caillerets, Bouchard Père & Fils, 12.5%vol. 2014 €320.00

Exquisite fruit and spice aromas. On the palate, perfect harmony between structure and elegance. Rich complex and voluptuous. The Caillerets parcel is one of Volnay's best 1er Crus.

Beaune Grèves, Vigne de l'Enfant Jesus, Bouchard Père & Fils, 14%vol. 2019 €340.00

Intense, full and yet delicate on the palate, superbe fruit and spice aromas with an oaky note on a long finish.

Beaujolais

Fleurie, "Le Vivier" Vieilles Vignes, Domaine Lardy 13%vol. 2019 €70.00

A lovely concentration of fruit deriving from over 100 years old vines. Attractive red berries fruits on the nose follow through to an elegant rich structured finish.

Moulin à Vent, Vieilles Vignes, 13%vol. Domaine Lardy 2016 €70.00

An enticing nose of ripe summer fruits and spice is followed by a rich elegant mouthfeel and well balanced tannins, made from 45 years old vigne.



Côtes du Rhône

Côtes Rotie, J. Denuziere, 12.5%vol. 2010 €120.00

Manual harvest in small boxes, the grapes are partly destemmed in the cellar on arrival, then crushed and transferred into vats. Fermentation takes three to five weeks to complete, daily punch down and bâtonnage, malolactic fermentation is done in 225, 300 and 600 liters oak barrels, aged for fifteen to eighteen months. Colour, Dark with purple hues. Elegant and complex nose with ripe blackcurrant, violet, spices and notes of roasted coffee beans. Palate is opulent and delicate at once, with fine tannins and fresh acidity. Layered and rich with great length.

Saint Joseph, J. Denuziere, Septentrionales, 12.5%vol. 2018 €60.00

Hand picked and partly destemmed in the cellar, fermented in stainless steel tanks and open wooden vats for three to five weeks. Tradional methods are used such as bare feet cap-punching to obtain a more delicate extraction. Aged for twelve months on fine lees in tanks and 1 to 3 years old oak barrels.

Colour, Dark cherry with purple reflections. Nose, rich aromas with ripe fruits, cocoa and toast. Palate, opulent and silky at the same time, well integrated, hamonious with a hint of spice.

Crozes-Hermitage, J. Denuziere, Septentrionales 13%vol 2018 €60.00

This 100% Syrah, harvested by hand, is sorted and then destemmed.

Crozes-Hermitage presents a dark red color, almost black with ruby undertones. The nose is fruity, with notes of blackcurrant, blackberry and plums, and spicy (white pepper). The palate is full-bodied, fruity, generous with a beautiful freshness. Its juicy palate, with this sensation of grape skin slightly wet by the morning dew, charms with its notes of black berries associated with spicy, slightly smoky notes and its velvety texture supported by silky tannins

Gigondas, Les Seigneurs de Montrevel, 13%vol 2016 €60.00

Grenache, Syrah, Mourvedre. Gigondas is located in the Vaucluse department, noth-east of Avignon, at the foot of the Dentelles de Montmirail massif.

Intense aromatics of raspberry, liquorice, cherry, tobacco and orange peel flavors, the body is medium in weight with soft tannins.

*Vacqueyras, Domaine des Ondines, 14%vol. 2017 €55.00

Organic Grenache, Syrah. Maturation in barrels for approximately six months.

On the nose cherry, blackcurrant and red fruits, pepper, orange blossom and Jasmin.

Very appealing colour, deep and bright carmine red. On the nose complex aromas of fleshy red fruits with a touch of liquorice. Palate is round and full, soft tannins, wheat spice and vanilla bean aromas with a long finish.

Châteauneuf du Pape, La Cour des Papes, 14.5%vol. 2017 €80.00

Grenache Syrah and Mourvedre Selected from parcels in the appellation's four main terroirs - red sandstone, sand, limestone and rolled drift pebbles. Ageing in barrels having previously contained one or two wines Medium-toast French oak Maturation in unlabelled bottles. A very appealing, intense, deep and brilliant red in colour Complex nose reminiscent of red fruit, leather, liquorice and spices

Clean, mouth-filling and immediately unctuous impact. Presence of soft tannins. A lingering, aromatic finish



Sud & Sud-Ouest of France

*Pécharmant, Domaine des Costes, Cuvée Fût, Bergerac, 13.5%vol 2014 €50.00

33% Carbernet Sauvignon, 33% Merlot, 33% Cabernet Franc

An elegant wine with well balanced tannins developing blackcurrant, tobacco and cedar wood flavours. Aged in French Aok this wine is complex enough to stand up in any line up of candidates from Bordeaux.

*Fitou, Château de Montmal, Lorgeril, Domaine de Mont Thau, 14.5%vol. 2020 €35.00

Carignan, Syrah, Grenache blend. Complex nose. Ripe fruits, cassis, prune and black cherry, kirsch, brambly black fruits aromas that lead to a full-bodied palate of blackberries and black cherries layered with savory herbs, tobacco, and cocoa dust. Subltle guarrigue with a slight black pepper and a touch of liquorice. Full and generous structure, well balanced and strong intensity with fine tanins and a long finish.

Aged in new French oak for 12 months in order to add weight and depth.

Château de Ciffre, Domaine de Lorgeril, Saint-Chinian, 14%vol. 2019 €39.00

60% Syrah, 40% Old Vine Grenache

Dark garnet colour, powerful, intense nose, dominated by stewed black fruits adds complexity and structure to the nose with toffee and bergamot, notes of roasting cocoa, supported by a dash of pepper. Ample, fleshy mouth, very ripe and soft tannins, fresh with very long finish.

The grenache gives strong and smooth tannin. Lasting flavour and long finish.

Esprit de Pennautier, Comte Nicolas de Lorgeril, Cabardes 14.5%vol. 2017 €68.00

50% Merlot, 10% Cabernet Sauvignon, 40% Syrah

Bright and clear red ruby colour. Complex and powerful nose with black berry fruits, truffle, coriander and a hint of pepper with note of tobacco, nutmeg, pepper, leather, and vanilla. A touch of sweet spices and wood. Harmonious balanced on the palate with cooked fruit, caramel, and liquorice aromas. Smooth tannins and long-lasting finish. Barrel Ageing: 18 months in new French Oak.

Château D'Angles, La Clape Grand Vin, St-Pierre la Mer, 14.5%vol 2014 €70.00

55% Mourvèdre, 30% Syrah, 10% Grenache, 5% Carignan. Complex bouquet with a blend of ripe red and black fruits, spices, liquorice and tobacco flavours highlighted by the typical minty touch of La Clape. Full-bodied and elegant mouth structured by dense and remarkably silky tannins. Nursed in oak barrels to develop a wonderful aromatic complexity of ripe fruit and spices. Great length endowed with a nice freshness.

Château Montus, Madiran, 15%vol 2010 €95.00

Château Montus is a blend of very low yielding Tannat (80%) with Cabernet Sauvignon, aged in 50% new oak barrels for 14 months. The nose is rich, generous and intensely flavoured. Ripe and deep, the palate shows layers of dark sweet fruit, seeds and cherry stone in a voluminous structure. Surprisingly supple, the tannins are finely polished and lead to a very long and sustained finish. Superb now, but will age effortlessly.

Alsace

*Gewurztraminer, Les Princes Abbés, Domaine Schlumberger, 13%vol 2016 €55.00

Medium Dry, Complex aromas of fruit and spice, full and rich on palate with lovely balance.

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Loire Valley

Pouilly Fumé, La Côte Blanche, Domaine Alain Cailbourdain, 14%vol. 2019 €55.00

100% Sauvignon Blanc. Nose of rose petal and white flowers, gooseberry, tropical fruits and mineral, on the palate aromas are very expressive, tangerine, citrus, passion fruit and flint.

Touraine AOC, Climat No:3, Lionel Gosseaume, 13%vol. 2017 €50.00

Côt, Cabernet Franc. Made from old vines, the grapes are hand harvested as late as possible in order to achieve optimum maturity. The result is simply delicious with black fruits developing and silky tannins.

Menetou Salon, Domaine Dionet, 13%vol. 2018 €45.00

100% Pinot Noir. Ruby Red in color, rich & complex, supple and aromatic, full of ripe cherries and plums. Beautifully rich on the palate, with a candied fruit finish and soft tannins.

Germany

Haus Klosterberg, Riesling (Dry) Markus Molitor, Mosel, 11.5%vol 2020 €50.00

A dry Riesling. A clear nose with aromas reminiscent of ripe fruits in combination with fresh herbs. On the palate notes of stone fruits, powerful slate mineral: animating.

*Trossen Rot, Rita & Rudolf Trossen, Mosel, 10.5%vol 2019 €60.00

A blend of Dornfelder and Pinot Noir producing an elegant style of red wine awash with redcurrant, red cherry and rose. Mid bodied, crunchy, soft and very elegant.

Austria

*Grüner Vetliner Weingut Mallat, Kamptal, 12.5%vol 2022 €46.00

Handpicked selected grapes, soft pressing, temperature controlled fermentation in stainless steel, settling in big wooden barrels (up to 10,000l, NO oak taste) before bottling which allows the wine to clarify itself without filtration. Intense minerality, tobacco and peppery spice on the nose; concentrated, powerful and balanced on the palate with never ending finish. Superb potential for further development

*Zweigelt, Weingut Mallat, Kremstal, Austria, 13%vol 2016 €45.00

Rocky soils and deep loess cover, fertile soils with gravel from the river can be found. Handpicked selected grapes, temperature controlled spontaneous fermentation (without cultivated yeast) and malolactic fermentation in stainless steel, 12 month in 1,500 to 2,500 l wood barrels, bottled without filtration.

Fruity and spicy aromas in the nose, soft and elegant on the palate.

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Italy

Gavi di Gavi, La Chiara, Piemonte, 12.5%vol. DOCG 2021 €47.00

100% Cortese. An explosion of freshness with hints of pear and white flowers. Fresh elegant fruit with evident pear style and well structured.

Villa Antinori Bianco, Tuscany, 12.5%vol. IGT 2022 €43.00

Blend of Pinot Bianco, Trebbiano, Malvasia. Straw yellow with greenish hues. The nose is intense and rafined with notes of orange blossoms that lead over to fruity aromas of pineapples, Golden apples and bananas. The palate is fresh, pleasantly tense, defined by mouth filling flavors and a mineral finish.

Bramito Della Sala, Antinori, 12.5%Vol. IGT Umbria 2022 €60.00

100% Chardonnay. Bright yellow in colour with green hues. Notes of pineapples and crisp Golden apples dominate the nose accompanied by sweet sensation of vanilla. Sapid and mineral in character, the palate has good structure and his sustained by excellent freshness.

Villa Antinori Rosso, Tuscany, 13.5%vol. IGT 2020 €55.00

Blend of Merlot, Syrah, Petit Verdot, Sangiovese. Intense ruby red colour, complexe nose, with red cherries and plums along with berry fruit and mint, well balanced with the sensation of spices and vanilla from the oak barrels. The palate is round and is endowed with supple and velvety tannins as well as a long and savory finish.

*Chianti Classico, Badia a Coltibuono, Tuscany, 13.5%vol. DOCG 2014 €65.00

100% Sangiovese. Intense ruby red, aromas of cherry, tobacco, vanilla, hint of spices violets and leather. Pleasantly lingering dry flavour with well-balanced tannins and good acidity.

Negroamaro, Neprica, Tormaresca, Puglia, 13.5%vol. 2018 €37.00

100% Negroamaro. Ruby red with purple hues. Intense nose of black currants and berries. Medium bodied, velvety with excellent balance between freshness and warmth with a long, savoury finish.

Valpolicella Ripasso Superiore, Zenato, Veneto, 14%vol. DOC 2017 €60.00

Loaded with silky-smooth, sultry dark cherry fruits and dark chocolate, with a lingering rounded finish. Full-bodied and dense - dangerously easy to drink.

Amarone Della Valpolicella Classico, Zenato, Veneto, 16.5%vol. DOCG 2013 €125.00

Deep ruby red, elegant, warm, spicy, with hints of black cherry, dried fruit and prune in particular. Palate is round, velvety and smooth with great structure and complexity. Aged in oak for 36 months.

Barolo Prunotto, Alba, Piedmont, 13.5%vol. DOCG 2014 €110.00

100% Nebiolo. In Monforte, Castiglione Falletto and Serralunga, in marny soil. Intense garnet red. A robust red wine, with very rich scents. Dried flowers, violets, juniper, fruit jam and a lot of spices come out from a dense and well-balanced frame, rich in noble tannins aged in big oak barrels for 24 months plus 12 months in bottle.

Brunello Di Montalcino, Pian Delle Vigne, Antinori, 14.5%vol. 2018 €125.00

100% Sangiovese. Ruby red in color. Complex on the nose with balsamic hints of menthol and cloves that lead over to fruity aromas of cherries, plums, dates, and notes of cinnamon. A soft and balanced entry on the palate is silky smooth, characterized by soft tannins and sustained by exceptional freshness. Flavors linger on the finish with aromas of vanilla and light hints of violets, typical of Sangiovese.



Italy

Tignanello, Marchese Antinori, Toscano, 14%vol. IGT 2015 €280.00

Sangiovese, Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc.

Tignanello is a very intense ruby red in color. On the nose, the notes of ripe red fruit, together with cassis and blackberries, are in perfect balance with the hints of chocolate and liquorice. The palate is rich, ample, and vibrant and is endowed with lively and silky tannins which give a great complexity and an important length to the finish and aftertaste.

Chianti Classico Riserva, Tenuta Marchese Antinori, 14%vol. DOCG 2015 €110.00 Sangiovese.

Marchesi Antinori Chianti Classico Riserva undergoes the same expert hand seen in the fashioning of Tignanello and Solaia, creating a world class wine. After the grapes are harvested they are destemmed and sorted by hand. They are softly pressed to conserve the delicate Sangiovese aromas that are apparent once it reaches the glass; sour cherry and violets. The must is macerated on its skins, with soft techniques to retract the intense flavours and assure elegance. Fermentation takes place for a week, whereon the wine left in contact with the skins for another ten days. After the wine is run off its skins, it is moved to 60-gallon oak barrels, coopered mainly from French oak, where it completes its malacotic fermentation by year end. The wine is then racked, blended and aged in French and Hungarian oak barrels for a year. It is then bottled and given 12 months additional ageing.

Le Motelle, Poggio alle Nane, Maremma Toscana, 14%vol. IGT 2015 €125.00

Cabernet Franc, Cabernet Sauvignon.

An intense rubyred in color, the 2015 Poggio alle Nane is characterized by a complex and elegant bouquet.

The first sensations, those ofvanillaand sweet paprika, are fully integrated into the notes of berryfruit, particularly blackberries, and the hints of Mediterranean herbsand lavender. On the palate, the wine is both structured and silky in texture. The finish, balanced and persistent, offers notes of chocolate, blueberries, and liquorice.

Il Bruciato, Tenuta Guado al Tasso, Bolgheri, 13.5% DOC 2016 €65.00

55% Cabernet Sauvignon, 30% Merlot, 15% Syrah.

The 2016 Bruciato offersan intense rubyred color. On the nose, the aromas of ripe red berryfruit, sweet spices, and alightand fresh minty note are the most prominent sensations. The palate is well structured, persistent, and very pleasurable in its fruityfinish and aftertaste.

Vino Nobile di Montepulciano, La Braccesca, 14%vol. DOCG 2019 €60.00 90% Prugnolo Gentile, 10% Merlot.

An intense ruby red in color, the wine offers fruity aromas with notes of violets and vanilla. The palate is ripe, supple, balanced and with tannins supported by a pleasurable vein of acidity, which brings out the flavors of blackberries and cherries. Persistent and mineral on the finish and aftertaste.

Primitivo Del Salento, Torcicoda, Tormaresca, Puglia, 14.5%vol. IGT 2017 €65.00 100% Primitivo

Rich and complex, the initial impact of raspberry and black cherry fruit is followed by delicate spicy notes of vanilla, cedar, dark chocolate. The palate is subtle and ample creamy attack with ripe wild berries, well balanced acidity, roundness and silky tannins, beautiful length with a pleasantly long finish.



Spain

Verdejo, Bodegas Valdevid, Valladolid, Rueda, 13.5%vol. D.O 2018 €48.00

100% Verdejo. Clean bright yellow colour with a green tinge. Intense aromatics of tropical fruits, juicy pink lady apples and ripe pear. Fresh, elegant and smooth, on the palate with herbaceous notes and a grapefruit finish. The wine is complex with a medium weight in body and a long lingering finish.

Ribera del Duero, Domino de Cair Cuvée, 14%vol. D.O 2019 €50.00

Black cherry color. An intense nose with complex and inviting aromas and shows ripe fruit, preserve and caramel notes. Dairy nuances over a slightly smoky background. Palate: Easy drinking style, silky smooth with sweet, polished tannins. Hints of very ripe red and black fruits, cocoa and vanilla. Ageing: 9 months in 60% French and 40% American oak, with an average of between 1 to 3 years.

Rioja Alavesa, Crianza, Montebuena, 14.5%vol. D.O 2019 €39.00

Ruby tone at the centrewith a dark deep colour and lively edge. Cherry and blackberry jam. The wood, although noticeable, complements the openly fruity character of the wine, adding some cinamoon and toasted vanilla notes to the aroma's finish. The palate is full with potent impression, which support the balance with good acidity and velvety feel. On the finish, it shows a mix of dairy and marinated fruits, body, good complexity, strength and richness. Aging 12 months in barrel plus 12 months in bottle. The ageing take place in barrels made from French and American oak, which are midly toasted so as not to alter the original character and to prolong the ageing process. The wine is racked every 6 months, removed from the barrels and then clarified after 12 months ageing. It is then decanted for 25 days and bottled directly without any type of filtration.

Rioja Alavesa, Réserva, Montebuena, 14.5%vol. D.O 2015 €50.00

100% Tempranillo. A very intense and deep core of dark cherry with a pink edge. Bright and clean. Nose is complex, with good intensity. Against a background of ripe fruit, notes of cocoa, wild berries, smoke and liquor are noted. As it stays in the glass, minerals and balsamics begin to emerge. The wood is well integrated and gives way to the unique characteristics of the wine after aeration, acquiring intensity, but maintaining harmony with all its aromas.

Mouth is full of flavor in attack with a base of wild ripe berries is the main sensation, similar to a mixture of jam, sweets and marinated plums. Light, velvety, with a licorice finish.

*Altos de Losada Reserva, Bierzo Castilla y León, 14.5%vol. D.O 2015 €65.00

100% Mencia Organic, produced from 60 to over 100 Years Old Vine.

The flagship wine produced from 21 small estate parcels, some no more than half a hectare, located on steep hillsides near the villages of upper Valtuille and Pieros, close to the winery. Each vineyard is planted on predominantly clay soils, as Losada believe clay soils give the finest interpretation of the Mencía grape. After the malolactic fermentation, the wine spends 15 months in French oak barrels; it is bottled unfiltered. It shows great complexity and is the wine that best represents Losada's vision for Bierzo and Mencía: elegant, juicy with ripe black and red fruits and a smoky minerality and supple tannins.

Portugal

Vinho Verde, Casal de Ventozela, 12%vol. 2021 €34.00

Loureiro, Avasso, Arinto. Floral, citrus & gentle tropical aromas lead on to a palate with Sherbet lemon acidity, a touch of mango and a bright mineral finish.

Seixo Amarelo, Reserva, Douro Valley, 13.5%vol. Portugal 2020 €35.00

Deep garnet colour. Fresh aroma of red cherries and raspberries with some plum scent in the background; lovely woodland fragrance. Full assertive fruit character on the palate, displaying plummy and damson flavours, wrapped in a coating of peppery tannins, well rounded by the brief barrel ageing and ending on a beautiful dark chocolate note.

Quinta Do Vesuvio, Upper Douro Valley, 14%vol. D.O.C 2008 €120.00

Fresh, floral aromatics; some violet and rose scents with touch of milk chocolate. The palate offers up a silky, opulent richness, redolent of plums and black cherries, peppered with spicy tannins.

La Ruelle

USA

Château Montelena, 'Montelena Estate' Cabernet Sauvignon, 13.8%vol 2013 €375.00

97% Cabernet Sauvignon 1.5% Cabernet Franc, 1.5% Petit Verdot 24 months ageing, 100% French Oak, 30% new

In the glass, the wine displays classic notes of raspberry jam, mocha, and a subtle hint of baking spices. After a few minutes, the bouquet opens to reveal lush aromas of toasty cedar, crème de cassis, and fresh blackberry.

A complex interplay of sweet French oak, subtle earth and a chewy minerality that devoted Montelena fans will instantly recognize. The mid palate is clean and fresh with rhubarb pie, strawberry candy, and just a touch of smoky espresso that become incredibly pronounced with additional time in the glass.

The transition to the finish is seamless, and will only improve with age. Here the refreshing acidity, rounded tannin, and intense fruit vie for the spotlight. Upon release, the soft tannins seem to win out as the dense texture lingers, inviting another sip from the glass.

Château Montelena, Napa Valley, Cabernet Sauvignon, 14.2%vol 2014 €185.00

86% Cabernet Sauvignon 13% Merlot, 1% Cabernet Franc

16 months ageing, French and Eastern European Oak, 27% new

The nose is classic Napa Valley, -lled with juicy blackberries, rich cocoa, and cassis. After a few moments, dried cherry and a touch of tobacco come into focus along with some wispy notes of fresh violets.

Density and concentration sum up the palate nicely as tight-grained tannin is interwoven among layers of fresh raspberry, mint, and hazelnut. ese slowly transition to a subtle richness of molasses and -g that's almost chewy enough to sink your teeth into.

The Finish is seamless and complementary to the palate with strawberry jam, Earl Grey tea, and bright, refreshing acidity that should pair equally well with light fare or hardy cuisine.

Château Montelena, 'Montelena Estate' Zinfandel, Napa Valley, 14.5%vol 2017 €110.00

100% Zinfandel/Primitivo

16 months Ageing, French, Irish, and American Oak, 20% New

In the glass, the nose is dominated by cocoa, tobacco, and dried cherry. e woodsy, briary character of old vine Zinfandel is quite prominent but with time unmasks beautiful notes of lavender, cassis, and fresh mint.

Fresh cranberry, a hallmark of the Primitivo in the blend, mingles with roasted walnut notes and subtle hints of cinnamon and clove. e supple tannins are present throughout and amble between earthiness and minerality.

The transition to the -nish is decidedly old world in style, with dark chocolate, cigar box, and a garrigue character that's rare for American wine.



Chile

Terroir Sonoro, Santa Ximena Farm, Itata Valley, Chile Juan José Ledesma, Musician & Winemaker

Cerruco, Moscatel de Alejandria, Itata Valley, 13%vol 2020 €70.00 Soundtrack:

Greenish yellow, citrus aromas, tangerine, grapefruit, herbal note, lemon grass. Elegant, fresh, exquisite acidity.

Reptiliano, Moscatel de Alejandria, Itata Valley, 12%vol 2019 €85.00 Soundtrack: Reptiliano de Urano

Perfumed and fresh aromas with notes of fragrant orange peel. The palate is dry with a hint of salinity and a refreshing mineral note. Reptiliano is an intriguing and curious orange wine, singular and unique.

Verso Primero, Moscatel de Alejandria Paleolitico, 13%vol 2016 €105.00 Soundrack:

This is a wine with wild aromatics - highly complex with elements of jasmine, tangerine, lemongrass, and a struck match note. On the palate the wine is medium bodied and round with a bit of unctuousness to balance the acidity.

Tinto Nitanto, Bio-Bio Valley, 12%vol 2019 €70.00

A fresh, fun wine, made with the same grapes as the artifact, but with shorter skin maceration and without wood storage or malolactic fermentation, which allows it to maintain its acidity and joviality. The wine is from 50–70-year-old un-grafted bush-head, dry-farmed, organic vines, planted to granitic soils whose roots extend 10 meters in depth! Fermented in stainless steel, this is an easy to drink Tinto with great acidity and freshness.

Tartufo Malbec, Bio-Bio Valley, 12%vol 2015 €80.00

On the palate it is powerful, corpulent, and somewhat rustic.

140 years old plantation of Malbec grapes in a monovarietal, low bush ungrafted and dry farmed vines without any other management than the pruning and mechanical weed control. Granitic soil with a spot of sand and silt in soft hills with east exposure Grapes are handpicked and destemmed in a traditional but improved zaranda that use plastic material instead "colihue wood" sticks over an open tank. The fermentation occurs in a thermos-controlled process, between 16 and 18 Celsius degrees with daily punch down. The wine age in French oak barrels 12 months.

El Perseguidor Malbec Bio-Bio Valley, 2015 €110.00

A deep, layered wine with rich notes of black cherries, violets, tobacco, and spice notes. The palate is round and silky with a touch of natural acidity.

Argentina

The fully certified organic wines of Jean Bousquet are grown at an altitude of 1,200 metres in Tupungato, Mendoza. Committed to producing world class wines, the combination of Old World know-how with the exceptional terroir of Tupungato, results in a range of wines of excellent quality that have been acclaimed by both international press and customers alike,

*Malbec Grand Reserve, Domaine Bousquet, Mendoza, 14.5%vol 2017 €65.00

Opaque violet, almost black, typical of top quality Argentine Malbec. Intense aromas of ripe red berries, plums, blackcurrant, black pepper with notes of candied fruit & marmalade, subtle notes of chocolate, coffee and nuts from the long ageing in French oak. Silky palate and soft round tannins with notes of blackberries, spices, truffles providing aromatic complexity for an exquisite finish.

La Ruelle

Australia

Ottelia Wine Estates, Coonawarra John & Melissa Innes Owners & Winemakers

Sangiovese, Limestone Coast, 13.7%vol 2019 €50.00

Violets, mulberries and red liquorice complemented by fresh fennel and a savoury peppery nasturtium leaf. PALATE: Characteristics of sour cherry and rhubarb with a warming element of earthy spice to finish.

Graciano, Padthaway, 13.8%vol 2020 €50.00

Fragrant notes of cherry and savoury herbs complemented by spicy gingerbread and pepper. PALATE: Medium bodied with luscious palate richness filled with bright cherry and warm baking spices, with a gentle dusty tannin.

Shiraz, Coonawarra, 14.1%vol 2019 €50.00

A lifted nose, floral elements of pot pourri balanced by delicate sandalwood and white pepper spice. PALATE: Elegant with medium bodied weight. Crunchy red plum and fragrant cedar, combined with anise and white pepper.

Cabernet Sauvignon, Coonawarra, 13.6%vol 2016 €55.00

Berry fruits, ripe cherry, dark chocolate and liquorice aromas with some cedar nuance, subtle varietal lift and background French oak. PALATE: Rich, ripe mouth filling cherry, berry and dark chocolate flavours with generous mid palate weight and good length. Fruit and oak tannins are both textural and enhancing.

New Zealand

Sauvignon Blanc, "Collectables" Marlborough, 13%vol 2021 €47.00

A vibrant Sauvignon Blanc with lovely melded aromatic notes of tropical fruits. The smooth, textured palate is concentrated with passionfruit and citrus flavours. Well integrated natural acidity leaves a pure and lengthy finish. Located in Marlborough's premium Rapaura sub region our commitment to organics allow the vineyard's unique characters to be expressed due to less outside influences such as sprays and fertilizers. Depth of flavour and mouthfeel has improved as the vines become more self-sufficient and naturally balanced. Harvested during the cool of night to maintain freshness and flavours. The grapes are de-stemmed and pressed, then slowly fermented in stainless steel at a cool temperature using carefully selected yeast.



Connoisseurs "Bin End Limited Stock"

Château Pichon Longueville, 2ème Grand Cru Classé Pauillac, 13%vol. 1997 €380.00

82% Cabernet Sauvignon, 18% Merlot.

The wine reached 13.2% alcohol and will be aged in 70% new French oak barrels for 18 months. Of course, the percentage of new oak and the time in barrel varies, depending on the character of the vintage.

From yields of only 32 hectoliters per hectare, the Grand Vin represents 40% of the crop. This is the lowest level of production for Pichon Baron in close to 50 years. With a developed nose of cassis, tobacco, black cherry and licorice, the wine features oak that's already integrated into the wine. Soft and round, medium bodied and fresh, this wine has prominent tannins and delicate finish.

Brio de Cantenac Brown, Margaux, 14%vol. 2017 €120.00

69% Cabernet Sauvignon 26% Merlot 5% Cabernet Franc.

The second wine of Château Cantenac Brown is textured and opulent with rich aromas of ripe dark cherry, red plum fruits complemented by notes of mocha, spice,dark chocolate and leather. Full and round, with the red fruit aromas echoed on the palate, the tannins are seamlessly integrated through to a powerful finish. Ageing: 1 year in French oak barrels, 25% new oak barrels, 75% one-year-old oak barrels.

Château Phélan Ségur, Cru Bourgeois Exceptionel, St-Estèphe, 13.5%vol. 2013 €150.00

60% Cabernet Sauvignon, 40% Merlot

Beautiful, intense ruby red colour. Complex nose combining notes of fruit (strawberry, blackcurrant) and barrelageing (vanilla, toast). Very good structure on the palate with tannins that give consistency to the wine and provide a perfect accompaniment to the evolution of the flavours. Acidity brings freshness and strengthens the astringency on the finish. One to two more years will be required to really enjoy this 2013 Phélan Ségur at its best. Plenty of substance in the finish with good tannic and aromatic length.

Château Clos La Gaffelière, Saint-Emilion Grand Cru, 14%vol. 2016 €135.00

The blend is usually a large majority of Merlot, up to 90% and the rest of Cabernet Franc.

Second wine of Château La Gaffelière, Born in 1985, Clos La Gaffelière has his own vat room and cellars. The Clos La Gaffelière Saint-Emilion Grand Cru is a very elegant wine. The wine has a nice fresh red color with fresh red and dark berries in the nose, as well as light mocha and herbs from the Middle East.

The palate has spicy flavours with soft, fine tannins and an attractive full body.

Ageing is done, in large part, in one and two years old barrels.

The work in the plots of Clos is made by the same team of Chateau La Gaffeliere 1er Grand Cru Classé so much pruning (both the grapes and the leaves) and everything is Hand picked by experienced pickers so that a first selection already takes place in the vineyard. The same process is also followed in the Chateau as with the first wine with the difference between that with its big brother that this wine only has one year of new French oak barrels maturing. The wine is already fine to drink but will refine a little over the years.

Château Pavie Macquin, 1er Grand Cru Classé B, St-Emilion Grand Cru, 14%vol. 2004 €240.00

One of the vintage's most impressive offerings, the 2004 Pavie-Macquin is a blend of 75% Merlot, 20% Cabernet Franc, 5% Cabernet Sauvignon from a bio-dynamically farmed vineyard. It offers an ink/purple colour as well as a sumptuous perfume of creosote, blackberries, cassis, incense, and a balsamic character. This full-bodied, rich 2002 is one of the most concentrated wines of the vintagenwith more texture than most. A brilliant effort, it admirably display the high quality of this estate as well as its noble terroir. Another dazzling success from the brilliant winemaking team of Stephane Derenoncourt and Nicolas Thienpont. A wine for true connoisseurs

Margaux de Brane, Margaux, Château Brane-Cantenac, 13%vol. 2016 €120.00

55% Merlot, 45% Cabernet Sauvignon

Third wine of Château Brane-Cantenac, 2nd Grand Cru Classé

Ruby red with purple hues. Black fruits, blackcurrant, dark plum, black chocolate, leather, cedar wood, touch of liquorice. Powerful attack on black fruits and spices, a lot of structure, tannins of a high quality, with long and fruity finish. Ready to drink now and will evolve for the next decade.