



NINE-TEN

Wine List

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Wines by the Glass

Sparkling

Prosecco, San Venanzio, Brut	Valdobbiadene Prosecco Superiore DOCG, Veneto, Italy	2018	13
Rosé of Cabernet Franc, Bouvet, "Rosé Excellence," Brut	Loire Valley, France	NV	14
Champagne, Taittinger, "La Française," Brut	Champagne AOP, France	NV	21

White

Lighter Bodied

Sauvignon Blanc, J. Delaunay	Touraine AOP, Loire Valley, France	2019	13
Sauvignon Blanc, Crowded House	Marlborough, South Island, New Zealand	2019	12
Gruener Veltliner, Weingut Frank	Wienvertal DAC, Neiderosterreich, Austria	2018	13

Medium Bodied

Pinot Grigio, Ronco delle Betulle	Friuli Colli' Orientali DOC, Italy	2018	13
Scheurebe, Weegmüller, Trocken, {dry}	Pfalz, Germany	2017	14
Verdicchio, Andrea Felici, Classico Superiore (Verdicchio dei Castelli di Jesi DOC)	Le Marche, Italy	2018	14

Fuller Bodied

Chardonnay, Thevenet & Fils, Clos l'Ermitage, Vieilles Vignes (made from 70+ year old vines)	St. Veran AOP, Burgundy, France	2018	16
Chardonnay, Keenan	Spring Mountain AVA, Napa Vly, CA	2018	17
Chardonnay, Ridge Vineyards, "Estate"	Santa Cruz Mtn AVA, CA	2018	28

Rosé

Rosé of Cinsault, Triennes	Mediterranée IGP, Provence, FR	2019	12
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Red

Lighter Bodied

Pinot Noir, Patton Valley	Willamette Valley AVA, OR	2018	15
Pinot Noir, La Rochelle, "Appellation Series"	Russian River Vly AVA, Sonoma County, CA	NV	14
Pinot Noir, Dom. Joseph Roty	Marsannay AOP, Cotes de Nuits, Burgundy, FR	2016	34

Medium Bodied

Sangiovese, Ciacci Piccolomini (85% Sangiovese / 15% Syrah, Merlot, Cab Sauv)	Rosso Toscana IGT, Tuscany, Italy	2016	13
Zinfandel, Bedrock, "Old Vine"	California	2018	13

Fuller Bodied

Syrah, Samsara	Santa Barbara County, CA	2017	15
Bordeaux Blend (Left Bank), Chateau Pibran (50% Cabernet Sauvignon/50%Merlot)	Pauillac AOP, Bordeaux, FR	2015	33
Bordeaux Blend (Right Bank), Les Cadrans de Lassegue (90% Merlot/ 10% Cabernet Franc)	St. Emillon Grand Cru AOP, Bordeaux, FR	2016	16
Merlot, Crosby Roamann	Napa Valley, CA	2017	15
Sangiovese Grosso, Lisini,	Brunello di Montalcino DOCG, Tuscany, Italy	2015	35
Cabernet Sauvignon, Hunt & Harvest	Napa Valley, CA	2018	17
Cabernet Sauvignon, Faust	Napa Valley, CA	2017	30

Rare & Premium Glass Pours by Coravin®

Chardonnay, Ridge Vineyards, “Estate” Santa Cruz Mtn AVA, CA 2018 28

A powerful, classically styled California Chardonnay; this wine explodes from the glass with notes of buttered popcorn, pear tart, pineapple and lemon confit. With a dominant use of American oak, sustainably farmed fruit, minimal sulfur usage and whole cluster fermentation, the Ridge Estate Chardonnay exemplifies the philosophy of “Pre-Prohibition” winemaking. All from a pioneer of fine wine in California, this Chardonnay is the culmination of a winemaking pedigree founded in 1885.

Pinot Noir, Domaine Joseph Roty Marsannay AOP, Cote de Nuits, Burgundy, FR 2016 34

Iconoclast. Eccentric. Legend. All names used to describe this singular producer from the Cote de Nuits in Burgundy. Boasting some of the oldest vines in Burgundy, wines from this Domaine are highly sought after by critics and collectors alike. While 2016 was a difficult vintage due to frost, quality producers (like Roty) were able to produce precise wines full of florality and perfume. Delicate notes of pluot plum dance with blood orange, rhubarb, dried roses, and forest floor.

Bordeaux Blend, Chateau Pibran Pauillac AOP, Bordeaux, FR 2015 33

From the highly acclaimed 2015 vintage comes this tour de force blend of 50% Cabernet Sauvignon/50% Merlot from Chateau Pibran. Grown on the famed gravel hilltops of Pauillac, this wine shows classic notes of cassis, blackberry, graphite, and cigar box with fine grained integrated tannin. The perfect balance of power and elegance come together in this distinguished red that oozes class and distinction. All from the wine making team of Pichon Longueville Baron.

Cabernet Sauvignon, Faust Napa Valley AVA, CA 2017 30

Faust is a full-bodied wine and as classically styled as Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon gets. This unctuous wine has inky legs that stain your glass, foreshadowing its richness and intensity. It has concentrated aromas and flavors of roasted cassis, blackberry pie, mint, eucalypt oil, and sweet oak. The tannins are rich, but ripe & supple at the same time.

Sangiovese Grosso, Lisini Brunello di Montalcino DOCG, Tuscany, Italy 2015 35

From the excellent 2015 vintage, comes this stunning 100% Sangiovese Grosso from Lisini. The wines of Lisini are benchmark, standard bearers of the Brunello di Montalcino appellation. Strict stewards of traditional winemaking, this wine is fermented in glass lined concrete vats and aged in large Slavonian oak casks. The result is a powerhouse with a deft hand; notes of plump woodland berry, exotic spice, wild herbs, and vanilla give way to firm, yet elegant tannins and a pleasant lift of acidity only possible from meticulous wine making. Drink with the lamb or steak.

Specialty Cocktails

<u>Pumpkin Spice Mule</u>	13
<i>Stoli Vanilla Vodka, Pumpkin Spice Syrup, Lime & Ginger Beer</i>	
<u>Lemongrass Collins</u>	15
<i>Bluecoat Gin, Domaine de Canton, Lemongrass & Ginger syrup, Jack Rudy Tonic</i>	
<u>Blood Orange Punch</u>	14
<i>Bacardi, Lime, Dry Curacao, Cinnamon Syrup, Blood Orange Juice</i>	
<u>Smoked Cider</u>	14
<i>Mezcal, Lime, Rosemary Agave, Apple Cider</i>	
<u>French Twist</u>	14
<i>Belle de Brillet Liqueur, Pear Nectar, Lemon, Simple Syrup</i>	
<u>Jaybiscus</u>	13
<i>Maestro Dobel “Diamonte” Tequila, Hibiscus, Ginger, Lemon, Simple Syrup</i>	
<u>“Millionaires” Margarita</u> <i>(ask about a Billionaire’s!)</i>	35
<i>Jose Cuervo Reserva de la Familia Tequila, Curaçao Orange Liqueur, Fresh Squeezed Lime & Lemon Juices, Grand Marnier Float</i>	
<u>Japanese Old Fashioned</u>	13
<i>Suntory “Toki” Whisky (Japan), Sugar in the Raw, Benedictine DOM, Fee Brothers’ Orange Bitters</i>	
<u>910 Manhattan</u>	12
<i>Orange & Coriander Infused Evan William’s Whiskey, Angostura Bitters, Carpano “Formula Antica”</i>	
<u>Kentucky Chocolate Cherry</u>	15
<i>Eagle Rare Bourbon, Croft Ruby Port, Crème de Cacao, Luxardo Cherry Syrup, Fee’s Bros. Aztec Chocolate bitters</i>	

Beer

Pilsners & Lagers

Coor's Light	Golden, CO	12 oz	bottle	4.2%	6
Trumer Pils	Berkeley, CA	12 oz	can	4.9%	7
Amstel Light	Holland	12 oz	bottle	3.5%	7
Heineken	Holland	12 oz	bottle	4.4%	7
Modelo, 'Especial'	Mexico	12 oz	bottle	4.4%	6
Red Stripe	Jamaica	11.2oz	bottle	4.7%	7
Thorn, Barrio Lager	San Diego	12oz	can	4.5%	7

Wheat Ales

Avery, "White Rascal"	Boulder, CO	12 oz	bottle	5.6%	7
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Pale Ales & IPAs

AleSmith, '.394' Pale Ale, <i>(developed by Tony Gwynn Sr.)</i>	San Diego, CA	12 oz	bottle	6%	8
Alpine, Duet IPA	Alpine, CA	12 oz	bottle	7%	8
Ballast Point, 'Sculpin' IPA	San Diego, CA	12 oz	bottle	7%	8
Saint Archer, Blonde Ale	San Diego, CA	12 oz	can	4.8%	7
Stone, 'Delicious' IPA	San Diego, CA	12 oz	bottle	7.7%	7

Belgian Style Ales

Left Coast Brewing Co, Asylum Tripel Ale	San Clemente, CA	12 oz	bottle	11.8%	10
Delirium, 'Tremens' Strong Golden Ale	Belgium	11.2 oz	bottle	8.5%	13

Brown Ales & Stouts

AleSmith, Nut Brown Ale	San Diego, CA	12 oz	bottle	5%	8
Mikkeller, 'Beer Geek' Breakfast Coffee Stout	San Diego, CA	16 oz	can	7.5%	7

Unique & Interesting

Mother Earth, 'Cali Creamin', Vanilla Cream Ale	San Diego, CA	12 oz	can	5.2%	7
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Amber Ales

Pizza Port, 'Chronic' Amber Ale	San Diego, CA	16 oz	can	4.5%	8
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What We're Drinking

(Some Favorites from our recent trips to the Cellar!)

Eric

311 Cht. Cantelaudette, "Cuvée Prestige," Rouge, (100% Merlot) Bordeaux, France 2014 70
Graves de Vayres AOP, Entre-deux-Mers

Made from 100% Merlot in a small appellation across the river from St. Emilion. Chateau Cantelaudette Rouge is a selection from the best plots at Vignobles Chatelier. It is aged in New French oak barrique barrels for 18 months. This silky, smooth wine shows character of plum, wild red berries, smoke, cigar wrapper, and toasted vanilla.

Mark

19 Faust, Cabernet Sauvignon Napa Valley AVA, CA 2017 113
(from Agostin Huneeus - the founder of Quintessa)

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Chris

787 Billecart Salmon, Brut Rosé, (375ml – ½ Bottle) Champagne AOP, France NV 92
94 Billecart Salmon, Brut Rosé, (750ml – Full Bottle) Champagne AOP, France NV 183
(40% Chardonnay / 30% Pinot Noir / 30% Meunier)

Pure elegance on the palate. This Champagne is a ballet dancer. Shows notes of tart raspberry, Bing cherry, shortbread, and toasted brioche with marmalade. Its plush satiny texture gives way to the zest bright finish with a touch of chalky minerality to balance it out.

Greg

214 Coho, "Headwaters," 'Bordeaux Style' Blend Napa Valley AVA, CA 2015 103
(58% Cabernet Sauvignon / 39% Merlot / 3% Petite Verdot)

Sourced from Napa Valleys renowned Coombsville district, "Headwaters" is perfect example of how well the Bordeaux grape varieties fare in Napa. Ripe plums, red & black currants, licorice, and grilled bread are all present in your glass. Plush and silky tannins softened by the Merlot complement the Cabernet Sauvignon perfectly.

Sommelier Suggestions

Ridge Vineyards...A Return to the Classics

Since 1885 Ridge Vineyards has been producing some of California's most *iconic* wines. Deploying a strict "Pre-Prohibition" (non-industrial) style of wine making along with a commitment to a "hands off" approach, Ridge wines display a *sense of place* and an *intensity* rarely matched in the world of wine. From pioneering the "single vineyard" approach in the 1960's, to the use of native yeast during fermentation and a philosophy of *transparency* rarely seen on other wine labels, Ridge continues to be a simulacrum of *consistency, quality, passion and prestige*. Few other California wineries boast a longer history and consistent quality level as does Ridge Vineyards. But don't take my word for it...taste the history and pedigree for yourself.

By the Glass via Coravin®

Chardonnay, Ridge Vineyards, "Estate" (Buttery and Rich; Classically Californian)	Santa Cruz Mtn AVA, CA	2015	28
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White

785 Ridge, Estate, Chardonnay	Santa Cruz Mountains AVA	2015	110
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Red

810 Ridge, Ponzo Vnyd, Zinfandel	Russian River Vly, Sonoma, CA	2016	76
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783 Ridge, "East Bench", Zinfandel	Dry Creek Valley AVA, Sonoma, CA	2017	92
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745 Ridge, Lytton Estate, Petite Sirah (94% Petite Sirah/ 6% Zinfandel)	Dry Creek Valley AVA, Sonoma Cty	2017	86
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142 Ridge, "Monte Bello" (73% Cab Sauv/15% Merlot/ 8% Petit Verdot/ 4% Cab Franc)	Santa Cruz Mtn AVA	2017	450
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Ferrando...Magic in the Mountains...Italian Style

The wines coming from Northern Piedmonte, Italy have been enjoying a slow but palpable *Renaissance* in recent years. Front and center of this movement is Ferrando and the commune of Carema. It is here in this natural amphitheater located high in the mountains that the Ferrando clan has been making some of the most *consistently coveted* wines of the region and all of Italy. Known best for producing ethereal, lighter versions of Nebbiolo than their cousins Barolo and Barbaresco further south, Ferrando also has a hand in the obscure, almost extinct white varietal Erbaluce. The great importer Neal Rosenthal articulates it best: these wines "emphasize *tension over richness, grace over force*" and "an ineffable quality of *itself-ness* that only truly great wines possess". These are Italy's answer to the Grand Cru Burgundys of France, and what a compelling statement indeed.

Sparkling

351 Ferrando, Metodo Classico, Pas Dosé, (No dosage) (100% Erbaluce)	Erbaluce di Caluso Spumante DOCG	2012	92
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Red

1116 Ferrando, "Etichetta Bianca", (100% Nebbiolo) (Floral and Red Fruited; Elegant and Pretty)	Carema DOC	2016	158
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807 Ferrando, "Etichetta Nera", (100% Nebbiolo) (Bold, Savory, and Darker Fruited; only made in the best vintages)	Carema DOC	2016	235
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Half Bottles

BUBBLES

425	Pierre Gimonnet , Blanc de Blanc, (100% <i>Chardonnay</i>) <i>1er Cru - Cuis</i>	Champagne AOP, France	NV	56
787	Billecart Salmon , Brut Rosé (40% <i>Chardonnay</i> / 30% <i>Pinot Noir</i> / 30% <i>Meunier</i>)	Champagne AOP, France	NV	92
907	Gruet , Blanc de Noir, (75% <i>Pinot Noir</i> / 25% <i>Meunier</i>)	New Mexico, USA	NV	25

WHITE

1009	Dom. Weinbach , "Schlossberg" (100% <i>Riesling</i>)	Alsace Grand Cru AOP, France	2018	76
409	Comte Lafond , (100% <i>Sauvignon Blanc</i>)	Sancerre AOP, Loire Valley, France	2017	36
146	Merry Edwards , (100% <i>Sauvignon Blanc</i>)	Russian River Vly AVA, Sonoma, CA	2018	43
1114	Yves Cuilleron , "Le Petit Cote", (100% <i>Viognier</i>)	Condrieu AOP, Rhone, France	2016	63
211	Tablas Creek , "Esprit de Tablas" Blanc (<i>Rousanne</i> / <i>Grenache Blanc</i> / <i>Picpoul</i>)	Paso Robles AVA, CA, USA	2014	46
1087	Copain , <i>Laureles Grade</i> , (100% <i>Chardonnay</i>)	Monterey County, CA, USA	2013	51
968	Pride Mountain Vineyards , (100% <i>Chardonnay</i>)	Napa Valley AVA, CA, USA	2016	42
762	Bilaud-Simon , (100% <i>Chardonnay</i>) <i>Les Vaillons, 1er Cru Vnyd</i>	Chablis AOP, France	2016	53
335	Pierre-Yves Colin-Morey , (100% <i>Chardonnay</i>) <i>Morgeot, 1er Cru Vnyd</i>	Chassagne Montrachet AOP, France	2017	180

ROSÉ

758	Dom. de Terrebrune (50% <i>Mourvedre</i> , 25% <i>Grenache</i> , 25% <i>Cinsault</i>)	Bandol AOP, Provence, France	2018	35
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RED

1115	Georges Lignier , (100% <i>Pinot Noir</i>) <i>Clos des Ormes, 1er Cru Vnyd</i>	Morey St. Denis AOP, Burgundy, FR	2014	72
357	Pierre-Yves Colin-Morey , (100% <i>Pinot Noir</i>)	Nuit St. Georges AOP, Burgundy, France	2017	130
354	Cht. Cantemerle , (<i>Bordeaux Blend</i>)	Haut-Medoc AOP, Bordeaux, France	2005	70
1127	Dom. de la Mordorée , (<i>Grenache Blend</i>)	Côtes du Rhone AOP, Rhône, France	2016	31
35	Dom. de Beausejour , (100% <i>Cabernet Franc</i>)	Chinon AOP, Loire, France	2016	30
187	Muga , (<i>Tempranillo Blend</i>)	Rioja DOCa, Spain	2016	35
87	Rocche Castamagna , (100% <i>Nebbiolo</i>) <i>Rocche del'Annunziata- Cru</i>	Barolo DOCG, Piedmonte, Italy	2015	48
356	La Serena , (100% <i>Sangiovese Grosso</i>)	Brunello di Montalcino DOCG, Tuscany, Italy	2013	65
520	Rex Hill , Pinot Noir	Willamette Vally AVA, OR, USA	2016	50
852	Patz & Hall , Pinot Noir	Sonoma Coast AVA, CA, USA	2015	50
405	Scherrer , Zinfandel	Alexander Valley AVA, CA, USA	2014	43
789	Dry Creek , Cabernet Sauvignon	Dry Creek Valley AVA, CA, USA	2017	33
175	Anakota , Helena Dakota Vnyd, Cab Sauv	Knights Vly AVA, Sonoma, CA, USA	2005	123

SWEET WHITE

914	Cht. d'Yquem , Semillion/Sauv Blanc	Premier Cru Superieur, Sauternes AOP, FR	1995	525
5	Dr. Loosen , Riesling Trockenbeerenauslese (TBA) <i>Bernkasteler Lay (site)</i>	Mosel, Germany	2005	340
767	Dönhoff , Riesling Eiswein, <i>Oberhause Brücke (monopole site)</i>	Nahe, Germany	2015	400

Sparkling Wines

§ Sommelier's Choice §

94	Billecart Salmon, Brut Rosé (40% Chardonnay / 30% Pinot Noir / 30% Meunier)	1er Cru – Marieul-Sur- Ay	NV	183
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Champagne AOP, France

350	Taittinger, “La Francaise” Brut (40% Chardonnay / 35% Pinot Noir / 25% Meunier)	Reims	NV	83
95	Piper Heidsieck, “Cuvée Rare” Brut (70% Chardonnay/30% Pinot Noir)	Reims	2002	300
206	Marion-Bosser, “Traditon” Brut (60% Chardonnay / 40% Pinot Noir)	1er Cru – Hautvillers	NV	129
94	Billecart Salmon, Brut Rosé (40% Chardonnay / 30% Pinot Noir / 30% Meunier)	1er Cru – Marieul-Sur- Ay	NV	183
155	Veuve Clicquot a Ponsardin, ‘Yellow Label’ Brut (55% Pinot Noir / 30% Chardonnay / 15% Meunier)	Epernay	NV	148
132	Saint Chamant, “Brut Integral” (No dosage), Blanc de Blanc, Brut (100% Chardonnay)	Epernay	2008	133

Interesting Regions of France

449	Bouvet, Brut, “Rosé Excellence” (100% Cabernet Franc)	Loire Valley	NV	51
12	Lambert de Seyssel, Brut, “Petit Royal” (70% Molette/30% Altesse)	Seyssel AOP, Savoie	NV	58

Spain

829	Recaredo, “Terrers”, Brut Nature (No dosage) (56% Xarel-lo, 42% Macabeu, 2% Parellada)	Corpinnat, Alt Penedès	2014	75
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Italy

351	Ferrando, Metodo Classico, Pas Dosé, (No dosage) (100% Erbaluce)	Erbaluce di Caluso Spumante DOCG	2012	92
126	San Venanzio, Brut (100% Prosecco; aka: Glera -or- Serpina -or- Tai	Valdobbiadenne Prosecco Superiore DOCG, Veneto	2018	51
836	Ca’ del Bosco, “Cuvée Prestige” (76% Chardonnay, 10% Pinot Bianco, 15% Pinot Nero)	Franciacorta DOCG, Lombardy	NV	92

United States

971	Clos Pepe, Brut Rosé (100% Pinot Noir)	Sta. Rita Hills AVA, CA	2013	123
1112	Domaine Carneros, Brut Rosé (41% Pinot Noir/59% Chardonnay)	Carneros AVA, CA	NV	66

Sauvignon Blanc

§ Sommelier's Choice §

1081	Lucien Crochet	Sancerre AOP, Loire Valley, France	2018	68
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France

1058	Joel Delaunay	Touraine AOP, Loire Valley	2016	47
1081	Lucien Crochet	Sancerre AOP, Loire Valley, France	2018	68
916	Domaine Mardon, "Cuvée Tres Vieille Vignes"	Quincy AOP, Loire Valley, France	2018	52

New Zealand

1128	Crowded House	Marlborough, South Island	2016	43
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United States

143	Merry Edwards	Russian River AVA, CA	2017	75
210	Dragonette Cellars	Happy Canyon AVA, CA	2018	48
156	Illumination	49% Napa County / 51% Sonoma County	2017	63

(from Agostin Huneeus - the founder of Quintessa)

Chenin Blanc

France

1074	Pithon Paille, "Mozaic," { <i>off-dry</i> }	Anjou AOP, Loire Valley	2011	46
112	Champalou, { <i>dry</i> }	Vouvray AOP, Loire Valley	2018	58
292	Domaine Huet, "Haut-Lieu" { <i>dry</i> }	Vouvray AOP, Loire Valley	2019	80

Pinot Gris/Grigio & Pinot Blanc

France

979	Albert Boxler, Pinot Blanc, "Reserve"	Alsace AOP, Alsace	2013	72
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Italy

985	Santa Margarita, Pinot Grigio	Valdadige DOC, Alto-Adige	2015	51
707	Mont'Albano, Pinot Grigio	Friuli Graves DOC	2017	51

Austria

920	Prieler, Seeburg (site), Pinot Blanc	Burgenland	2013	61
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Riesling

§ Sommelier's Choice §

73	Reichsgraf von Kesselstatt, Scharzhöfberger (site), <i>Kabinett {off-dry}</i> (VDP Grosse Lage – Grand Cru)	Mosel	2015	60
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Germany

918	J.J. Christoffel, Urziger Würzgarten (site), <i>Spätlese {off-dry}</i>	Mosel	2013	63
481	Willi Schaefer, Graacher (site), <i>Kabinett {off-dry}</i>	Mosel	2018	75
73	Reichsgraf von Kesselstatt, Scharzhöfberger (site), <i>Kabinett {off-dry}</i> (VDP Grosse Lage – Grand Cru)	Mosel	2015	60
922	Strub, Niersteiner Patenberg (site), <i>Spätlese {off-dry}</i>	Rheinhessen	2013	51
542	Dönnhof, Tonschiefer, "Dry Slate," <i>{off-dry}</i>	Nahe	2015	56
771	Dönnhoff, Oberhauser Brücke (monopole site), <i>Spätlese {off-dry}</i>	Nahe	2013	113

France

874	Bott Frères, Osterberg (site), <i>{off-dry}</i>	Alsace Grand Cru AOP	2016	82
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Grüner Veltliner

Austria - Niederösterreich

1047	Weingut Frank	Weinertal DAC	2016	47
281	Alzinger, Ried Mühlpoint (site), <i>Smaragd {powerful-dry}</i>	Wachau	2017	85

Intriguing Whites

Germany

883	Weinbeit, Gewürztraminer, Mussbacher Selshaut (site), <i>Leiblich {off-dry}</i>	Pfalz	2011	36
1100	Weegmüller, Scheurebe, <i>Trocken {dry}</i>	Pfalz	2016	51

France

733	Albert Hertz, Gewürztraminer	Alsace AOP, Alsace	2013	51
765	Cht. Cantelaudette, "Cuvée Prestige," (100% Semillon) Entre-deux-Mers	Graves des Vayres AOP, Bordeaux	2015	52

Italy

534	Jermann, "Vintage Tunina" (Sauvignon, Chardonnay, Ribolla Gialla, Malvasia, Picolit)	Venezia Giulia IGT	2016	85
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“Rhône” Whites

France

480	Dom. Alain Graillot (80% Marsanne/20% Roussanne)	Croze Hermitage AOP, N. Rhône Vly, FR	2018	82
865	Dom. Mucyn, “Les Carats” (100% Roussanne)	St. Joseph AOP, N. Rhône Vly, FR	2015	62
165	Christophe Pichon (100% Viognier)	Colline Rhodaniennes IGP, Rhône Vly, FR	2017	55

“Italian” Whites

Italy

Alto-Adige / Südtirol

620	Kettmeier, Muller-Thurgau	Südtirol DOC	2015	41
888	Santa Margarita, Pinot Grigio	Valdadige DOC	2015	51

Friuli

55	Ronco delle Betulle, Pinot Grigio	Friuli Colli; Orientali DOC	2018	55
707	Mont’Albano, Pinot Grigio	Friuli Graves DOC	2017	51
695	La Viarte, Friulano Bianco (<i>aka: Tocai Friulano</i>)	Colli Orientali del Friuli DOC	2016	46
552	Jermann, “Where Dreams Have No End”, (100% Chardonnay)	Venezia Giulia IGT	2017	85
534	Jermann, “Vintage Tunina” (<i>Sauvignon, Chardonnay, Ribolla Gialla, Malvasia, Picolit</i>)	Venezia Giulia IGT	2016	85

Veneto

518	La Formica, Garganega	Soave DOC	2010	46
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Liguria

358	Punta Crena, Vermentino	Riviera Ligure di Ponente DOC	2017	56
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Le Marche

125	Andrea Felici, Classico Superiore, Verdicchio	Verdicchio dei Castelli di Jesi DOC	2018	55
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Lazio

1082	Monastero Suore Cistercensi, “Coenobium” (<i>Trebbiano / Verdicchio / Malvasia</i>)	Lazio IGP	2016	49
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Umbria

1083	Paolo Bea, “Santa Chiara,” { <i>Orange Wine</i> } (<i>Grechetto / Malvasia / Chardonnay / Sauvignon Blanc / Garganega</i>)	Umbria IGP	2015	92
34	Cantina Altarocca, “Arcosesto,” (<i>Grechetto / Trebbiano</i>)	Orvieto Superiore DOC	2013	41

Campania

236	Ciro Picariello, Fiano	Irpinia DOC	2018	50
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Sicily

325	Ciro Biondi, “Outis (Nessuno)” (<i>90% Carricante/10% Malvasia, Cattarato, Minella</i>)	Etna DOC, Sicily	2017	56
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United States

1048	Clendenon Family, Tocai Friulano	Santa Maria Valley AVA, CA	2015	48
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“Spanish” Whites

Spain

16	Fefiñanes, Albariño	Rias Baixas DO, Galicia	2018	66
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Rosé

§ Sommelier’s Choice §

15	Liquid Farm, Vogelzang Vnyd, Mourvèdre	Happy Canyon AVA, CA	2018	53
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Germany

982	Meyer-Näkel, Spätburgunder (aka: Pinot Noir), {slightly off-dry}	Ahr	2016	57
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France

18	Triennes, (Cinsault based)	Mediterranée IGP, Provence	2019	47
801	Dom. Mordoree, “Les Vestides,” (Grenache based)	Tavel AOP, Rhône Valley	2014	56
627	Bieler et Fils, “Reserve,” (Mourvèdre & Grenache based)	Bandol AOP, Provence	2016	51
442	Dom. Terrebrune, (Mourvèdre, Grenache, Cinsault)	Bandol AOP, Provence	2018	72

Spain

428	Armas de Guerra, Mencia	Bierzo DO	2018	38
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United States

598	Stolpman, Grenache	Ballard Canyon AVA, CA	2016	36
1014	Red Car, Pinot Noir	Mondocino Ridge 62%/Sonoma Coast 38%, CA	2018	55
15	Liquid Farm, Vogelzang Vnyd, Mourvèdre	Happy Canyon AVA, CA	2018	53

Chardonnay

-United States-

Washington

50	Tenor	Columbia Valley AVA	2011	74
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Oregon

68	Lingua Franca, "AVNI"	Willamette Valley AVA	2016	72
556	Gran Moraine	Yamhill-Carlton District AVA, Willamette Valley	2014	82

California

North Coast – Napa

78	Keenan	Spring Mountain AVA	2017	57
185	Plumpjack, Reserve	Napa Valley AVA	2017	98
241	Cht. Montelena	Napa Valley AVA	2016	112
912	Heitz Cellars	Napa Valley AVA	2017	75
111	Stags Leap Wine Cellars, "Hands of Time"	Napa Valley AVA	2017	56
734	Stony Hill	Napa Valley AVA	2008	138
839	Y. Rousseau, Haynes Vnyd, "Milady"	Coombsville AVA	2016	92
239	Frank Family	Carneros AVA	2017	78
975	Ram's Gate, Hyde Vnyd	Carneros AVA	2014	143

North Coast – Sonoma

248	Benovia	Fort Ross-Seaview AVA, Sonoma Coast	2014	99
105	En Route, <i>(by Far Niente)</i>	Russian River Valley AVA	2017	95
522	Paul Hobbs	Russian River Valley AVA	2016	98
1076	Chalk Hill	Chalk Hill AVA	2016	88

Central Coast – Santa Cruz & Monterey

785	Ridge, Estate	Santa Cruz Mountains AVA	2018	110
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Central Coast – Paso Robles & Santa Barbara

421	Cotiere, "Murmur"	Santa Maria Valley AVA	2014	77
233	Jackson Family Estate	Santa Maria Valley AVA	2014	53
970	Clos Pepe, 'Barrel Ferment'	Sta. Rita Hills AVA	2013	95
899	Liquid Farm, "White Hill"	Sta. Rita Hills AVA	2016	84
147	Liquid Farm, "Bien Bien", Bien Nacido Vynd	Santa Maria Valley AVA	2015	120
251	Sandhi	Sta. Rita Hills AVA	2015	77

Chardonnay

-International-

§ Sommelier's Choice §

738	Dom. Latour-Giraud, Les Genvrières (1er Cru Vnyd)	1er Cru	2015	215
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Italy

552	Jermann, "Where Dreams Have No End"	Venezia Giulia IGT	2017	85
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France - Burgundy

Chablis AOP

227	La Chablisienne	(village level)	2018	61
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113	Patrick Piuze, Blanchots (Grand Cru Vnyd)	Grand Cru	2016	205
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Côte de Beaune

Savigny-les-Beaune AOP

529	Le Grappin	(village level)	2014	113
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Meursault AOP

120	Dom. Bernard Millot, Les Petits Charrons (lieu-dit site)		2017	103
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738	Dom. Latour-Giraud, Les Genvrières (1er Cru Vnyd)	1er Cru	2018	215
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Puligny-Montrachet AOP

229	Paul Pernot	(village level)	2018	155
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40416	Pierre-Yves Colin-Morey, Les Perrieres (1er Cru Vnyd)	1er Cru	2016	405
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Batard Montrachet AOP

753	Dom. Morey Coffinet	Grand Cru	2016	700
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Chassagne-Montrachet AOP

599	Marchand-Tawse, Abbaye de Morgeot (1er Cru Vnyd)	1er Cru	2013	180
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471	Pierre-Yves Colin-Morey, Les Chenevottes (1er Cru Vnyd)	1er Cru	2017	310
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Côte Chalonnaise & Mâconnais

St. Veran AOP

416	Thevenet & Fils, Clos l'Ermitage St. Claude (lieu-dit site), Vieilles Vignes (Produced from 70+ year old vines!)	(village level)	2018	59
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Rully AOP

776	Pierre-Yves Colin-Morey, Les Cailloux (lieu-dit site)	(village level)	2017	92
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Pinot Noir

-United States-

Oregon

223	Patton Valley	Willamette Valley AVA	2018	59
763	Beaux Freres, Beaux Freres Vnyd	Willamette Valley AVA	2017	183
200	Bergström, “Cumberland Reserve”	Willamette Valley AVA	2017	87
86	Ken Wright, Latchkey Vnyd	Dundee Hills AVA, Willamette Valley	2015	86
237	Bergström, Gregory Ranch Vnyd	Yamhill-Carlton District AVA, Willamette Valley	2016	135
1061	Dom. Serene, “Yamhill Cuvée”	Yamhill-Carlton District AVA, Willamette Valley	2016	123
69	Evening Land, Seven Springs Vnyd	Eola-Amity Hills AVA, Willamette Valley	2017	77
676	Antika Terra, “Antikythera”	Eola-Amity Hills AVA, Willamette Valley	2017	300

California

North Coast – Mendocino

262	Dom. Anderson	Anderson Valley AVA	2012	108
22	Twomey	Anderson Valley AVA	2016	109
500	Saxon Brown, Ferrington Vnyd	Anderson Valley AVA	2013	92

North Coast – Sonoma

77	Failla	Sonoma Coast AVA	2018	80
23	Vivier	Sonoma Coast AVA	2016	95
455	Kosta Brown, Gap’s Crown Vnyd	Sonoma Coast AVA	2015	275
433	Aston Estate	Sonoma Coast AVA	2015	153
406	Radio-Coteau, “La Neblina”	Sonoma Coast AVA	2015	113
957	Raen, “Royal St. Robert”	Sonoma Coast AVA	2014	128
422	La Rochelle, “Appellation Series”	Russian River Valley AVA	NV	51
743	DuMol, “Ryan” Widdoes Vnyd	Russian River Valley AVA	2015	183
33	En Route, “Les Pommieres,” <i>(by Far Niente)</i>	Russian River Valley AVA	2018	82
362	Ancien	Carneros AVA	2015	77
186	Talisman, “Adastra”	Carneros AVA	2011	117

Central Coast – Santa Cruz

293	Mount Eden, Estate	Santa Cruz Mountains AVA	2014	133
1045	Joyce, “Submarine Canyon”	Monterey County	2018	60

Central Coast – Paso Robles & Santa Barbara

320	Talley	Arroyo Grande AVA	2015	82
144	Liquid Farm	Santa Barbara County	2017	92
250	Sandhi	Sta. Rita Hills AVA	2016	77
355	Sea Smoke, “Southing”	Sta. Rita Hills AVA	2018	150

Pinot Noir

-International-

\$ Sommelier's Choice \$

1079	Hubert Lignier	Gevrey- Chambertin AOP (village level)	2015	188
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Other New World

443	Giesen, "Clayvin"	Marlborough, South Island, New Zealand	2014	94
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France - Burgundy

Côte de Nuits

Marsannay AOP & Fixin AOP

491	Dom. Joseph Roty	Marsannay AOP (village level)	2016	99
347	Pierre Gelin	Fixin AOP (village level)	2012	96

Gevrey-Chambertin AOP

1079	Hubert Lignier	(village level)	2015	188
397	Dom. Taupenot Merme, Bel Air (1er Cru Vnyd)	1er Cru	2014	265

Charmes-Chambertin AOP

1123	Dom. Joseph Roty, "Tres Vieilles Vignes (T.V.V)" <i>(Produced from very old vines some dating to mid-1880's!)</i>	Grand Cru	2014	900
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Morey St. Denis AOP

952	Dom. Pierre Amiot et Fils	(village level)	2014	123
46	Marchand-Tawse, Clos des Ormes (1er Cru Vnyd)	1er Cru	2014	193

Chambolle-Musigny AOP

629	Dom. Anne et Herve Sigault	(village level)	2017	125
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Vosne Romanée AOP

395	Bruno Clavelier, Les Hauts Maizières (lieu-dit) <i>(Vielle Vignes-50y.o. vines)</i>	(village level)	2017	258
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Clos Vougeot AOP

823	Dom. Gros Freres et Soeurs	Grand Cru	2013	350
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Nuits-St.-Georges AOP

365	Charles Van Canneyt, Le Richemone (1er Cru Vnyd) <i>(from the winemaker of famed Hudelot-Noëllat)</i>	1er Cru	2015	205
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Côte de Beaune

Pommard AOP

396	Monthelie Douhairet Porcheret, Les Chanlins (1er Cru Vnyd)	1er Cru	2016	155
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Syrah & Shiraz

§ Sommelier's Choice §

180	Dom. Alain Graillot, La Giraude,	Croze-Hermitage AOP	2016	125
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France

Northern Rhône Valley

1078	Bernard Levet, "Les Journaries"	Côte-Rôtie AOP	2015	153
63	René Rostaing, "Ampodium"	Côte-Rôtie AOP	2016	108
969	Gilles Robin	Saint-Joseph AOP	2015	103
180	Dom. Alain Graillot, "La Giraude",	Croze-Hermitage AOP	2016	125
640	Johan Michel	Cornas AOP	2015	94
727	Mark Haisma, "Les Combes"	Cornas AOP	2015	123

Australia

959	John Duval, "Entity," Shiraz	Barossa, SA	2014	91
246	Langmiel, "Hangin' Snakes", Shiraz/Viognier Blend (96% Shiraz, 4% Viognier)	Barossa, SA	2016	59
835	Two Hands, "Bella's Garden," Shiraz	Barossa Valley, SA	2016	123

South Africa

205	Iona, "Solace"	Elgin WO	2015	68
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United States

Washington

90	Gramercy Cellars, "The Deuce", Syrah	Walla Walla Valley AVA, Columbia Valley	2014	108
958	Reynvaan, "In the Rocks", Syrah	Walla Walla Valley AVA, Columbia Valley	2016	183

California

555	Copain, "Les Voisins," Syrah	Yorkville Highlands AVA, Mendocino	2016	77
472	Donelan Family, "Cuvée Christine," Syrah	Sonoma County	2013	94
528	Samsara, Syrah	Santa Barbara County	2017	59
289	Dragonette Cellars, "MJM", Syrah	Santa Ynez Valley AVA	2015	150
329	Sine Qua Non, "Hated Hunter", Syrah	California	2017	550

Zinfandel

United States

887	Turley, "Fredericks"	Sonoma Valley AVA, Sonoma, CA	2017	89
810	Ridge, Ponzo Vnyd	Russian River Vly, Sonoma, CA	2016	76
783	Ridge, "East Bench"	Dry Creek Valley AVA, Sonoma, CA	2017	92
509	Bedrock, "Old Vine"	California	2016	51
1041	Easton	Amador County, CA	2014	47

Grenache & Grenache Blends

§ Sommelier's Choice §

265	Cht. Beaucastel	Châteauneuf-du-Pape AOP	2015	188
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France

Southern Rhône Valley

723	Cht. Maucoil	Côtes-du-Rhône AOP	2017	55
1072	Les Pallieres, "Terrasses du Diable"	Gigondas AOP	2017	76
82	Alain Jaume, "Grande Garrique"	Vacqueryras AOP	2017	72
265	Cht. Beaucastel	Châteauneuf-du-Pape AOP	2015	188

Spain

977	Espectacle de Montsant, (100% Garnacha) (made from 100-year-old vines!)	Montsant DO, Catalunya	2009	305
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California

780	Bonny Doon, "Le Cigare Volant", Cuvee Oumuumua (52% Grenache/35% Cinsault/13% Syrah)	Monterey County	2018	51
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Spanish Reds

~ see above section for more Spanish wines ~

Spain

742	La Vizcaina by Raul Perez, La Gundinas (site) (100% Mencia)	Bierzo DO, Galicia	2018	85
574	La Vizcaina by Raul Perez, La Vitoriana (site) (Mencia w/ a touch of Bastardo)	Bierzo DO, Galicia	2018	85
109	Pago de Carvejas, "Cuesta de la Liebres" (100% Tempranillo)	Ribera del Duero DO, Castillo y Leon	2009	530
965	Bodegas Riojanas, "Monte Real," Gran Reserva (Tempranillo blend)	Rioja DOCa, La Rioja	1998	173
644	R. Lopez de Heredia, "Vina Tondonia" (70% Tempranillo, 20% Garnacha, 5% Graciano, 5% Mazuelo)	Rioja DOCa, La Rioja	2007	98
779	R. Lopez de Heredia, "Vina Bosconia" (80% Tempranillo, 15% Garnacha, 5% Graciano/ Mazuelo)	Rioja DOCa, La Rioja	2007	82

“Italian” Reds

Italy

Lombardy

255	Dirupi (100% <i>Chiavennasca aka: Nebbiolo</i>)	Valtellina Superiore DOCG	2015	85
595	AR. Pe. Pe. Grumello, “Buon Consiglio” (100% <i>Chiavennasca aka: Nebbiolo</i>)	Valtellina Superiore DOCG	2007	215
195	AR. Pe. Pe. Sassella, “Rocce Rosse” (100% <i>Chiavennasca aka: Nebbiolo</i>)	Valtellina Superiore DOCG	2005	215

Veneto

183	Ilaria Accordini, Classico (70% <i>Corvina</i> /30% <i>Rondinella</i>)	Amarone della Valpolicella DOCG	2015	103
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Piedmont

1116	Ferrando, “Etichetta Bianca”, (100% <i>Nebbiolo</i>)	Carema DOC	2015	158
807	Ferrando, “Etichetta Nera”, (100% <i>Nebbiolo</i>)	Carema DOC	2016	235
650	Oddero, Gallina (cru), (100% <i>Nebbiolo</i>)	Barbaresco DOCG	2015	123
343	Rocche Costamagna, Rocche dell’Annunziata (cru), (100% <i>Nebbiolo</i>)	Barolo DOCG	2015	103
576	Claudio Alario, “Sorano,” (100% <i>Nebbiolo</i>)	Barolo DOCG	2011	141
178	Cascina Adelaida, Cannubi (cru), (100% <i>Nebbiolo</i>)	Barolo DOCG	2012	153

Tuscany & Umbria

562	Paolo Bea, “Cerrette” (100% <i>Sagrantino</i>)	Montefalco Sagrantino Secco DOCG	2011	300
190	Ca’ Marcanda, “Promis,” (by Gaja) (55% <i>Merlot</i> / 25% <i>Syrah</i> / 10% <i>Sangiovese</i>)	Maremma DOC	2014	123
495	Ornellaia (53% <i>Cab Sauv</i> / 23% <i>Merlot</i> / 17% <i>Cab Franc</i> / 7% <i>Petit Verdot</i>)	Bolgheri Superiore DOC	2015	450
1032	Ciacci Piccolomini, (85% <i>Sangiovese</i> / 15% <i>Syrah, Merlot, Cab Sauv</i>)	Rosso Toscana IGT	2016	51
1092	Ripanuda, (90% <i>Sangiovese</i> / 10% <i>Merlot</i>)	Chianti Classico DOCG	2015	51
1125	Ciacci Piccolomini, “Santa Catarina d’Oro,” Riserva (100% <i>Sangiovese</i>)	Brunello di Montalcino DOCG	2012	325
774	Lisini, (100% <i>Sangiovese</i>)	Brunello di Montalcino DOCG	2015	140

Abruzzo

533	Emidio Pepe, (100% <i>Montepulciano</i>)	Montepulciano d’Abruzzo DOC	2010	355
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Southern Italy & Sardinia

249	Ciro Biondi, Cisterna Fuori Vynd, (<i>Nerello Mascalese, Nerello Capuccio</i>)	Etna DOC, Sicily	2017	113
964	Annona, Aglianico, (100% <i>Aglianico</i>)	Paestum IGP, Campania	2014	82
49	Tenute Mater Domini, “Marangi,” (100% <i>Negro Amaro</i>)	Salento IGP, Puglia	2009	43

United States

1113	Palmina, Sisquoc Vnyd, (100% <i>Nebbiolo</i>)	Santa Maria Valley AVA, CA	2010	108
646	Stolpman, “Angeli,” (100% <i>Sangiovese</i>)	Ballard Canyon AVA, CA	2014	113

Intriguing Reds

§ Sommelier's Choice §

745	Ridge, Lytton Estate, Petite Sirah (94% Petite Sirah/ 6% Zinfandel)	Dry Creek Valley AVA, Sonoma Cty	2017	86
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France

353	Cht. Thivin, "Reverdon" (100% Gamay Noir)	Brouilly AOP, Beaujolais	2017	56
97	Gros Noré, (80% Mourvèdre, 15% Grenache, 5% Carignane)	Bandol AOP, Provence	2010	153

Chile

479	Vina Koyle, "Auma" (50% Carmenera / 23% Cab Sauv / 12% Cab Franc / 7% Malbec / 5% Merlot / 3% Petite Verdot)	Los Lingues, Colchagua DO	2009	141
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Mexico

724	Hemisphero Tinto, (Merlot / Petite Sirah)	Valle de Guadalupe, Ensenada	2013	46
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United States

California

253	Mirror, Petit Verdot	Calistoga AVA, Napa Valley	2013	92
745	Ridge, Lytton Estate, Petite Sirah (94% Petite Sirah/ 6% Zinfandel)	Dry Creek Valley AVA, Sonoma Cty	2017	86
386	Section Wines, Demetria Vnyd, Mourvèdre	Santa Ynez Valley AVA, Santa Barbara	2014	82
645	Stolpman, "La Croce" (50% Syrah / 50% Sangiovese – co-fermented)	Ballard Canyon AVA, Santa Barbara	2014	108
591	Crown Point, "Relevant Red" (30% Syrah / 30% Malbec / 30% Petite Verdot / 10% Cab Sauv)	Happy Canyon AVA, Santa Barbara	2013	298
213	Tablas Creek, "Esprit de Tablas" (49% Mourvèdre / 25% Grenache / 21% Syrah / 5% Counoise)	Paso Robles AVA	2015	123

“Bordeaux Styled” Blends

Australia

14	Frankland Estate, “Olmo’s Reward” (62% Cab Franc / 17% Merlot / 16% Malbec / 5% Cab Sauv)	Frankland River, Great Southern, WA	2009	98
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Chile

479	Vina Koyle, “Auma” (50% Carmenere / 23% Cab Sauv / 12% Cab Franc / 7% Malbec / 5% Merlot / 3% Petite Verdot)	Los Lingues, Colchagua DO	2009	141
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United States

Washington – Columbia Valley

27504	Côte Bonneville, DuBrul Vnyd	Yakima Valley AVA	2004	245
27505	Côte Bonneville, DuBrul Vnyd	Yakima Valley AVA	2005	245
27506	Côte Bonneville, DuBrul Vnyd (60% Cab Sauv / 40% Merlot)	Yakima Valley AVA	2006	245
384	Cadence, “Bel Canto,” Casa Mia Vnyd (50% Cab Franc / 38% Merlot / 12% Petite Verdot)	Red Mountain AVA	2013	123
475	Cadence, “Coda” (36% Merlot / 28% Cab Sauv / 27% Cab Franc / 9% Petite Verdot)	Red Mountain AVA	2011	70

California – North Coast

84	Lasseter, “Amoureux” (75% Malbec / 17% Cab Franc / 6% Merlot / 2% Cab Franc)	Sonoma County	2012	113
196	Cenyth, (50% Cab Franc / 35% Merlot / 17% Cab Sauv)	Sonoma County	2016	103
568	Trinité Estate, “Acaibo”, (85% Cab Sauv / 9% Merlot / 6% Cab Franc) From Gonzague and Claire Lurton of Bordeaux	Sonoma County	2016	200
712	Cain, “Five” (46% Cab Sauv/26% Merlot/ 13% Petit Verdot/ 9% Cab Franc/ 6% Malbec)	Napa Valley AVA	2006	290
93908	Cain, “Concept,” (69% Cab Sauv / 17% Petite Verdot / 14% Merlot)	Napa Valley AVA	2008	193
769	Cain, “Cuvée – NV15,” (Cab Sauv / Merlot / Cab Franc)	Napa Valley AVA	NV	74
214	Coho, “Headwaters,” (68% Cab Sauv / 30% Merlot / 2% Petite Verdot)	Napa Valley AVA	2015	103
966	Continuum (46% Cab Sauv / 31% Cab Franc / 17% Petite Verdot / 6% Merlot)	Napa Valley AVA	2016	450
457	Hill Family, “Barrel Blend” (Cab Sauv / Merlot / Cab Franc)	Napa Valley AVA	2015	55
346	Overture, (by Opus One)	Napa Valley AVA	NV	265
375	Realm, “The Bard,” (70% Cab Sauv / Merlot / Cab Franc / Petite Verdot)	Napa Valley AVA	2016	305
37517	Realm, “The Bard,” (87% Cab Sauv/13%Merlot)	Napa Valley AVA	2017	305
230	Realm, “The Tempest,” (60% Merlot/25% Cab Sauv/10% Cab Franc/ 5%PV)	Napa Valley AVA	2017	275
57316	Opus One (77.5% Cab Sauv, 5% Cab Franc, 8% Merlot, 8% Petite Verdot, 1.5% Malbec)	Napa Valley AVA	2016	699
363	Palazzo, “Proprietary Red Reserve” (68% Merlot, 24% Cab Franc, 8% Cab Sauv)	Napa Valley AVA	2013	168

California – Central Coast

142	Ridge, “Monte Bello” (73% Cab Sauv/15% Merlot/ 8% Petite Verdot/ 4% Cab Franc)	Santa Cruz Mtn AVA	2017	400
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Bordeaux

Left Bank

Saint-Estephe AOP

263	Chateau de Pez		2016	133
1117	Chateau Cos d'Estournel, Grand Cru Classé	Deuxième Cru – 2 nd Growth	2010	900

Pauillac AOP

831	Chateau Lynch Bages, Grand Cru Classé	Cinquèmes Cru – 5 th Growth	2005	590
749	Chateau Pibran		2015	110
374	Chateau Duhart-Milon, Grand Cru Classé <i>by Dom. Barons de Rothschild (Lafite)</i>	Quatrièmes Cru – 4 th Growth	2015	210
1124	Les Forts de Latour <i>Second label wine (aka: deuxièmes) of Chateau Latour</i>		2010	850

St. Julien AOP

1119	Chateau Leoville Barton, Grand Cru Classé	Deuxième Cru – 2 nd Growth	2012	230
299	Chateau Moulin Riche <i>Second label wine (aka: deuxièmes) of Chateau Leoville Poyferre</i>		2011	120

Moulis en Medoc AOP

612	Chateau Chase-Spleen		2016	123
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Margaux AOP

930	Zédé Labegorce <i>Second label wine of Chateau Labegorce</i>		2013	80
844	Cht. Kirwan, Grand Cru Classé	Troisième Cru – 3 rd Growth	2012	250

Pessac-Leognan AOP

32	Le Clarence de Haut-Brion <i>Second label wine (aka: deuxièmes) of Chateau Haut-Brion</i>		2015	340
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Graves AOP

794	Chateau Tourteau Chollet		2012	82
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Entre-deux-Mers

Graves de Vayres AOP

311	Chateau Cantelaudette, "Cuvée Prestige," (100% Merlot)		2014	70
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Right Bank

Lalande de Pomerol AOP

696	F. Thienpont		2012	72
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Pomerol AOP

169	Chateau Le Gay		2015	300
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Saint-Emilion Grand Cru AOP

285	Chateau Lassegue		2016	123
435	Les Cadrans de Lassegue <i>Second label wine of Chateau Lassegue</i>		2016	63

Merlot

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266	Keenan	Napa Valley AVA	2013	78
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France

311	Chateau Cantelaudette, "Cuvée Prestige" (100% Merlot), Entre-deux-Mers region, Bordeaux	Graves de Vayres AOP	2012	70
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United States

California

266	Keenan	Napa Valley AVA	2013	78
377	Crosby Roamann	Napa Valley AVA	2017	55

Malbec

Argentina

Northern Argentina - Salta

238	Colomé, (One of the world highest altitude wineries!)	Salta	2017	53
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Cuyo - Mendoza

66	Vina Cobos, "Bramare," (made by Paul Hobbs)	Luyon de Cuyo DO, Central Mendoza	2017	70
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United States

California

84	Lasseter, "Amoureux" (75% Malbec / 17% Cab Franc / 6% Merlot / 2% Cab Franc)	Sonoma County, CA	2012	113
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Cabernet Franc

United States

California

967	Pride Mountain	Napa County / Sonoma County	2017	143
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France

929	Chateau du Petit Thouars, "L'Épée"	Chinon AOP, Loire Valley	2017	55
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Cabernet Sauvignon

-United States-

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732	Heitz Cellars, Trailside Vyd	Napa Valley AVA	2013	255
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Washington

170	Sous Sol, DuBrul Vnyd	Yakima Valley AVA	2012	55
940	L'Ecole 41	Walla Walla Valley AVA	2016	76
585	Leonetti Cellar	Walla Walla Valley AVA	2016	265

California

North Coast – Napa County

1042	Avalon	Napa County	2017	52
1122	Hunt & Harvest	Napa Valley AVA	2018	67
898	Cht. Montelena	Napa Valley AVA	2017	153
65	Meyer Family, Bonny's Vyd <i>(from the founders of Silver Oak)</i>	Napa Valley AVA	2014	292
818	Orin Swift, "Mercury Head"	Napa Valley AVA	2016	250
407	Darioush	Napa Valley AVA	2016	230
980	Coho	Napa Valley AVA	2015	100
538	Napa Bench	Napa Valley AVA	2017	80
153	Paul Hobbs	Napa Valley AVA	2015	185
876	Heitz Cellars, Martha's Vyd	Napa Valley AVA	2013	490
732	Heitz Cellars, Trailside Vyd	Napa Valley AVA	2013	255
19	Faust <i>(from Agostin Huneeus - the founder of Quintessa)</i>	Napa Valley AVA	2017	113
376	Melka, "Metisse," Jumping Goat Vnyd	Napa Valley AVA	2014	305
752	White Rock	Napa Valley AVA	2014	133
420	Scarecrow	Napa Valley AVA	2016	800
225	Stags Leap Wine Cellars, "Artemis"	Napa Valley AVA	2017	120
415	Cade	Howell Mountain AVA, Napa Valley	2017	185
76488	Spring Mountain Vineyards	Spring Mountain AVA, Napa Valley	1988	500
668	Corison	St. Helena AVA, Napa Valley	2016	205
1093	Plumpjack	Oakville AVA, Napa Valley	2017	260
537	Stags Leap Wine Cellars, "Fay"	Stags Leap AVA, Napa Valley	2016	380

North Coast – Sonoma County

893	Kinsella Estates, Jersey Boys Vnyd	Dry Creek AVA	2016	250
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Central Coast – Paso Robles & Santa Barbara

566	Crown Point	Happy Canyon AVA	2013	298
800	Daou, "Reserve"	Paso Robles AVA	2018	120
174	Smith & Hook	Central Coast	2017	60

Glossary of Terms

General Wine Quality Levels

AOP (France) - Appellation d'Origine Protégée – Protected Appellation of Origin - This is a specified area with defined boundaries and specific rules for growing and making wine.

DO (Spain) - Denominación Origen - This is a specified area with defined boundaries and specific rules for growing and making wine.

DOQ/DOCa (Spain) - Denominación Origen Calificada- This is a specified area with defined boundaries and specific rules for growing and making wine that has achieved the highest reputation for quality in Spain.

DOP (Portugal) - Denominação de Origem Protegida - This is a specified area with defined boundaries and specific rules for growing and making wine.

AVA (USA)- American Viticultural Area - This is an area with defined boundaries that has a similar influence on wine growing as it applies to its terroir / geology and climate. There are no rules for what growers may, or may not, grow.

County Appellations (USA) - These are political boundaries which may, or many not, contain AVA.

France

Vielles Vignes - Old Vine - This term has no legal definition, but producers will use it to designate bottlings from the older & more established vines on their property. I have heard a general rule of thumb: "If the vines are older than the wine-grower, then they can call it Vieilles Vignes!"

Regional (quality level) - This is a geographical quality level that applies mainly to the wines of Burgundy. For this level a producer can use fruit from anywhere in the region. They are typically very easy to drink young and are very reasonable in price.

Village (quality level) - This is a geographical quality level that applies mainly to the wines of Burgundy. These wines must be grown within the geographical boundaries of the specified village on the label only. Some villages have earned higher esteem and demand than others. They are priced according to both this reputation and this demand

Lieu-Dit - Named place - A term typically used in Burgundy. A lieu-dit (pronounced: LOU-dee) is a vineyard site that carries a name that has been historically associated with it. That site, however, has not been classified as a 1er Cru, nor Grand Cru. It is simply a "named place" vineyard.

1er Cru (quality level) - This is a geographical quality level that applies mainly to the wines of Burgundy. Within villages there are specific vineyards with specific boundaries that have demonstrated over a long period of time that they are consistently producing wines of a higher quality and demand than their neighboring vineyards. Wines coming from these vineyards can have their name appended to the Village name and qualify for a Premier Cru (1er Cru) designation on the label.

Grand Cru (quality level) - This is a geographical quality level that applies mainly to the wines of Burgundy and Alsace. Within villages there are specific vineyards with specific boundaries that have demonstrated over a long period of time that they are consistently producing wines of the absolute highest quality possible. Beyond that of the 1er Cru vineyards. In this case, producers do not even put the name of the village on the label, only the name of the Grand Cru. These wines demand the highest prices in Burgundy and are the most sought after, prized, and hoarded by wine collectors.

Grand Cru Classé - This designation has been given mainly to the wines of Bordeaux and Cotes-de-Provence. Specific producers have shown the ability to produce a caliber of wine much higher than the vast majority of other producers in their region. Producer groups in these regions have designated (or classified) the best of the best and allowed them to use the term "Grand Cru Classe" on their labels. In the case of the Medoc region of Bordeaux they separated 61 producers into 5 different levels of "Grand Cru Classe."

United States

Reserve - Has no legal definition. Any producer can use this term for any reason...

Estate Bottled - A producer must own (or control through lease) 100% of the land used to grow the grapes used in a bottling. Additionally, all vineyards used must be located in the same AVA as the winery itself.

Glossary of Terms

Italy

Superiore - Typically refers to a richer wine than might normally come from the region. In the rules of production for the region it is usually expressed by having a higher minimum alcohol than the normal standard for the region. Amounts will vary from region to region.

Riserva - This is an aging requirement term. It almost always requires a longer aging process before the wine can be released for sale to the public. The length and type of aging (cask vs. bottle) will vary from region to region. For example, a wine labeled Barolo DOCG must be aged for 38 months (including 18 in cask) before it can be released; whereas a wine labeled Barolo Riserva must be aged for 62 months (including 18 in cask) before being released.

Spain

Crianza - This is the first level of aging designations in Spain. It typically designates 12 months total aging including 6 months in cask for whites & rosés; and 18 months total aging including 6 months in cask for reds. This is a generalized amount, some DO's & DOCA's may have their own individualized rules.

Reserva - This is the second level of aging designations in Spain. It typically designated 24 months total aging including 6 months in cask for whites & rosés; and 36 months total aging including 12 months in cask for reds. This is a generalized amount, some DO's & DOCA's may have their own individualized rules.

Gran Reserva - This is the highest level of aging designation in Spain. It typically designates 48 months total aging including 6 months in cask for whites & rosés; and 60 months total aging including 18 months in cask for reds. This is a generalized amount, some DO's & DOCA's may have their own individualized rules.

Germany

Pradikats - These are quality levels that are directly associated to the amount of sugar level in the grape when it is harvested. This correlates to the amount of potential alcohol and body the wine may have after fermentation.

Kabinett - The first of the "pradikats." Kabinett typically indicates a wine of a very delicate nature. One might expect find the slightest bit of residual sugar here; just a prickle of sweetness, not much more than that.

Spätlese - Probably the most widely encountered "pradikat." Spätlese wines have been harvested a bit late, their sugars have started to concentrate and there is a bit of botrytis (noble rot) on them. Expect these wines to have a good amount (but not dessert level yet) of residual sugar & sweetness, but are still classified as table wines.

Auslese - Wines of this designation sit right on the edge of having enough sugar to be dessert wines. There has been a noticeable, but not extreme amount of water evaporation leaving the grapes rain-like. They have a very noticeable amount of botrytis and residual sugar.

Beerenauslese (BA) - This is the first pradikat level that is squarely in the dessert wine category. They typically only come in 375ml & 500ml sized bottles. Climatic conditions need to be just right to make these wines correctly. They have been left on the vines much later than most, have a high amount of raisination, and show an elevated level of botrytis.

Eiswein - This is one of the rarest types of German & Austrian wines. The climatic conditions have to be just perfect. The grapes have to naturally freeze on the vine at the exact right time. The ice crystals in the water turn to ice, but the sugar and grape nectar do not. These wines are highly concentrated in sugar, and are incredibly sweet with a rich, syrupy texture that still manages to not appear cloying.

Trockenbeerenauslese (TBA) - A legendary wine in the world of dessert wines. Very little compares to TBA. The grapes are very shriveled and covered with botrytis. They are unctuously sweet with the viscosity of high-quality fresh maple syrup. These wines are powerful and precise at the same time.

Trocken - Dry. A wine with 9 grams per liter of residual sugar or less.

Gutwein - A wine made from within a specified large region. That region's name must be on the label.

Ortswein - A wine made from a specific village. The village name must appear on the label.

Erste Lage (First Growth) - A term synonymous with 1er Cru in Burgundy. These wines can be dry, off-dry, or sweet.

GG (Grosses Gewachs) - A term synonymous with Grand Cru in Burgundy. These wines must be trocken/dry.