



# WINE LIST

***A thing or two about cork: our corkage fee is \$25, but waived with the purchase of one bottle from our list. Corked bottles will be fully refunded; a corked smell is very distinctive and not to be confused with characteristic earth tones (barnyard) you find in many French and Italian wines. When your server opens a bottle that you selected and approved before opening, you are expected to pay for it! We can not take back you do not happen to like upon opening. Please note that we cannot refund or take back bottles that are opened.***

## BUBBLY AND CHAMPAGNE

*Bubbles, bubbles, bubbles, who doesn't love bubbles? Order a bottle with those oysters! Besides the well known Italian sparklers prosecco and moscato, Contratto makes an excellent blanc de blancs, that can compete with the best French champagnes. . A sparkling gruner from Austria and a sparkling vouvray from France offer a tasty and less expensive alternative.*

- 104 Prosecco, Adami "Bosco di Gica" Italy **33**
- 139 Vouvray, Domaine Huet, Pétillante, Brut, Loire, France, 2017 (93) **49**
- 116 Metodo Classico, Contratto, Blanc de Blancs, Brut, Italy, 2018 (92) **67**
- 106 Szigeti, Sekt, sparkling Grüner Veltliner, Austria **42**
- 145 Laurent Perrier "La Cuvee" (90) **69**
- 123 Billecart Salmon, Reserve (90) **89**
- 144 Billecart Salmon "Nicolas Francois" 2006 (95) **191**
- ♥ 115 Laurent Perrier, Brut, Millésimé 2008 (96) **115**
- 113 Pierre Moncuit, Brut, Blanc de Blancs, Vieilles Vignes, 2008 (93) **144**
- 127 Moet & Chandon "Dom Pérignon" 2010 (94) **328**
- 129 Veuve Clicquot "La Grande Dame" 2012 (93) **229**
- 112 Lilbert & Fils, Blanc de Blancs, Brut, Grand Cru, 2014 (95) **136**
- 133 Rose, Ruinart, 1er Cru (92) **99**
- 138 Rose, Laurent Perrier, Grand Cru (92) **99**
- 131 Rose, Billecart Salmon, 1er Cru (91) **122**
- ♥ 132 Rose, J. Lasalle "Special Club" 1er Cru 2013 **156**
- 147 Rose, Moet & Chandon "Dom Pérignon" 2006 (98) **472**

## ROSE WINES

- 452 La Spinetta "Casanova" Toscana, Italy, 2020 (90) **36**
- 456 Domaine de Nizas "Les Clos" Languedoc, France, 2021 (89) **29**
- ♥ 457 Chene Bleu "Le Rosé" Vaucluse, France (90) **59**
- 460 Domaine Tempier, Bandol, France, 2021 (91) **69**
- 451 Chateau d'Esclans "Rock Angel" Provence, France, 2021 (89) **49**
- 455 Chateau d'Esclans "Garrus" Provence, France, 2020 (94) **117**
- 453 Chateau d'Esclans "Garrus" Provence, France, 2019 (94) **286 Magnum**
- 462 Domaine de la Tour du Bon, Bandol, France, 2021 (91) **98 Magnum**

## CHARACTERISTIC WHITES

*Many are ready to try something white besides chardonnay. Love the Italian whites, but France whites are not to be overlooked. Vouvray and Savennierês are both made from the Chenin Blanc grape and are becoming more popular. I have fallen in love again with Viognier, great with cheese or just by itself. We offer three different ones and they all drink well. From Oregon comes the white pinot noir made by Domaine Serene in Oregon. When you close your eyes and smell, you would think it is a red pinot. From the tiny island of Santorini hails the Assyrtiko. You almost taste the Mediterranean and pairs well with any seafood.*

- 429 Assyrtiko, KirYanni, Macedonia, Greece, 2021 (90) **36**
- 443 Assyrtiko, Santo, Santorini, Greece 2021 (91) **43**
- 445 Assyrtiko, Sigalas, Santorini, Greece, 2020, 21, 22 (91) **56**
- 416 Torrentes, Zuccardi, Serie A, Argentina, 2021 **32**
- ♥ 450 Albarino, Fillaboia "Monte Alto", Spain, 2019 (93) **48**
- 407 Pinot Gris, Elk Cove, Willamette Valley, Oregon, 2020 **38**
- 426 Pinot Noir, Domaine Serene "Coeur Blanc" Oregon, 2018 (92) **128**
- 446 Chateauneuf du Pape, Dom de la Solitude, Rhone, France, 2021 (90) **68**
- 435 Chateauneuf du Pape, Janasse, Rhone, France, 2021 (91) **78**
- 440 Clairette, St. Cosme "Hominis Fides" Rhone, France, 2021 **89**
- 439 Viognier, Gassier "Embruns" Rhone, France 2020 **31**
- ♥ 438 Viognier, St.Cosme, Condrieu, Rhone, France, 2021 (90) **97**
- 436 Viognier, Vernay, Condrieu "Les Terrasses" Rhone, France, 2020 (91) **127**
- 437 Savennierês, Domaine FL, "Fremine" Loire, France, 2019 (95) **55**
- 434 Vouvray, Domaine Huet "Clos du Bourg" Sec, Loire, France, 2019 (97) **81**
- 424 Vouvray, Domaine Huet "Le Mont" Sec, Loire, France, 2020 (94) **78**
- 425 Vouvray, Domaine Huet "Le Haut Lieu" Sec, Loire, France, 2019 (95) **78**

## SAUVIGNON BLANC AND BLENDS

*Ever tried a sauvignon blanc from Washington State? Try the Substance Sunset Vineyard and be pleasantly surprised. Not overly citrusy, like the New Zealand style, but more full bodied and rounder. If you can't decide, go for the classic French Sancerre. Pascal Jolivet produces consistently good wines year after year.*

- 259 Corvidae Winery "Wise Guy" Washington, 2019 **34**
- ♥ 261 Substance Vineyard Collection, Sunset Vineyard, Washington, 2019 **45**
- 250 St. Supery "Dollarhide" Napa, 2021 (91) **49**
- 264 Cakebread, Napa, 2021 **56**
- 256 Cade, Napa, 2021 **59**
- 254 Sauvignon Blend, Chateau De Fontenille, Bordeaux, France, 2021 **33**
- 258 Sancerre, Pascal Jolivet, Loire, France, 2020 **69**
- 268 Pouilly Fume, Domaine de Berthiers, Loire, France, 2021 (90) **59**
- 266 Pouilly Fume, Benjamin/Dagueneau "Silex" Loire, France, 2019 (94) **176**
- 265 Sauvignon Blend, Ornellaia "Poggio alle Gazze" Tuscany, Italy, 2019 (92) **89**
- 260 Kim Crawford, Marlborough, New Zealand, 2020 (88) **38**
- 255 Alan Scott, Marlborough, New Zealand, 2020 (92) **37**

## RIESLINGS AND OTHER GERMANIC WHITES

*The Germans and Austrians have been making wine for centuries and I am not referring to rieslings only. A pinot blanc or grüner veltliner will show you freshness, minerality and is a great food companion. A white Pinot Noir from Germany is not an illusion, but the wine is certainly called "Illusion"!*

- ♥ 403 Pinot Blanc, Albert Boxler, Alsace, France, 2019 (91) **59**
- 414 Pinot Blanc, Rebholz "Im Sonnenschein" GG, Germany, 2018 (94) **134**
- 417 Grüner Veltliner, Markus Huber "Obere Steigen" Austria, 2020 (91) **39**
- 419 Grüner Veltliner, Prager, Hinter der Burg Federspiel, Austria, 2021 (93) **55**
- 430 Grüner Veltliner, Rudi Pichler "Achleiten" Smaragd, Austria, 2018 (96) **94**
- 151 Riesling, Grünhaus-Von Schubert, Monopole, Germany, 2020 (91) **42**
- 152 Riesling, Robert Weill, Kabinett, Rheingau, Germany, 2020 (91) **49**
- 158 Riesling, Prager, Smaragd "Klaus" Achleiten Austria, 2021 (92) **89**
- 159 Riesling, Loosen "Erdener Treppchen" GG Alte Reben, Germany, (94) **74**
- 154 Riesling, Rebholz "Kastanianbusch" GG, Germany, 2020 (95) **148**

## INDIGENOUS ITALIAN WHITES

- 206 Pinot Grigio, Alois Lageder "Riff" Alto Adige, 2020 **39**
- 406 Pinot Grigio, Santa Margherita, Alto Adige, 2021 **55**
- 409 Pinot Grigio, Keber "Riserva" Colli, 2018 (95) **55**
- 404 Pinot Grigio, Alois Lageder "Benefizium Porer" Alto Adige, 2020 **57**
- 390 Friulano Ribolla Blend, La Tunella "Biancosesto" Veneto 2020 (94) **72**
- 415 Soave Classico, Inama "Foscarino" Veneto, 2019 (93) **44**
- ♥ 444 Arneis, Langhe Bianco Cocito, Piemonte, 2020 **37**

- 401 Vermentino, La Spinetta, Tuscany, 2020 (90) **39**
- 413 Falanghina, Quintodecimo "Via del Campo" Campania, 2019 (91) **109**
- 422 Fiano di Avellino, Quintodecimo "Exultet" Campania, 2019 (91) **109**
- 399 Greco di Tufo, Tenuta Capaldo "Goletto", Campania. 2017 (95) **85**
- 412 Greco di Tufo, Quintodecimo "Giallo d'Arles" Campania, 2020 (94) **109**
- 441 Caricante, Benanti "Pietra Marina", Etna Bianco, Sicily 2017 (92) **111**

## TIMORASSO

*Timorasso is one of the native white grapes from Piedmonte. It is a versatile grape with lots of minerality and freshness. Each winemaker manages to express different aspects of this grape. Sassaia is the only winery that ages in oak and taste more like a cru Burgundy. All others use stainless steel and it can show characteristics of chenin blanc or a dry riesling. It also ages very well, so do not be afraid to order the 2013 Fausto.*

- 410 Vigneti Massa, Derthona, Colli Tortonesi, 2020 (92) **49**
- 411 Sassaia "Platinum" Derthona" 2019 (94) **74**

- ♥ 418 La Spinetta "Piccolo Derthona" Colli Tortonese, 2020 (91) **39**
- 428 Vigna Marino Coppi "Fausto" Colli Tortonese, 2013 (91) **64**

## CHARDONNAY

- 301 Carmenet, California, 2020 **36**
- 306 Grayson Cellars, California, 2020 **36**
- 305 Sonoma Cutrer, Russian River, Sonoma, 2021 **44**
- 312 Sonoma Cutrer "The Cutrer" Sonoma, 2019 **54**
- 314 Du Mol, Wester Reach, Russian River, Sonoma, 2018 (94) **94**
- ♥ 323 Lioco "Estero" Russian River, Sonoma, 2019 **55**
- 308 Wayfarer, Fort Ross-Seaview Vineyard, Sonoma Coast, 2020 (96) **97**
- 309 Rombauer, Napa, 2021 (91) **65**
- 310 Cakebread, Napa, 2020 (90) **65**
- 315 Tor, Torchiana Beresini, Napa, 2019 (91) **93**

- 302 Talbott, Kali Hart Vineyard, Santa Lucia Highlands, 2020 **39**
- 324 Pisoni, Estate, Santa Lucia Highlands, 2020 (96) **132**
- 311 Sandhi "Sanford & Benedict" Santa Rita Hills, 2019 (93) **79**
- 322 Ken Wright "Savoya" Yamhill, Oregon, 2017 (92) **59**
- 335 Domaine Serene "Evenstadt", Willamette Valley, Oregon, 2018 (93) **89**
- 318 La Spinetta "Lidia" Piedmonte 2019 (93) **88**
- 332 Torres "Milmanda" Spain, 2020 (94) **82**
- 319 Catena Zapata "White Stones" Argentina, 2020 (96) **139**
- 333 Kumeu River "Hunting Hill" New Zealand, 2020 (95) **81**
- ♥ 321 Leeuwin, Artist Series, Australia, 2018 (97) **99**

## CHARDONNAY-WHITE BURGUNDY

- ♥ 341 Bourgogne, Domaines des Perdrix, Cote de Nuits, 2019 (91) **84**
- 356 Bourgogne, Henri Boillot, 2020 **67**
- 371 Chablis, Louis Moreau "Les Clos" Grand Cru, 2018 (94) **119**
- 343 Macon-Verzé, Leflaive, 2019 (92) **99**
- 363 Cote de Beaune Blanc, Joseph Drouhin, 2020 **79**
- 346 Mercurey, Chamirey "La Mission" Monopole, 2019 (90) **98**
- 340 Corton Charlemagne, Joseph Drouhin, Grand Cru, 2020 (95) **345**

- ♥ 357 Pouilly Fuisse, Roc de Boutires "Aux Bouthieres" 2021 (94) **98**
- 374 Puligny Montrachet, Chavy, Champs Gains, 1er Cru, 2019 (90) **146**
- 377 Puligny Montrachet, Boillot "Clos de la Mouchere" Monopole, 1er Cru, 2020 **252**
- 348 Chassagne Montrachet, Girardin "Les Caillerets" 1er Cru, 2019 (91) **159**
- 375 Meursault, Philippe le Hardi, 2019 **89**
- 359 Meursault, de Bellene "Les Forges" 1er Cru, 2019 (90) **98**

## PINOT NOIR-RED BURGUNDY

*My favorite section of the wine list! Burgundy is the holy grail for pinot lovers, although it is never a "sure" thing with Burgundy. Sometimes you miss the fruit, sometimes it is richer in tannins than you expected. If that is the case; "opened it too early" is what the pros will tell you!" But when you open that bottle and it hits on all cylinders, there is simply nothing better, wine heaven!*

- 553 Domaine de Montille, Bourgogne Rouge, 2018 **73**
- 555 Mugneret, Chambolle Musigny "Feuselottes" 1er Cru, 2014 (94) **352**
- 552 Olivier Bernstein, Chambolle-Musigny, Bonnes Mares, 2011 (92) **411**
- 554 Jean Grivot, Clos de Vougeot, Grand Cru, 2016 (95) **374**
- 560 Domaine de Bellene, Vosne-Romanee "Les Quartiers" 2019 (95) **164**
- 545 Michel Gros "Clos des Réas" Monopole, Vosne Romanee, 2012 (90) **158**
- 540 Dugat-Py, Gevrey Chambertin "Coeur du Roy" 2015 (90) **188**
- 542 Esmonin, Gevrey Chambertin "St. Jacques", 1er Cru, 2020 (91) **79**
- 541 Roche de Bellene, Volnay "Vielles Vignes" 2019 (90) **91**

- 548 Maison Ilan, Morey St. Denis "Les Monts Luisants" 1er Cru, 2013 (91) **115**
- 544 Pierre Gelin, Clos Napoleon, Monopole, 1er Cru, Fixin, 2018 (91) **113**
- 549 Joseph Drouhin "Clos des Mouches", Beaune, 2018 (94) **186**
- 543 Domaine de Bellene, Nuits St George, Vielles Vignes, 2018 (92) **98**
- 550 Roche de Bellene, Nuits St Georges "Aux Boudots" 2015 (94) **176**
- 551 Domaine des Perdrix, Nuits Saint Georges, 2019 (90) **105**
- ♥ 547 Georges Noëllat, Nuits St Georges, 2015 (90) **134**
- 546 Henri Gouges, Nuits St. Georges, Clos des Porrets, 1er Cru, 2019 (93) **106**
- 558 Dom de Courcel, Pommard "Grand Clos de Epenots" 1er Cru, 2015 (94) **196**

## CALIFORNIA PINOT NOIR

- 503 Frelander, 2020, California **39**
- 520 Sandhi, Santa Rita Hills, 2017 (93) **59**
- 524 Sandhi "Sanford & Benedict" Santa Rita Hills, 2019 (93) **74**
- 522 Domaine de la Cote "Memorius" Santa Rita Hills, 2018 (92) **125**
- 516 Domaine de la Cote "Bloom's Field" Santa Rita Hills, 2020 (94) **125**
- 510 Domaine de la Côte "La Côte" Santa Rita Hills, 2021 (96) **200**
- 530 Pisoni, Estate, Santa Lucia Highlands, 2019 (96) **134**
- 508 Talbott, Sleepy Hollow Vineyard, Central Coast, 2017 (91) **55**
- 533 Kosta Browne, Russian River, 2020 (93) **148**

- 512 Du Mol "Wester Reach" Russian River, 2019 (96) **98**
- 514 Du Mol, Estate, Russian River, 2020 (95) **139**
- 504 La Crema, Sonoma Coast, 2021 **41**
- ♥ 538 Alma de Cattleaya, Sonoma, 2021 (95) **62**
- 505 Landmark, Overlook Vineyard, Sonoma, 2018 **41**
- 536 Resa, Staglin, Petulama Gap, Sonoma, 2018 **93**
- 534 Hanzell, Estate, Sonoma, 2016 (93) **99**
- 507 Wayfarer "Fort Ross-Seaview" Sonoma Coast, 2017 (94) **99**
- 511 Merry Edwards, Russian River, 2019 (91) **82**

## OREGON AND NEW ZEALAND PINOT NOIR

- 521 Elk Cove, Willamette Valley, Oregon, 2020 (90) **49**
- 539 Elk Cove "Mount Richmond" Willamette Valley, Oregon, 2021 (92) **74**
- 523 Shea Wine Cellars, Estate, Willamette Valley, Oregon, 2019 **79**
- ♥ 528 Dobbles Family "Patricia's Cuvee" Willamette Valley, 2019 (94) **94**
- 529 Ken Wright "Savoy" Willamette Valley, Oregon, 2021 **74**
- 532 Domaine Serene "Evenstadt" Willamette Valley, Oregon, 2018 (94) **129**
- 527 Beaux Freres "Beaux Freres" Willamette Valley, Oregon, 2018 (95) **146**
- 535 Antica Terra "Botanica" Willamette Valley Oregon, 2020 **245**
- 556 Antica Terra "Ceras" Willamette Valley, Oregon, 2020 **275**
- 571 Alan Scott, Marlborough, New Zealand 2021 **39**
- 577 Innocent Bystander, Central Otago, New Zealand, 2021 **39**

## GERMAN PINOT NOIR AND SPÄTBURGUNDER

*German pinots are not well known in the United States. They are light and usually fruit forward, so a red that pairs well with seafood. If you usually drink Pinots and you like them fruit forward, you need to try one of these!*

- 573 Gantenbein, Graubünden, Switzerland, 2012 (95) **242**
- 513 Becker, Pfalz, Germany, 2015 (91) **58**
- ♥ 517 Meyer-Näkel, Spätburgunder, Estate, Ahr, Germany, 2018 (94) **69**
- 509 Meyer Näkel "Blue Slate" Ahr, Germany, 2018 (92) **115**
- 576 Becker, Spätburgunder "Sankt Paul" GG Germany, 2015 (92) **149**

## GRENACHE, SYRAH, SHIRAZ, MOURVEDRE AND BLENDS

- 681 Chateauneuf du Pape, Domaine du Pégäü, Reserve, Rhone, 2016 (96) **171**
- 680 Chateauneuf du Pape, Andre Brunel "Cailloux" Rhone, 2001 (91) **128**
- 683 Chateauneuf du Pape, Clos St Jean "La Combe des Fous" 2015 (95) **198**
- 694 Chateauneuf du Pape, Domaine du Pégäü, Reserve, Rhone, 2012 (94) **177**
- 698 Chateauneuf du Pape, Roger Sabon "Prestige" 2019 (95) **141**
- 682 Chateauneuf du Pape, Roger Sabon " Les Secrets" Rhone, 2014 (94) **154**
- 611 Grenache, St. Cosme, Gigondas "Hominis Fides" Rhone, 2019 (99) **189**
- 613 Grenache, Borsao, Tres Picos, Campo de Borja, Spain, 2019 (90) **37**
- 620 Grenache, Daphne Glorian "Clos Erasmus" Priorat, Spain, 2017 (98) **249**
- 580 Mourvedre, Cline Cellars, Ancient Vines, Contra Costa, California, 2020 **33**
- 628 Mourvedre, Andremily, Santa Barbara, 2020 (99) **150**
- 657 Mourvedre, Lillian, California, 2020 **164**
- 660 Petite Sirah, Guenoc, Guenoc County, California, 2019 **33**
- 664 Shiraz, Penfold's "Grange" South Australia, Australia , 2013 (97) **850**
- 690 GSM Blend, Grassier, Cote du Rhone, Rhone, 2020 **30**
- 621 GSM Blend, Beurenard "Rasteau" Rhone, 2019 (90) **49**
- 630 GSM Blend, Andremily "EABA" Santa Barbara, 2020 (97) **150**
- ♥ 684 GSM Blend, Grassier "Nostre Pais" Rhone 2018m (90) **39**
- 669 Syrah, Du Colombier "Hermitage" Rhone, 2017 (94) **97**
- 668 Syrah, Cornas, JL Colombo "Les Ruchets" Rhone, 2016 (96) **104**
- 661 Syrah, Lillian "Gold Series", California, 2020 **145**
- 665 Syrah, Du Mol "Eddies Patch" Russian River, 2019 (94) **96**
- ♥ 622 Syrah, Andremily, Santa Barbara, 2020 (99) **150**
- 625 Syrah, Epoch "Authenticity" Paso Robles, 2017 (96) **177**
- 697 Syrah, Epoch "Block B" Paderewski, Paso Robles, 2017 (96) **176**
- 672 Syrah, Cayuse "En Chamberlin" Walla Walla, Washington, 2019 (95) **195**
- 663 Syrah, Cayuse "En Cerise" Walla Walla, Washington 2019 (94) **195**
- 662 Shiraz, Mollydooker "Blue Eyed Boy" Australia, 2020 (92) **71**

## TEMPRANILLO AND MALBEC

- 602 Tempranillo, Numanthia-Termes, "Termes", Toro, Spain, 2019 (93) **49**
- 605 Tempranillo, Numanthia-Termes, "Numanthia" Toro, Spain, 2016 (93) **59**
- ♥ 600 Tempranillo, Zuccardi "Q" Mendoza, Argentina, 2017 (91) **49**
- 653 Malbec, Achaval-Ferrer, Mendoza, Argentina, 2019 (90) **57**
- 654 Malbec, Catena "Alta" Historic Rows, Mendoza, Argentina, 2018 (91) **69**
- 656 Malbec, Catena "Argentino" Uco Valley, Argentina, 2017 (96) **144**
- 652 Malbec, Zuccardi "Tito" Mendoza, Argentina, 2021 (94) **58**
- 658 Malbec, Zuccardi "Piedra Infinita" Altamira, Argentina, 2017 (98) **182**

## ITALIAN REDS

*Not a bad vintage since 2002! Italian reds are finally getting the respect they deserve. If you like Pinots, try a Barolo, a lighter styled red. Walter Massa's Barbera is a bright red that combines great with seafood. You need to try a Sicilian or Sardinian red at least once! If you are into Cali cabs, make sure to try a Cabernet based Super Tuscan and be ready to be wowed.*

- 743 Amarone, Masi "Costasera", Veneto, 2016 (92) **72**
- 705 Valpolicella, Dal Forno Romano, Verona, 2016 (94) **191**
- 707 Sangiovese, Castellare "I Sodi di San Niccolo" Tuscany, 2017 (96) **119**
- 702 Sangiovese, Fontodi "Flaccianello della Pieve" Tuscany, 2008 (96) **221**
- 703 Brunello, Ciacci Piccolomini "Pianrosso" Tuscany, 2017 (96) **165**
- 706 Brunello, Casanova di Neri, Tuscany, 2018 (96) **95**
- ♥ 713 Barbera, Walter Massa "Monleale" Piedmonte, 2014 (90) **69**
- 721 Barbera, La Spinetta "Ca de Pian" Piedmonte, 2018 (90) **53**
- 723 Barbera Blend, La Spinetta "PIN" Monferato, Piedmonte, 2016 (91) **79**
- 717 Barbaresco, La Spinetta "Bordini" Piedmonte, 2019 (94) **75**
- 745 Barbaresco, Di Gresy "Camp Gros" Riserva, Piedmonte, 2013 (95) **159**
- 724 Barbaresco, La Spinetta, Vigneto Gallina, Piedmonte, 2010 (94) **162**
- 725 Barbaresco, Gaja, Piedmonte, 2011 (93) **325**
- 708 Barolo, Damilano "Cannubi" Piemonte, 2012 (93) **107**
- 729 Barolo, Scavino "Rocche dell'Annunziata" Riserva, 2013 (96) **232**
- 711 Barolo, La Spinetta, Vigneto Campe, Piedmonte, 2017 (95) **197**
- 718 Barolo, Paolo Scavino "Bric dël Fiasc" Piedmonte, 2018 (95) **154**
- 714 Barolo, Vietti "Castiglione" Piedmonte, 2019 (93) **89**
- 722 Taurasi, Tenuta Capaldo "Gulielmus" Riserva, 2015 (95) **107**
- ♥ 709 Nerello Mascalese, Pietradolce "Etna Rosso" Sicily, 2020 (92) **42**
- 715 Nerello Mascalese, Passopisciaro "Contrada G" Sicily, 2017 (93) **79**
- 720 Garignano, Agricola Punica "Barrua" Sardinia 2018 (95) **59**
- 941 Super Tuscan, Capanelle "50&50" Tuscany, 2016 (92) **189**
- 925 Super Tuscan, Gaja "Camarcanda" Bolgheri, Tuscany, 2019 (97) **297**
- 936 Super Tuscan, Ornellaia "Ornellaia" Bolgheri, Tuscany, 2019 (96) **297**
- 934 Super Tuscan, Ornellaia "Masseto" Tuscany, 2011 (97) **842**

## RED ZINFANDEL

950 Cline Cellars, Ancient Vines, Contra Costa, California, 2019 **39**

951 Rombauer, Napa, 2019 (91) **62**

955 Martinelli "Guiseppe & Luisa" Sonoma, 2018 (94) **86**

953 Seghesio "Old Vines" Sonoma, 2018 (90) **64**

♥ 954 Ridge "Pagani Ranch" Sonoma, 2019 (93) **65**

## MERLOT AND MERLOT BLENDS

*Merlot is finally making a comeback. Back in the day there was a lot of cheap merlot on the market, contributing to that bad reputation. Merlot can be every bit as powerful as Cabernet, but with a rounder and smoother finish.*

591 Charles Smith "The Velvet Devil" Washington, 2021 **29**

594 Long Shadow "Pedestal" Columbia, Washington, 2018 (94) **87**

592 Textbook, Pey Family, Napa, 2019 **39**

593 Frog's Leap, Rutherford, Napa, 2019 **64**

♥ 597 Merlot Blend, Blackbird Vineyards "Arise" Napa, 2018 (91) **63**

596 Merlot Blend, Pahlmeyer, Napa, 2019 (94) **98**

595 Merlot Blend, Daou Vineyards "BodyGuard" Paso Robles, 2018 (92) **59**

## RED BORDEAUX

*The primary grapes in Bordeaux are Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Petit Verdot and Cabernet Franc. In general, Bordeaux Chateaus are split in either "Left" or "Right" bank, referring to the banks of the river in the town of Bordeaux. Blends from the "Left Bank" are more Cabernet Sauvignon based with other varieties added in. The "Right Bank" uses Merlot as the base for their blends. Famous right bank appellations are Saint Emillion and Pomerol. Known left bank towns are: Pauillac, St. Julien, St. Estephe and Margaux. We purchased some solid wines from the 2019 vintage from each bank, that will not break your "bank".*

940 Beau Séjour Bécot, Grand Cru, St. Emillion, 2016 (95) **189**

905 Tour Bayard, St. Emillion, 2019 (93) **55**

912 Canon-La Gaffelière, Grand Cru, St. Emillion, 2016 (95) **159**

948 Clos Fourtet, Premier Grand Cru, St. Emillion, 2016 (95) **197**

929 La Gaffellère, Grand Cru, St. Emillion, 2015 (97) **161**

957 Léoville Las Cases, Second Growth, St. Julien, 2016 (98) **429**

926 Cos d'Estournel, Second Growth, St. Estèphe, 1990 (94) **284**

921 Cos d'Estournel, Second Growth, St. Estèphe, 2001 (94) **323**

943 Siran, Margaux, 2019 (91) **61**

949 Palmer "Alter Ego" Margaux, 2017 **188**

931 Rauzan-Ségla, Second Growth, Margaux, 2001 (92) **222**

947 Pedesclaux, Grand Cru, Pauillac, 2019 (93) **73**

♥ 920 d'Armailhac, Grand Cru, Pauillac, 2015 (92) **105**

924 La Tour "Les Forts de la Tour" Pauillac, 2010 (95) **388**

## CABERNET FRANC AND PETIT VERDOT

615 Cab Franc, Domaine Clau de Nell, Loire, France, 2020 (91) **64**

♥ 606 Cab Franc, Duemani "Cifra" Tuscany, 2020 (94) **55**

♥ 612 Petit Verdot, Petra Winery "Zingari" Tuscany 2018 (91) **42**

659 Petit Verdot-Carménère, Montes "Purple Angel" Argentina, 2019 (96) **92**

## CABERNET SAUVIGNON AND CABERNET BLENDS

*"California Big Dogs"? We got several of them; Pritchard Hill, Hillside Select, Colgin, Ghost Block, Pahlmeyer, Insignia, Dunn Howell Mountain, Soul of a Lion to name a few. Washington State is well represented as well as some Spanish gems like El Nido and Mas del Plana. You will find the Super Tuscans like Ornellaia, Tua Rita and Masseto in the Italian section. Most of these wines are highly allocated, but because of our reputation as a wine destination, we are able to source these unique wines for you year after year.*

803 Grayson, California, 2022 **38**

809 Cain The Concept "Benchland" Napa, 2014 (93) **75**

825 Cain "Five" Napa, 2006 (96) **116**

808 Quilt, Napa, 2019 **59**

919 Du Mol, Napa, 2018 (95) **175**

813 Honig, Napa, 2019 **69**

811 Rombauer, Napa, 2019 (90) **82**

814 Caymus, Napa, 2020 **98**

♥ 829 Davies Vineyards, Napa, 2019 (91) **89**

822 Joseph Phelps "Insignia" Napa, 2018 (95) **397**

815 Lewis Cellars, Napa, 2019 (93) **176**

812 Shafer "TD-9" Napa, 2019 **82**

927 Revolver Wine Company "The Vein" Napa, 2015 (94) **212**

322 Vine Hill Ranch "VHR" Napa, 2018 (97) **322**

826 Dunn Vineyards, Howell Mountain, Napa, 2016 (95) **259**

835 Shafer "Hillside Select" Stag's Leap, Napa, 2018 (98) **445**

831 Vineyard 29 Estate "Ceanda" St. Helena, Napa, 2018 (93) **181**

819 Cakebread, Napa, 2018 **96**

816 Chappellet "Signature" Napa, 2019 (93) **95**

838 Chappellet "Pritchard Hill" Napa, 2019 (99) **330**

939 Turnbull "Black Label" Napa, 2019 (95) **237**

930 Pahlmeyer, Red Blend, Napa, 2018 (95) **292**

933 Ghost Block "Estate" Oakville, Napa, 2019 (95) **114**

938 Colgin Cellars "IX Estate Red" Napa, 2010 (97) **727**

842 Ghost Block "Single Vineyard" Yountville, Napa, 2019 (95) **136**

817 Sebastiani, Alexander Valley, Sonoma, 2019 (89) **38**

821 Jack Tar Cellars, Paso Robles, 2020 **53**

806 Austin Hope, Paso Robles, 2020 (90) **59**

910 Justin "Isosceles" Paso Robles, 2018 (91) **75**

♥ 807 L'Aventure "Optimus" Paso Robles, 2019 (93) **99**

805 L'Aventure "Estate Cuvee" Paso Robles, 2020 (94) **125**

802 Daou Vineyards "Reserve" Paso Robles, 2020 (91) **73**

800 Daou Vineyards "Soul of a Lion" Paso Robles, 2019 (97) **211**

903 Owen Roe, Yakima Valley, Washington, 2018 (90) **54**

830 Substance "Bx" Klein Vineyard, Washington, 2018 (92) **87**

907 Boudreaux Cellars "Reserve" Washington, 2014 (95) **131**

♥ 836 K Vintners "King Coal" Stoneridge Vineyard, Washington, 2018 (92) **154**

932 Quilceda Creek, Columbia Valley, Washington, 2019 (99) **199**

♥ 840 Torres "Mas del Plana" Penedes, Spain, 2016 (96) **99**

804 Concha y Toro, Marques de Casa Concha, Chile, 2019 (92) **38**

823 Concha y Toro "Don Melchor" Chile, 2019 (97) **241**