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Champagne and Sparkling

Champagne

JACOUES BONCOEUR NV £50.00

Champagne

Half £27.50

Ideal aperitif champagne. 88% Pinot Noir and 12% Chardonnay, lively mousse, light and toasty with 'hints of tarte tatin' and good citrus acidity following through to a lemony finish - Laurant Perrier style. Very easy drinking!.

By the 100ml glass £12.00.

JOSEPH PERRIER NV NV £64.00

An attractive, weighty Champagne made of the classic three grapes: Chardonnay, Pinot Noir & Pinot Meunier.

APOLLONIS - Blanc de Noirs NV £56.00

Michel Loriot, Festigny, France

Half £29.50

Unusual and distinctive. I couldn't resist trying this 100% Pinot Meunier and found it delicious. Full bodied, rounded, baked apple and honey on the nose, depth and a little yeastiness.

MAISON TESTULAT - Blanc de Noirs NV £50.00

Epernay, France

Half £28.50

Light with gentle toasty notes this is a soft approachable easy drinking Champagne style equal parts Pinot Noir & Pinot Meuniers.

TAITTINGER NV £70.00

Half £36.00

Tattinger has a house style which is mid-weight but rounded - about 30% Chardonnay which gives ripe apple rather than citrus notes.

Sparkling Wine

PIGNOLETTO FRIZZANTE 2020 £26.80

Gruppo Cevico, Emiglia Romagna

Fresh and petillant rather than fully sparkling because secondary fermentation takes place in a regular wine bottle with a reguar cork and is under less pressure than Champagne method. It makes a splendid and eminently quaffable aperitif and is less gassy so better with food.

PROSECCO NV £30.00

Also available in 200ml mini bottles £9.80

CREMANT DE LIMOUX NV £35.00

Limoux, France

Method 'traditionelle' light, dry, frothy, fizz made predominently from Mauzac.

PIQUEPOUL - CHARDONNAY Frisante 2020 £32.00

Cote Mas, Pezanas, S France

Light, aromatic but crisp white from Cote Mas, which is exuberantly frisante. Blended with Chardonnay to give it a bit more substance.

COURT GARDEN Classic Cuvee 2016 £50.00

Court Garden, Ditchling, East Sussex

Half £26.00

Classic blend of Chardonnay, Pinot Noir and Pinot Meunier. Toast and baked apple but retaining acidity.

DITCHLING QUARTET 2014 £62.00

Court Garden, Ditchling, East Sussex

Chardonnay, Pinot Meunier, Pinot Noir & Pinot Precoce. 60% of the wine spent 6 months on French oak to add richness and softness to the mouthfeel. It won an IWSC Gold in 2021-judges praised the 'honecomb, bruised apple & brioche on the nose.

NYETIMBER CLASSIC CUVEE NV £56.00

Nyetimber, West Chiltington, England

Half £29.00

This classic combination of Chardonnay, Pinot Noir and Pinot Meunier justified all the plaudits it generated.

NYETIMBER DEMI-SEC NV £66.00

Nyetimber, West Chiltington,

Rounded, sweet but zesty and a big hit at our recent tasting. Drink as an aperitif or as a dessert wine, but especially nice with the Veal Tartare starter on our current menu.

NYTIMBER BLANC DE BLANC 2013 £74.00

Nytimber, West Chiltington

Another classy offering from Nytimber. Five years on lees gives a yeasty depth, whilst it retains the balancing acidity. Plenty of life in this vintage.

SOLARIS NV £68.00

Dunesforde, Yorkshire

Accomplished fizz from grapes grown in Dunsforde Vinyard and vinified by the experts at the Halfpenny Green Winery.

TOM'S CUVEE 2020 £45.00

Little Wold Vinyard, South Cave, Yorkshire

A simple frothy, fruity wine with good balancing minerality made from Seyval Blanc.

Rose

PROSECCO ROSE BRUT

2020

£34.50

Terre di Sant Alberto, Valdobbiadene

This Prosecco -style blush wine is made from Pinot Nero. Soft bubbles, gentle red fruit on the nose, with a fresh dry finish. 11.5% Alcohol.

ALICE'S CUVEE 2020 £58.00

Little Wold Vinyard, South Cave, Yorkshire

Ripe redsmooth satisfying rounded wine with well-integrated tannins and a long finish.

NYETIMBER ROSE NV £68.00

Nyetimber

Delicious, well balanced sparking Rose with typical strawberry notes. Nyetimber is internationally recognised as serious competition to even the best Champagnes.

NYETIMBER 1086 Prestige Cuvee

2010

£195.00

Nyetimber, Sussex

A special, limited edition Rose made from Chardonnay, Pinot Noir and Pinot Meuniers. Sophisticated, dry and elegant.



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French White

White from all French Regions

CHABLIS	2022	£45.00

Domaine Jean-Marc Brocard, Chablis

2021 Half £23.00

Dry, ripe apple fruit in good concentration with typical minerality.

PERNAND VERGELESSES Les Combottes 2016 £85.00

Louis Jadot

Rich ripe and complex. A flagship wine from this very well renowned producer, Burgundy of this quality is scarce and getting more so by the day!

MEURSAULT 'Le Limozin'

2019

£90.00

Domaine Rene Monnier

Quite mineral initially this vintage opens after a little time to reveal a typically rounded buttery finish with good depth and persistance.

PULIGNY - MONTRACHET

2019

£115.00

Bachelet Monnot

A classy and complex Burgundy from a top grower.

MACON-UCHIZY 2022 £32.00

Domaine Talmard, Bourgogne

Unoaked Chardonnay from the Maconnais. Notes of 'hawthorn' on the floral nose, and a palate of baked apple fruit, a suggestion of citrus (grapfruit) and an underpinning minerality.

MUSCADET 'SUR LIE' - Chateau de Chasseloir

2018

£27.50

Bernard Chereau, Nantes

Fresh, tart and clean but with a rich earthy note on the finish. The depth added by being 'sur lie' puts it head and shoulders above the basic stuff - still drinking well 2021.

SAUVIGNON DE TOURAINE

2021

£29.40

Domaine du Haut Perron, Touraine, France

Well-balanced, fresh ripe fruit and crisp acidity. A classic French Sauvignon Blanc.

MENETOU-SALON 2020 £40.00

Domaine Gerard Millet

Neighbouring the more famous (and more expensive) Sancerre, Menetou now has a reputation of its own! Sauvignon Blanc, classically tart, crisp and mineral.

SANCERRE 2020 £56.00

Vincent Pinard

All the typical characteristics of well made Sancerre, dry fruity with a hint of blackcurrent leaf and asparagus.

COLOMBARD - SAUVIGNON

2022

£26.00

Cotes de Gascogne

1/2 Litre Carafe £17.80

Light fresh quaffing Sauvignon. 11.5% Alcohol

SAINT-VERAN 'Plaisance'

2022

£42.00

£36.00

Thierry Drouin,

Ripe fruit, and unexpectedly rounded finish in this young classic..

GEWURZTRAMINER 2018

Hunawhir, Haut-Rhin, Alsace

Very attractive example of its kind - perfume on the nose balanced nicely with rounded fruit on the palate hinting towards ripe grapefruit.

GEWURZTRAMINER 'Classic'

2016

Half

£20.00

Hugel, Riquewhir, Alsace

Gewurztraminer from one of the big names.

VIOGNIER 2022 £28.50

Domaine Montmain, Pays d'Oc

Ripe fruit with subtle notes of apricot, orange blossom and peach on the nose and good balancing acidity.

CHATEAU LESTRILLE CAPMARTIN

2018

£40.00

Bordeaux

A good concentration of fruit and oak combine in this full-bodied traditional-style white Bordeaux which punches well above its weight. Sauvignon Gris, Semillon and Sauvignon in this mix.

CHATEAU LESTRILLE CAPMARTIN SAUVIGNON

2020

£30.00

Entre-Deux-Mers, Bordeaux

An accomplished crisp Sauvi Ch Listrelle Capmartin.



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Other European White

YORKSHIRE WHITE 2022 £28.00

Laurel Vines Winery, Yorkshire

Ortega from a vinyard south of Driffield. Dry white, light fruity and aromatic with balancing acidity. Ripe Alsace meets New Zealand!

ORANGE WINE 2021 £36.00

Yorkshire Heart Vineyard, Nun Monkton

Made with Solaris, the skin contact has given it body and tannins. This proved a real hit at this year's Food Festival Tastings.

RIESLING 2017 £36.00

Reichsgraf von Kesselstatt, Mosel

A fruity, medium-sweet but resfreshingly mineral Riesling from a much admired producer. 10.5% alcohol.

RIESLING SPATLESE 2018 £69.00

Oberhauser Brucke, Donnhoff

Light and sweet - Spatlese being late harvested grapes. 8% Abv.

WHITE RABBIT RIESLING

2021

£32.50

Ress Family Wineries, Eltville am Rhein, Germany

1/2 Litre Carafe

£21.40

Fresh modern German wine from the Rhine. Off-dry with some of the classic 'petrol' on the nose. Well-balanced, crisp minerality. 8.5% alcohol.

GRUNER VELTLINER KAMPTAL RESERVE

2020

£45.00

Rabl, Langenlois, Austria

This is a really really classy version. It is aromatic but not over-perfumed, with gentle acidity and a lingering, viscous depth of texture mid-palate. 13.5% Abv

PINOT GRIGIO 2021 £27.00

Veneto, Italy

Pinot Grigio IGT claims hints of wild flowers and acacia, I just think of it as a dry but rounded refreshing drink!

SOAVE CLASSICO 2020 £28.50

Cantina da Bolla, Verona

Classic Soave with that distinctive hint of almond on the finish and a pleasing rounded mouthfeel.

GAVI 2021 £38.00

Francesco Rinaldi & Figli, Alba

Well-balanced, fresh and elegant expression of the wine which makes the Cortese grape famous.

VERMENTINO La Pettegola 2021 £35.00

Banfi Winery, Tuscany, Italy

Vermentino from its' heartland - lively acidity with ripe, rounded citrus and pithy finish. 13% Abv

VANEDDA BIANCO 2016 £33.00

Cortese, Sicily

A full, lush blend of Sicilain white varietals Grillo and Cataratto. Bin End

GEWURZTRAMINER - Demisec 2017 £26.50

Jidvei Winery, Romania

Labelled Demisec this is more 'full' because of a concentration of fruit rather than residual sugar. Strangely compulsive drinking!

STORK DRY WHITE 2019 £32.00

Armenia

A fresh, dry, lightly grassy white made with the native grape Kangoun.

TOKAJI FURMINT 2017 £30.00

Hungary

Crisp and clean dry white - whiteflower and citrus.

VERDEJO 2022 £22.50

Senorio de Chical, Spain

Fresh, light and clean, notes of green apple, pear and lemon. Easy drinking 11% abv

ALBARINO - Pulpo 2022 £33.00

Pagos del Rey, Rias Baixas, Spain

Enticingly aromatic with subtle notes of white flowers, peach and apricot with crisp citrus acidity.

GARNACHA BLANCA 2019 £30.00

Vinas del Altura

VINHO VERDE LAGO NV £27.50

Amarante, Portugal

This wine from Northern Portugal is dry, light (10% alcohol) and with a decided spritz. The grapes are Alvarinho, Loureira, Arinto and Azal, the classic ones allowed in this DOC. Subtle white flowers.

ALVARINHO VINHO VERDE 2020 £40.00

Reguengo de Melaco, Melgaco, Portugal

A very fine example of the 'Albarino' and the Vinho Verde style associated with Portugal. 12.5% Alcohol.

PRUNUS BRANCO 2021 £29.00

Gota Winery, Dao, Portugal

1/2 Litre Carafe £19.40

A blend of more than four white grapes, Encruzado, Bical, Cereal Branco, Malvasia - (and others unnamed), produces a fresh wine, relatively low in acidity, with a complex fruity and floral and white peach follow through.

ASSYRTIKO - Wild Ferment 2018 £62.00

Gaia Winery, Santorini, Greece

Made from 80 year old ungrafted vines growing in the volcanic soil of Santorini using natural yeasts for fermentation. Fresh minerality and a long finish. One of our favourite wines and deserving of the recognition it is gaining.

ASSYRTIKO CLAY ORANGE 2018 £50.00

Gaia Winery, Santorini, Greece

Unlike the tannic, murky offerings of others, this is a dry, clean and clear orange wine. 13% Abv

SAVATIANO 2019 £38.00

Akriotou Winery, Greece

Savatiano, a new variety for me, from 60 year old vines, and kept on lees for 10 months. Depth, hints of honey and creamy mouthfeel, it captured my attention at a recent tasting and I couldn't resist listing it. 12.5% Alcohol.

MERWAH 2020 £34.00

Chateau Ksara, Lebanon

I feel this has a similarity in dryness and body to a Muscadet. An indiginous grape, grown outside the Bekaa Valley. Some get notes of melon, others get white flowers. Bin End

BLANC DE BLANCS 2020 £34.00

Chateau Ksara, Lebanon

A full dry Lebanese Bordeaux blend with 55% Sauvignon, Semillon 25%, Chardonnay 20%. Complex.

KSARA CHARDONNAY - Cuvee du Pape

2018

£48.00

Chateau Ksara, Bekaa Valley, Lebanon

1/2 Litre Carafe

£36.00

This Chardonnay shows a traditional French influence. Fruit, oak, balancing acidity, a creamy mouthfeel and a long, powerful finish - very tasty.



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New World White

New Zealand & Australian White

FIANO 2019 £27.50

Berton Vinyards, Western Australia

Fresh, with citrus, peach and light almond notes.

JIM BARRY ASSYRTIKO 2021 £44.00

Clare Valley, Australia

Jim Barry fell in love with Assyrtiko on a holiday to Santorini (as did I). This has distinctive minerality and a pleasing salinity on the finish.

MOSSWOOD CHARDONNAY 2019 £60.00

Margaret River, Australia

With more than a nod to the Cote de Beaune, this voluptuous wine displays floral and nut aromas. The palate offers nut, crème brulee and smokey complexity when it warms up a bit.

ESK VALLEY ALBARINO 2021 £32.00

Esk Valley Winery, Hawks Bay, New Zealand

Winemaker Gordon Russell has produced a fresh but interesting wine which lovers of Albarino will recognise yet enjoy the subtle difference between the Old World and New World expression. 14% Alcohol.

LEEFIELD PINOT GRIS 2020 £29.00

Marlborough, New Zealand

Refreshing with a rounded mouthfeel. This is a good value Pinot Gris and a very versatile food wine.

FAULTLINE SAUVIGNON BLANC 2021 £30.00

Marlborough, New Zealand

SAUVIGNON BLANC - TWO RIVERS

2022

£36.00

Marlborough, New Zealand

This Sauvignon Blanc from an organic winery combines subtle herbaceous notes with the characteristic tart gooseberry, bright acidity and citrus, of Marlborough Sauvignon. Aged on the lees for 3 months.

HUNTER'S GEWURZTRAMINER

2017

£35.00

Marlborough, New Zealand

Well balanced, rich, with a medium dry finish.

'HALINA' RIESLING 2012

£33.00

Archangel Winery, Central Otago, New Zealand

An off-dry riesling, viscous palate, rich with typical petrol on the nose. A far cry from the lighter, sweeter, German versions. Bin End

Other New World Whites

REIGN OF TERROIR 2019 £28.00

S Africa

Rhone varietals, Viognier, Grenache Blanc and Roussanne grown in South Africa

HAZY VIEW CHENIN BLANC 2021 £27.50

Western Cape, South Africa

1/2 Litre Carafe £18.40

Well balanced benchmark Chenin, South Africa's version of Vouvray, easy drinking, off-dry, fruity not tart.

UNOAKED CHARDONNAY 2022 £28.00

Franschoek Cellar, Western Cape, South Africa

Unoaked this attractive wine has notes of pineapple and citrus balanced by lively acidity. Excellent value.

ERNST GOUWS CHENIN BLANC 2021 £28.00

Stellenbosch, South Africa

On the full-bodied end of the Chenin flavour spectrum. This is a well balanced, honeyed Chenin.

GRENACHE BLANC 2020 £40.00

Olifantsberg, S Africa

Rounded and complex, a rich and satisfying wine with depth and balancing acidity. Organic.

LISMORE CHARDONNAY 2017 £52.00

Greyton, South Africa

Samantha O'Keefe produces rich, complex handcrafted wines. Barrel fermented and matured in French oak for 11 months. This wine displays soft fruit layered with honey and vanilla.

OLD STAGE CHARDONNAY

2019

£45.00

Monterey, California

Good ripe fruit, gently buttery and rounded but not overpowering..

RIESLING - PINOT GRIGIO

2016

£27.20

Niagra Peninsula, Canada

What happens when you mix Riesling and Pinot Grigio in Canada? Aging with style, this is a rich fruity deeply coloured wine with a long elegant 'reisling' finish. Viscous but not cloying. 12% alcohol.

'No es Pituko' CHARDONNAY

2021

£29.00

Echeverria Vinyards, Chile

Natural Wine, unfiltered and made with no intervention. This is the first I have felt able to list. Typically it has slightly 'funky' with a little banana and pineapple notes.

KAYAGATA 2020 £44.00

Grace Winery, Japan

Dry, light white from the famous Grace Winery.



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French Red

Beaujolais and Red Burgundy

FLEURIE 2021 £36.00

Olivier Ravier Beaujolais, France

Textbook Fleurie. Juicy red-cherry fruit on the nose and palate with appropriate acidity and spice to balance.

BOURGOGNE PINOT NOIR Cuvee Reserve

2020

£45.00

Maison Roche de Bellene

Light, bright, red-fruit flavours combined with judicious use of oak. This renowned negotiant Nocolas Potel knows what will appeal to Burgundy lovers looking for good basic Burgundy - if such a thing exists. 13% Alcohol.

GEVREY-CHAMBERTIN 1er CRU - Les Fonteys

2015

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Pierre Naigeon

100 year old vines have produced this rich, soft and persistent wine.

VOLNAY 1er CRU - Clos des Anges

2015

£220.00

Domaine Nicolas Rossignol

14 months on oak, this is modern Burgundy with more than a nod to the classical style. Lucy was very taken with this one even after several hours of wine tasting, and time has not dulled its charm! Bin End

2019

£70.00

Domaine de Clos Salomon, Givry

Typical of the Cote Chalonais, the Pinot from here makes smooth reds lighter than the Cote de Beaune and the most Sounthern of my Burgundy reds. Light bright raspberry & red fruit on the nose, smooth finish.

Bordeaux Red

CHATEAU MEAUME Bordeaux Superieur

2016

£29.00

Marasin, Bordeaux

Merlot dominant, with Cabernet Sauvignon and Cabernet Franc. Tobacco, Black plum, Blackberry, Cedar & Leather. 14%

FUGUE DE NENIN 2009 £63.00

Pomerol

A typical blend of Merlot and Cabernet Franc, the blackcurrant quite distinct but still a little 'stalky' to my mind, following through to a dry finish. Firm but appropriate tannins. Alcohol 14%

POM 'N' ROLL 2014 £94.00

Famille Laval Chateau Gombaude-Guillot, Pomerol

Modern, light and savoury says an online tasting note and made mostly in stainless steel so consciously without heavy oak & tannins. Merlot 65%, Malbec 25% and, unmentioned on the label, 10% Cabernet Franc. Alcohol 13%. Organic.

CHATEAU BOUTISSE ST EMILION Grand Cru

2019

£68.00

Chateau Boutisse, Bordeaux

Ripe red fruits with a little toasted spice, cinnamon & clove are mentioned in reviews of the 2015 vintage. Whilst the 2018 is lighter, greener and tighter in comparison it shows promise.

CHATEAU JEAN FAUX Bordeau Superieur

2016

£44.00

Chateau Jean Faux, Sainte Radegonde, Bordeaux

With Bordeaux prices increased steeply this one represents great value. It is a blend of ripe Merlot (80%) and Cabernet Franc (20%) similar to its more famous neighbours St Emilion and Castillon. Organic and Biodynamic, 14% alcohol.

MONTAGNE SAINT-EMILION

2019

£44.00

Chateau Montaiguillon, Libournais, France

Half

£22.00

From the hills overlooking St Emilion and Pomerol. Juicy black fruits and plums on the palate. A blend of 40% Merlot, and 30% each Cabernet Franc and Cabernet Sauvignon. Mid weight but a surprising 14.5% alcohol.

CHATEAU PRIBAN Cru Bourgeois Superieur

2015

£44.00

Haut-Medoc

Evenly split Cabernet Sauvignon and Merlot. Black fruits and a dry, savoury finish. Well balances, relatively light in body for Bordeau but 14% alcohol.

CHATEAU MEYNEY 2007 £86.00

Saint- Estephe

Fruit and ageing cedar on the nose combine with well-integrated tannins to be a most satisfying wine.

CHATEAU TRONQUOY LALANDE

2007

£94.00

Saint-Estephe

Delicious, classic, mature Bordeaux with a core of bramble, currant and plum fruit fused with figs, vegetable and cedar notes. Drinking well now.

Rhone and Southern France

LIRAC 2019 £55.00

Domaine Lafond, Rhone

Rich rounded Grenache and Syrah, dry and firm tannins, but surprisingly forward for its age, from a Southern Rhone Cru.

VINSOBRES - Magnum 2015 £65.00

Famile Perrin

This is a pleasing, dry, red from the Southern Rhone's newest Cru. The magnum $(2 \times 75cl \text{ bottle size})$ is a good format for aging, so starting to drink at its full potential.

COTES DU RHONE 2022 £32.50

Domaine Andre Brunel,

1/2 Litre Carafe £21.40

£29.40

Attractive and versatile medium-bodied food wine made of the typical Rhone blend of Grenache, Cincault and Syrah.

ADVOCATE - Cabernet/Merlot 2017

Domaine St Hilare,

An Englishman abroad, bought St Hilare and makes some lovely wines. This one is well-balanced with ripe fruit and subtle, integrated tannins. Punches above its weight compared to many Bordeaux of similar price if they exist at all!

CAMPUGET SYRAH '1753' 2018 £34.00

Chateau de Campuget, Costiere de Nimes, Rhone

This is a typical Southern French Syrah, light and subtle, dry and spicy.

MINERVOIS 2018 £27.00

Domaine Foncalieu, Languedoc

Very pleasing blend of 80% Syrah and 20% Grenache. Soft, medium bodied with a dry gently spicy finish.

RARE VINYARDS CARIGNAN 2020 £28.00

Pay d'Oc.

A southern Carignan, light and soft, designed for easy drinking.



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Other European Red

YORKSHIRE RED 2018 £28.50

Laurel Vines, Aike, Yorkshire

Proof that the sun does shine in Yorkshire. This is a basic but lively red made from Rondo. Red fruit and a balancing acidity with a gentle peppery finish.

'COCKED HAT' 2020 £30.00

Little Wold Vineyard, South Cave, Yorkshire

This has red fruit but more depth and more of that peppery finish largly due to the addition of Regent to the Rhondo.

NERO D'AVOLA - ZENZA 2020 £29.50

Sicily

Certified organic, this is a big-hitting wine. Deep colour, intense aromas, hints of black peper, dark chocolate, berries and vanilla.

MONTEPULCIANO D'ABRUZZO 2020 £28.00

Cantina Francesco Minni

Light but lively cherry fruit, gentle acidity and soft tannins. 13% Alcohol.

COL DE SASSO 2019 £35.00

Banfi, Tuscany

Ripe fruit and smooth finish make this blend of Sangiovese and Cabernet Sauvignon very satisfying drinking.

CHIANTI CLASSICO - Peppoli 2020 £34.00

Antinori, Tuscany

From the well-respected Antinori portfolio. Deceptively light and very dry, bright cherry notes with balancing acidity and a hint of warm, earth on the finish. Text-book Chianti

TIGNANELLO 2016 £160.00

Antinori, Tuscany

The Antinori family is justifiably renowned as wine makers. This is one of his crowning glories and strictly allocated - a complex wine which defies the Italian wine DOCG laws since it has added Cabernet Sauvignon to the Sangiovese. Surprisingly forward for its age.

VALPOLICELLA RIPASSO SUPERIORE 2018 £50.00

Zenato

Ripe concentrated sun-baked fruit, well integrated tannins and that lovely earthy Italian finish - a real mouthfull. We don't have an Amarone on our list at present - but this comes a close second!

CA' MERCANDA MAGARI

2016

£150.00

Gaja Winery, Bolgheri

Sought after, this vintage is increasingly rare. 60/30/10 Cabernet Franc, Cabernet Sauvignon and Petit Verdot respectively, Intense dark fruit (black currant and black cherry) with notes of mint, olive, graphite and tobacco in this distinctly Italian-style Bordeaux blend. 14% Alcohol.

GAJA BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO

2008

£166.00

Gaja Winery, Pieve St Restituta, Montalcino

2014

£138.00

Classic Sangiovese from the renowned Gaja family - famous initially for their wines from Barbaresco. Aged and complex.

MATE BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO

2012

£82.00

Mate Winery, St Restituta, Montalcino

Representing a middle ground in style and excellent value. Still 14.5% alcohol and that typical dusty warm climate finish but paler and lighter in body than the Gaja. Drinking very nicely this November.

VINA MARIPOSA TINTO

NV

£26.00

Ourense, Spain

1/2 Litre Carafe

£17.80

Light juicy, young and vibrant Tempranillo and at 12% it is good quaffing wine

Norrel Robertson, DO Bullas, Spain.

MONASTRELL 2017 £24.50

This Monastrell (Mourvedre) is a medium bodied quite aromatic wine, black fruit flavours with a dry, spicy, punch on the finish. Made by Master of Wine, Norrel Robertson from vines averaging over 35 years old from the DOC of Bullas.. 14% alcohol.

MONASTRELL - Black Skull

2017

£44.00

Finca Bacara, Jumilla, Spain

Called Time Waits For No One, with an interestingly morbid label, I made the decision to cellar this - so Time had to wait for me! From the Jumilla region of Spain. Liqueur cherry, backberry and hints of herbal scrubland. 14.5% Alcohol.

PETIT VERDOT 2017 £36.00

Finc Antigua, La Mancha, Spain

The hot, dry, plateau in the centre of Spain allows this import from Bordeaux to fully ripen. This wine has good plummy depth, with distinct tannins and balancing acidity. The label also mentions blackberries, pine bark and wet leaves. I simply think - Bordeaux meets Rioja!

RIOJA CRIANZA 2012 £38.00

Urbina, Rioja

Benchmark Rioja. Made from Tempranillo with 5% Graciano/Mazuelo and aged in oak for twelve months this well balanced medium bodied wine with its ruby red colour, has some vanilla on the nose, nuances of blackberry fruit on the palate.

RIOJA RESERVA 2016 £52.00

Finca Valpiedra, Rioja, Spain

A full rich, dark and complex Rioja.

TRE3SMANO 2015 £90.00

Bodegas Lagar de Proventus, Ribera del Duero, Spain

Thick dark and delicious. One of the gems on my list.

TERRA D'ALTER Zero SO2 2018 £26.00

Alentejandro, Portugal

Easy-drinking, warm ripe fruit with a light balancing acidity. Aragonez is more familiar under the Spanish name Tempranillo. No sulphites were added from vinyard to early bottling.

ESPORAO RESERVE 2019 £48.00

Herdade de Esporao, Alentejo, Portugal

Rich fruity versatile red. A belnd of the traditional regional grapes, including Touriga Nacional, and a touch of Cabernet Sauvignon. 14.5% Abv. Organic

KADARKA - BONSAI 2017 £37.00

Peter Vida, Szekszard, Hungary

Pale in colour, this wine is similar to a French Pinot Noir in essence: medium bodied, gentle tannins and lightly spicy aromas. 12.5% alcohol.

FETEASCA NEAGRA & CABERNET FRANC 2015 £34.20

Ballageza Winery, Romania

Spicy, dry and mainly savoury with notes of black fruit. This is a relatively light but with 14.5% alcohol there is a decided kick to it!

KOLONIST MERLOT/ CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2017 £37.00

Odessa, Ukraine

Aromatic, red and blackcurrants, with hints of coffee, dried fruits and spices. 13% Alcohol. Interestingly, on the same line of latitude as Bordeaux and Piedmont. Bin End

KOOR 2018 £38.00

Highlans Cellars, Armenia

This blend of 3 Armenian grapes - Areni, Sireni and Vayots Dzor makes a light and savoury red with a little spice on the finish. An interesting alternitive to Pinot Noir.

CHATEAU RED 2018 £48.00

Ch Ksara, Bekaa Valley, Lebanon

Cabernet Sauvignon 60%, Merlot 30% and Petit Verdot 10%. Fruity notes of raspberry, blackcurrant and vanilla, some spice and leather. Very satisfying, with obvious French influence. Puts many a Bordeaux into the shade!

CHATEAU RED 2009 £75.00

Chateau Ksara, Lebanon

A release of back vintages of this Bordeauxx-style from Ksara had me snap up this one. Bin End

RESERVE DU COUVENT 2015 £28.00

Chateau Ksara, Lebanon

A blend of Syrah 40%, Cabernet Franc and Cabernet Sauvignon 30% each. 13.5% Alcohol

OLD VINE CARIGNAN 2019 £35.00

Chateau Ksara, Lebanon

Notes of raspberry, bramble and a touch of leather make this a distinctive expression of carignan, from vines over 60 years old and 1200 meters high in the Bekaa Valley. 13% alcohol



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New World Red

Australian and New Zealand Red

BOUNDRY LINE SHIRAZ 2017 £26.80

South Australia

Benchmark light quaffing Shiraz, mellow and drinking at its best now.

ALPHA CRUCIS SHIRAZ - Winemakers' Series 2012 £80.00

Chalk Hills, McClaren Vale, South Australia

Different plots in the same vinyard, given over to guest winemakers in a fascinating experiment in Shiraz production. Always limited edition and usually reserved for Lucy's wine tastings!

CHALK HILLS BARBERA 2016 £37.00

Chalk Hills Winery, Mclaren Vale, Australia

Great New World Barbera, medium bodied with distinct red cherry fruit and a lenghty finish.

BUSH VINE GRENACHE 2017 £40.00

Chapel Hill, McClaren Vale, Australia

Southern Rhone flavour from Australia, showing fruit and gentle dry spice complexity. Vintage bin end.

SAPERAVI Alejandro 2021 £42.00

Russell & Suitor, NSW Australia

Rich, dark and smooth. This Aussie version of the Georgian varietal has all the black fruit you would expect, and the savoury edge, along with toasted French and American oak. A luscious mouthful. 14.5% Abv.

BAROSSA SHIRAZ RESERVE 2020 £38.00

Berton Vinyards, NSW, Australia

A generously built Shiraz with a nose of blackberry, white pepper and vanilla. It is velvety smooth with soft tannins. A fleshy mid palate of ripe fruit and a satisfying finish. 14.5% alcohol.

GUNDAGAI SHIRAZ 2017 £46.00

Berton Vinvards, NSW Australia

A limited edition Shiraz - Bob produced only 7000 bottles. Plum, spice and blueberry. Well structured, rich and flavoursome.14.5%.

COONAWARRA CABERNET SAUVIGNON

2018

£46.00

Berton Vinyards, NSW Australia

Robust, rich and concentrated Cabernet.

MERLOT/CABERNET/MALBEC - WINEMAKERS RESERVE

2013

£45.00

Esk Valley, Gimblett Gravels, Hawkes Bay, New Zealand

This taste like a rich combination of right and left bank Bordeaux! Quite powerful with plenty of fruit and firm tannins.

Other New World Red

OLD STAGE PINOT NOIR

2019

£45.00

Galiban Winery, California

New to my list. A light Pinot, almost Burgundian in style, some red fruit but dry, herbaceous and savoury on the palate with a hint of Parma violet sweets.

LYTON SPRINGS ZINFANDEL

2016

£98.60

California

A full bodied blend of Zinfandel, Petit Syrah, Carignan, and Mourvedre from the prestigious Ridge Vinyards. This is a wine with depth and structure - and a faithful following.

SYRAH GRAN RESERVA

2017

£32.00

Vina Echeverria, Maipo Valley, Chile

Aromatic, with undertones of earthy black pepper and a little tar, typical Syrah character. This vintage is now drinking well.

MERLOT 2020 Half £14.00

Vina Echeverria, Curico Valley, Chile

PINOT NOIR Reserve 2021 £33.00

Echeverria, Chile

Smooth, balanced Pinot from my favourite Chilean producer.

MALBEC 'La Colonia' 2022 £28.50

Norton Estate, Mendoza, Argentina

Crowd pleasing, young light but juicy malbec from a well known producer. Very moreish!

MALBEC Los Heraldos	2021		£33.50
Mendoza, Argentina	2010	** 10	24.0.00
	2018	Half	£18.00
Rich dark Malbec, briefly oaked.			
GRAND MALBEC	2020		£53.00
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Complex Malbec from a high altitude vinyard. Dark rich damson and blueber, by integrated tannins and good acidity - 18 months on French and American o mix			
LOTTE NEGRO - Malbec-Cabernet Franc	2018		£58.00
Norton Estate, Uco Valley, Argentina			
Limited production (14000 botles) from a single vinyard in the Norton stable.			
DECERO CABERNET SAUVIGNON	2015		£36.00
Remolinas Vinyard, Mendoza, Argentina			
Deep, dark aromatic Cabernet. Powerful at 14.5% alcohol, but still well balan	ced.		
PINOTAGE	2019		£26.00
Franschoek, South Africa			
This is a pleasing Pinotage, subtly perfumed, round and soft. Bin End			
CABERNET FRANC	2016		£58.00
Mulderbosch, Stellenbosch, South Africa			
An intense and richly flavoured Cabernet Franc - still with distinct but proport	tional tan	nins.	
CABERNET SAUVIGNON	2019		£28.00
Franschoek Cellars, S Africa			
Easy drinking, vibrant Cabernet. 13% alcohol.			
OLD MUSEUM MERLOT	2021		£29.00
Franschoek Cellars, S Africa			
		1/2 Litre Carafe	£19.40

Very appealing soft and rounded Merlot. 14% Avb



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Rosé

Rose

HOUSE ROSE 2021 £26.00

1/2 Litre Carafe £17.80

An easy-drinking, dry, fresh, fruity rose made from Tempranillo, 12.5% alcohol.

PIQUEPOUL NOIR ROSE

2022

£28.00

Vignobles Foncalieu, Coteaux D' Enserune

Clean fresh pale, dry, blush made from the rarer Piquepoul Noir, less well known that its' white relative.

RONDO ROSE 2018 £28.00

Yorkshire

Vibrantly pink, this is a well-ballanced fruit-driven Rose made from Rondo - one of the two main hybrid grape varieties which thrive in England. 11.5% alcohol.

COMPASS POINT ZINFANDEL

2018

£23.50

California

Medium sweet rose, nicely balanced.