

# *Holiday Wine Buying Guide*

2023





# Happy Holidays

The Refectory is proud to present the finest selections of wine during the month of December!

Purchase wine for parties, for your favorite wine connoisseur, or stock up on something new to add to your cellar!

Sommelier, Taylor Wolf has expertly chosen these wines for this special Holiday Buying Guide!

10% off all orders six bottles or more!

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# Glasvin

*Bring a touch of Refectory to the comfort of your home with our preferred Glassware. Glasvin is a young company created in NYC, their glasses are hand-blown and completely unique. The quality provides the best drinking experience for your favorite wines in the comfort of your home. Beautifully packaged, the glasses make an incredible gift.*

## **The Universal 2-Pack \$79**

Glasvin Universal is an ultra-light all-purpose glass, perfect for every kind of wine. We've designed a highly elegant and modern glass that will change how you drink wine, and how you enjoy wine with others. Each item is unique. H: 23.5cm, W: 8.8cm, CAP: 500ml.

## **The Aromatic 2-Pack \$94**

Glasvin Aromatic is designed to showcase highly sensual wines, providing the maximal aromatic release while tasting both red and white wines. This glass is closest to a Burgundy glass or a chardonnay glass. Each item is unique. H: 23cm, W: 12.1cm, CAP: 900ml.





# Hosting Holiday Parties?

It's the most wonderful time of the year to gather with those we love! Take advantage of the resource and knowledge of our Sommelier to enhance any party this holiday season. Bring the experience of a custom wine pairing to your home!

Email [taylor@refectory.com](mailto:taylor@refectory.com) the details of your holiday party menu, number of guests, and desired budget. Taylor will outline a custom wine order/pairing specifically for your needs at any price point!

Do you have a wine lover on your Christmas list?  
If you can't find the perfect gift in Holiday Wine Buying Guide,  
the sommelier can help!



**Find the snowflakes for our favorite wines!**





# Stocking Stuffers

*All these bottles are 375ml, delicious, and guaranteed to fit your stockings on the mantle!*

## Champagne

Champagne R.Geoffroy 1er Cru Brut Rosé de Saignee \$50

Varnier Fanniere Grand Cru Brut \$35

## Rosé

2021 Chateau Minuty M Rosé \$15

## White

2020 Mayacamas Chardonnay \$33

2020 Louis Jadot Chassagne-Montrachet Chardonnay \$50

2021 Isabelle et Pierre Clement Menatou-Salon Sauvignon Blanc \$20

## Red

2019 Valiano Chianti Classico \$12

2016 Tommasi Amarone della Valpolicella Classico \$40

2017 Paolo Conterno Barolo Riva del Bric \$30

2020 L'Arlot Nuits St.Georges 1er Cru Clos de Forets St.Georges Monopole \$90

 2019 Soter Vineyard Mineral Spring Pinot Noir \$50

2016 Spottswode Estate Cabernet Sauvignon \$120

100 Points Jeb Dunnuck

## Sweet

 2010 Chateau Climens Sauternes \$60

1985 Kopke Colheita Port \$68

1965 Kopke Colheita Port \$180

1957 Kopke Colheita Port \$340







# Bring the Party

*Not only does opening a magnum look cool, but it also tends to produce better more rounded wine than standard-size bottles. Production on these large formats is much smaller than standard bottles.*

## Bottle Sizes

**1.5L- 2 Bottles**

## Champagne

Billicart-Salmon Brut Reserve **1.5L** \$130

2013 Gaston Chiquet Ay Blanc de Blancs **1.5L** \$200

 2008 Louis Roederer Cristal **1.5L** \$1250

## White

2020 Pierre Girardin Bourgogne Blanc Vieilles Vignes Chardonnay **1.5L** \$100

2018 Domaine de Montille Meursault 1er Cru Saint Chrisophe Chardonnay **1.5L** \$240

2019 Domaine de Montille Corton-Charlemagne Grand Cru Chardonnay **1.5L** \$535

## Red

 2016 Caterina Zardini Amarone della Valpolicella Classico Riserva **1.5L** \$100

2021 Caymus Cabernet Sauvignon **1L** \$100

2018 Continuum Proprietary Red Blend **1.5L** \$650

*100 Points Robert Parker's Wine Advocate*

2019 Spottswode Estate Cabernet Sauvignon **1.5L** \$550

*100 Points Robert Parker's Wine Advocate*

1995 Chateau Pichon-Longueville Baron de Pichon-Longueville **1.5L** \$600

2013 Chateau Quintus Saint-Emilion Grand Cru **1.5L** \$300

2006 Chateau Haut-Bailly Pessac-Leognan **1.5L** \$450

2006 Chateau Haut-Bailly Pessac-Leognan **1.5L** \$550







# Bubbles

## Rosé



**Champagne A Bergere Brut Rosé - \$65**

*Light, delicate, super refreshing grower champagne.  
Refectory exclusive with the 2018 base vintage.*

**Paul Laurent Champagne Brut Rose - \$40**

**Laurent-Perrier Cuvee Rosé - \$100**

**2012 Laurent-Perrier Alexandra Grant Cuvee Rosé - \$400**

*Only 10 vintages were produced of this cuvee,  
the top wine of Laurent-Perrier.*

**2019 Mousse Fils La Confiance de Mon Pere Rosé de  
Saignee Brut - \$200**

*Dense, rich, opulent style of Rosé, incredibly small production.  
100% Pinot Meunier.*

## Blanc

**Paul Laurent Champagne Cuvee du Fondateur Brut - \$39**

*Excellent Value Champagne!*

**Jean Vesselle Brut Reserve - \$52**

**Champagne Savart 1er Cru L'Ouverture Brut - \$95**

*Always one of our favorite cult producers of Champagne.*

**Pierre Peters Cuvee de Reserve  
Grand Cru Blanc de Blancs - \$80**

**2012 Philipponnat Clos de Goisses Brut - \$350**

*First ever single vineyard Champagne produced.  
Powerful wine coming from the steep terraces of Clos de Goisses.*

**2013 Moet & Chandon Dom Perignon Brut - \$300**



**2015 Robert Moncuit Les Chetillons  
Blanc de Blancs Grand Cru - \$200**

*Les Chetillons is one of the prized vineyards in Champagne, this parcel is  
from old vines planted in 1956, only 2 ha. Very Limited.*







# Somm Selections

## Whites

### **2022 Elvio Tintero “Sori Gramella” Moscato D’Asti \$20**

*Piedmont, Italy*

One of the top Moscato producers brought to us by Kermit Lynch.

### **2022 Chateau de Beaugard Ducourt Sauvignon Blanc \$16**

*Bordeaux France*

A lovely Sauvignon Blanc with bright citrus and a soft luscious mid palate.



### **2022 Flowers Chardonnay \$45**

*Sonoma Coast, California*

Delicate aromas of white flower and coastal minerality frame a beautiful nose on this Chardonnay. Hints of Kaffir lime leaf, fresh herbs, and elements of citrus amplify the bright savory character.

### **2019 Albert Mann Pinot Gris Rosénberg \$35**

*Alsace, France*

Rosénberg is not a Grand Cru, but is one of their special sites (along with Altenbourg) which is often bottled separately. A cut above their very good estate Pinot Gris, it shows a spice, richness and finesse which firmly places it in the fine wine style.

### **2020 Royal Tokaji Oddity Dry Furmint \$30**

*Tokaj, Hungary*

Fresh crisp wine showing all the fine qualities of the unique Furmint grape. Aromas of flowers, apple, and pear combine with flavors of ripe apricot and peach to produce a sleek, intense dry wine with a long refreshing finish.

### **2022 Bruno Giacosa Roero Arneis \$30**

*Piedmont, Italy*

Intense straw colored with greenish glints. The nose presents lemon, pineapple, peach and apricot notes with floral hints. On the palate, it is fresh, full-bodied, with mineral notes and a persistent finish.



# Somm Selections

## Reds

### 2021 Chateau Thivin Cote de Brouilly Beaujolais \$33

*Burgundy, France*

100% Gamay, one of the flagship estates in the famed Cote de Brouilly village.

### 2018 Chateau Famaey Malbec Prestige \$20

*Cahors, France*

Powerful, luscious, and balanced Malbec from the famed area of Cahors.

### 2020 Bodegas y Vinedos Raul Perez Ultreia Saint Jacques \$22

*Bierzo, Spain*

Floral, spicy aromas with hints of underbrush. Juicy, well-structured red fruit with great vibrancy and length on the palate. A long finish is marked by hints of herbs, coffee bean, and tomato leaf.

*94 Points Wine Spectator*



### 2006 Malvira Roero Mombeltramo \$60

*Piedmont, Italy*

*Coming directly from the underground cellars of Malvira's estate, aged to perfection. 100% Nebbiolo from the Cru Vineyard, 50% New French Oak for 36 months before bottling.*





# Somm Selections

## 2021 Tenuta di Trinoro “Le Cupole” IGT Toscano \$50

*Tuscany, Italy*

The 2021 Le Cupole (a blend of Merlot, Cabernet Franc, Cabernet Sauvignon and Petit Verdot) is the well-priced entry-level red from one of the most prolific and creative wine estates in Tuscany. Le Cupole is velvety and full-bodied with dark fruit, dried cherry and sweet earth or terracotta. This is an incredible value.

*94 Points Wine Enthusiast*



## 2021 Matthieu Barret Petit Ours Cotes-du-Rhone \$35

*Rhone Valley, France*

100% Syrah, made in a playful expression rarely seen in Northern Rhone. This wine coined, the little bear, suits it well.

## 2022 Paolo Scavino Vino Rosso \$20

*Tuscany, Italy*

This wine offers layers of red and black fruits reminiscent of red cherry and black plum, along with dried orange peel and flower petals.

## 2021 Quinta do Romeu Douro Moinho do Gato Tinto \$18

*Douro Valley, Portugal*

A super-bright, juicy and fresh blend of organically-cultivated traditional Douro varieties—mainly Tinta Barroca with some Tinta Roriz (Tempranillo), Touriga Nacional, Touriga Franca, Tinto Cão and Sousão (Vinhão).

## 2019 Cartello Cabernet Sauvignon \$50

*Alexander Valley, California*

Estate Cabernet Sauvignon comes from two Southwest hillside vineyards separated by a small ravine and century-old magnificent trees. 2+ years in barrel, round and plush tannins with both power and restraint.





# Big, Bold, Luxurious Reds



**2015 Bodegas Muga Prado Enea Gran Reserva Rioja \$110**

**12-Bottle Wooden Gift Box \$1188**

*Rioja, Spain*

**#55 Wine Spectator Top 100 of 2022**

This dark-ruby wine offers a bouquet of ripe cherry and baking spices. Notes of clove and nutmeg transition to the palate alongside flavors of blackberry, cassis, chocolate-covered espresso bean, eucalyptus and violet. Luxurious tannins amble towards a lengthy finish.

*98 Points Wine Enthusiast*

**2019 Brun Avril Chateauneuf-du-Pape Rouge \$60**

*Rhone Valley, France*

The Avril family legacy goes back almost 700 years as they can trace roots to being some of the first to plant vines for the Pope when he moved to the city of Avignon. This property dates back about 20 years, coming from the Northern area of the region. The Grenache vines are older than 100 years of age while young vines of Syrah provide a vibrant backbone of dense fruit. 550 Cases Produced.

**2018 Silver Oak Cabernet Sauvignon \$115**

*Alexander Valley, California*

Ruby in color, the 2018 Alexander Valley Cabernet Sauvignon has notes of cassis, caramel, juniper, and pomegranate. Lifted and vibrant on the nose, this wine is fresh on the palate with a juice, fruit-forward core. Its silky mouth feel will provide drinking pleasure through 2044 given proper cellaring conditions. Blend: 94.8% Cabernet Sauvignon, 4.2% Merlot, 1% Cabernet Franc

**2019 Petra Toscano \$82**

**6-Bottle Wooden Gift Box \$443**

*Tuscany, Italy*

This Bordeaux-style Tuscan red has a peppery, herbaceous nose, with spices, pencil lead and a hint of sour cherry. The palate is more cherry, now Bing, and dark with dried figs, raisins and chocolate. Herbs reappear on a lengthy, integrated finish.





# Cult Wines of the World

*Not your typical grocery store wine selection!*

## **2020 Domaine des Comtes Lafon Meursault 1er Cru Porusots \$525**

*Burgundy, France*

A legendary estate that goes back to the 1800's. Meursault is where many of the prized holdings are located for the domaine including the 1er Cru Porusots that is nestled between Genervres and Boucheres. The estate is currently run by Dominique Lafon who has taken the property to new heights. Only 2 bottles are available.



## **1975 Chateau Musar Blanc \$495**

*Bekaa Valley, Lebanon*

An incredible late library release from the famed estate of Lebanon. A golden amber color with a resemblance to falling leaves in winter. A smell of honey, beeswax, and smokiness with matured white prunes and pears, and notes of caramel and toffee. The palate is round with dominance of honey and caramel, toasted bread, matured plums, and white prunes, with a citrus acidity on the finish.

## **2008 Champagne Doyard Les Lumieres Grand Cru Extra Brut \$420**

*Champagne, France*

Only 700 bottles were produced. A striking Champagne, unwinding in the glass with scents of pear, citrus oil, freshly baked bread, mandarin orange, almonds, and buttery pastry. Full-bodied, deep, and multidimensional, it's layered and muscular, with an immensely concentrated core of fruit, and racy acid.

98 Points Robert Parker

## **2015 Quintessa Proprietary Red \$250**

*Napa Valley, California*

Aromas of blue fruits, blackberries, tile, and lead pencil. Full body, firm tannins, and a fresh, bright finish. Layered and intense with white pepper and salt undertones. Love the finish to this racy young wine. Beautiful blue fruits! Drink in 2020 and onwards. From biodynamic grapes.

97 Points James Suckling



## **Terre Rouge Syrah Sentinal Oak Vineyard Pyramid Block Library Release**

*Sierra Nevada, California*

**Two Vintages Available**

**2008 - \$75**

**1998 - \$120**

This single vineyard Syrah is from the oldest Syrah vineyard in the Sierra Nevada (est. 1982) and one of the most famous Syrah sites in California. Each year it provides us with intense luscious fruit. The vineyard is at 1,400 feet on a South-facing slope in the heart of the Shenandoah Valley, next to our winery. The parcel is planted all on its own roots. The vines originate from the Chapoutier Hermitage property. Spends 23 months in 100% French Oak.



## 2018 Chateau Mouton-Rothschild \$900

*Bordeaux, France*

This has so much tannic power, with density, layers and structure along with layers of blackberry, liquorice, baked earth, cigar box and the signature exotic spices of Mouton. A big, textured and complex wine that is taking it all in its stride. 100% new oak. There is the tiniest touch of Petit Verdot in the blend, but under 1%, so it's not in the official figures.

62% of production went into the grand vin.

*100 Points Decanter*



## 2005 Chateau Latour Les Forts de Latour \$300

*Bordeaux, France*

Deep and powerful, the 2005 Les Forts de Latour is striking today.

The pedigree of the vintage comes through in spades. Expressive, perfumed aromatics meld into a core of supple, open-knit fruit in a mid-weight, impeccably balanced Forts de Latour. Hints of red fruit, iron, smoke and tobacco add lovely shades of nuance.

*94 Points Vinous*

## 2020 Tenuta di Trinoro "Trinoro" IGT Toscana \$447

*Tuscany, Italy*

The flagship wine from Tenuta di Trinoro is this gorgeous blend of 92% Cabernet Franc and 8% Merlot. The 2020 Tenuta di Trinoro follows on the heels of the 2019 vintage that earned a perfect 100-point score. The 2020 vintage is more open-knit for sure, but it offers a very special view onto Cabernet Franc in particular. The plush black cherry softness of the Merlot is aligned magically with the dark intensity and tannic power of the Cabernet Franc. The fruit ripeness is impeccable and there are no green tones, nor are there any overripe nuances. Everything comes together with balance.

*97 Points Vinous*





# Sommelier Curated Wine Sets

Prices for wine sets include 10% discount.

## **Champagne Special Club Trio \$460**

*Champagne, France*

Special Club Champagne is the highest tier of classification that grower Champagnes can achieve. The wines offer incredible value considering each bottling only produces an extremely limited amount, all single vintage, and the top wine of the estate. Below are 3 of the best we could get; Pierre Gimmonet and Gaston Chiquet are 2 of the 3 remaining original members and the J.Lassalle bottling is a rare magnum of Special Club - a maximum of 200 magnums can be produced annually.

### **All Three Bottles Included**

**2015 Gaston Chiquet Special Club Brut Millesime**

**2012 J.Lassalle Special Club Millesime 1.5L**

**2016 Pierre Gimmonet Cramant Village Special Club Brut Millesime**



## **Explore Domaine Huet, the Master's of Chenin Blanc \$385**

*Loire Valley, France*

Since its founding in 1928, Vouvray's Domaine Huet has been the standard-bearer for great, age-worthy Chenin Blanc. And to this day, year after year, the estate produces some of the world's most compelling white wines—and in a remarkable range that spans sparkling, dry, semi-dry, and breathtaking dessert styles. Domaine Huet bottles separately from their 3 famed vineyards, Le Haut-Lieu, Clos du Bourg, and Le Mont. Experience the three vineyards and every style the Domaine produces in this amazing bundle.

### **All Five Bottles Included**

**2017 Domaine Huet Vouvray Petillant Brut**

**2021 Domaine Huet Vouvray Le Haut-Lieu Sec**

**2020 Domaine Huet Vouvray Le Mont Premiere Trie Moelleux**

**2020 Domaine Huet Vouvray Clos du Bourg Moelleux Premiere Trie**

**2018 Domaine Huet Vouvray Cuvee Constance**

## **Slice of Sherry Pie \$325**

*Jerez, Spain*

Explore the vast complexities that lie within the Magical bottles of Sherry. The three bottles are coming from one of the most coveted estates in El Aljibe, Bodegas Poninte. Named after the Poninte wines, cool and humid Atlantic western wines. The estate is headed by the captivating Alberto Orte who embraces the rich traditions and roots of Southern Spain. A perfect addition to any collection.

### **All 3 Bottles Included**

**Bodegas Poninte Fino - 1,333 Bottles Produced**

**Bodegas Poninte Amontillado - 266 Bottles Produced**

**Bodegas Poninte Palo Cortado - 175 Bottles Produced**





*Amontillado*



*Vinedos Propios*  
SAN CRISTOBAL / SAN JOSE / EL ALJIBE  
**BODEGAS PONIENTE**  
JEREZ DE LA FRONTERA  
CRIADO Y ENVEJECIDO EN LA PROPIEDAD



## **Fattoria Mancini Pesaro Variety Pack \$255**

*Marche, Italy*

Fattoria Mancini is a family-owned winery, established in 1861. The vineyards, of around 20 hectares, are located in the Natural Park of Mount San Bartolo, at the very north of the Marche Region. They sit above the spectacular cliffs of Focara on the Adriatic coast, a few kilometers from the town of Pesaro. The cool microclimate of this stretch of north-orientated coast and the calcareous sandstone soil allows the production of long-lived wines with a great balance between structure, depth, freshness, and elegance.

### **All 6 Bottles Included**

**2021 Mancini Blanc de Pinot Noir Impero**

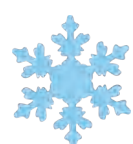
**2021 Mancini Blanc de Pinot Noir Quarta**

**2020 Mancini Blu**

**2021 Mancini Rancaglia**

**2020 Mancini Pinot Noir Focara**

**2020 Mancini Pinot Noir Reve**



## **Château Haut-Bailly Vertical Pack \$725**

*Bordeaux, France*

The Château Haut-Bailly produces wines whose qualitative nobility places it among the greatest of the Rive gauche of Bordeaux. Its viticultural history dates back to the 17th century when it was already the object of envy of many buyers. During the 1630s, it passed into the hands of two Parisian bankers, Nicolas de Leuvarde and Firmin Le Bailly, who gave it his name, Haut, in reference to its geographical location on one of the most beautiful slopes of the Graves region. It was acquired by the American Wilmers family in 1998, and it is today Chris Wilmers has at the head since 2017, accompanied by Veronique Sanders the general manager. 4 different vintages are represented in this selection showing the power and elegance that these wines have to offer throughout different stages of life.

### **All Four Bottles Included**

**2019 Château Haut-Bailly**

**2018 Château Haut-Bailly**

**2015 Château Haut-Bailly**

**2013 Château Haut-Bailly**

## **Robert Mondavi To Kalon Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon Vertical \$700**

*Napa Valley, California*

When Robert Mondavi chose To Kalon Vineyard as the home for his new winery in 1966, he remarked, “It was a vineyard with a distinguished history. Ideal soils, sunlight, and rain. To my eye, the vineyard was a treasure.” Originally planted in 1868, it has become recognized as one of the finest vineyards in the world. A true first-growth property in California. Enjoy a rare perfectly aged release of these gems from California.

### **All Three Bottles Included**

**2015 Robert Mondavi To Kalon Reserve Library Release**

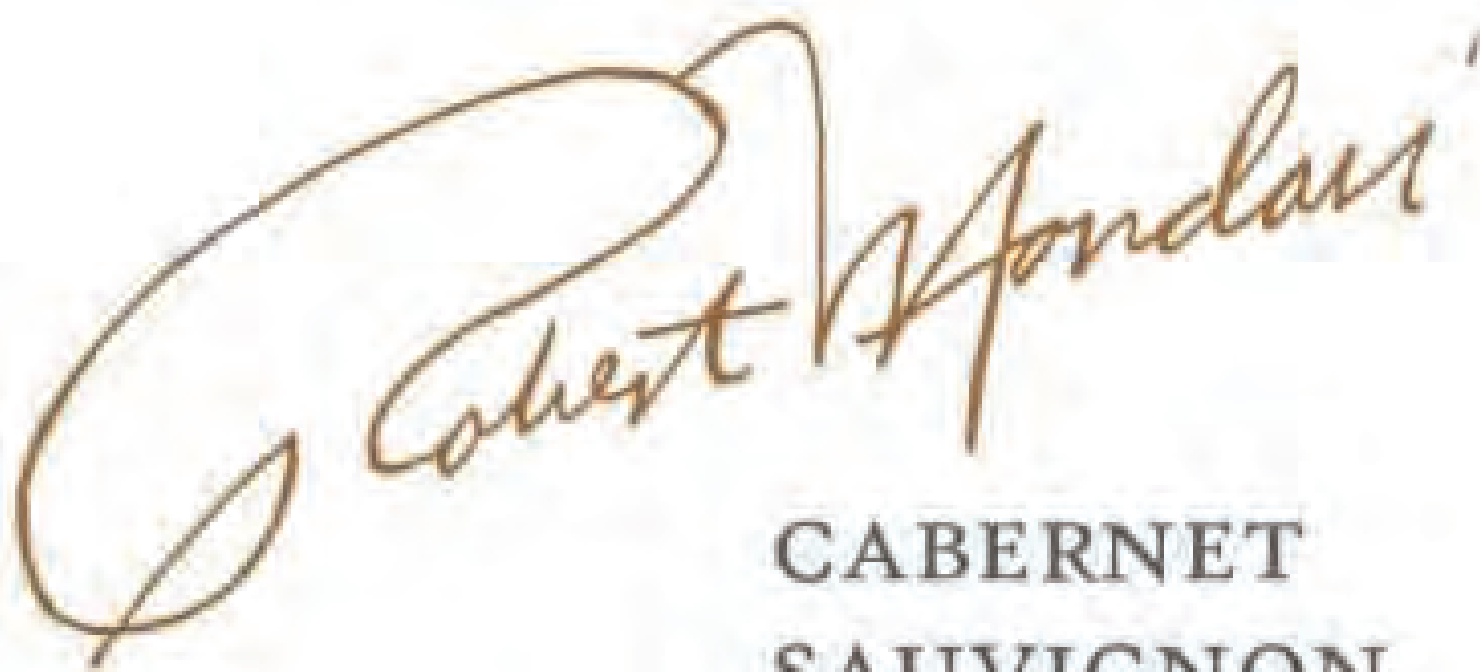
**2014 Robert Mondavi To Kalon Reserve Library Release**

**2013 Robert Mondavi To Kalon Reserve Library Release**





THE RESERVE



CABERNET  
SAUVIGNON

TO KALON VINEYARD  
OAKVILLE  
NAPA VALLEY



# Dessert Wines

## **2018 Bodegas Jorge Ordenez Malaga No.2 Victoria \$25**

*Cadiz, Spain*

The 2018 Victoria #2 (100% Muscat of Alexandria) comes from 60- to 120-year-old vines. It has a medium gold, almost amber hue to go with a beautiful nose of honeyed orange, tangerines, flowers, and honeyed pink grapefruit. It's another balanced, medium to full-bodied, gorgeously elegant dessert wine that's dangerously drinkable. 375ml Bottle



## **Dumangin J. Fils Ratafia Champenois \$45**

*Champagne, France*

Ratafia is a blend of musts from pressing Champagne grapes with a fortification of a neutral spirit. Not seen in large quantities in the states due to unknown beauty and small production for mass consumption. This wine has soft decadent notes of caramel, bruised yellow apple, and lifting floral aromas. You always start with Champagne, and now you can end with Champagne.

## **2012 Disznoko Tokaji Aszu \$50**

*Tokaj, Hungary*

The 2018 Recioto della Valpolicella Classico Le Calcarole is bright and lifted with spicy cherry and raspberry, violets, and crushed stone. It's darkly shaded and velvety on the palate with a forward sweetness and deeply textural mix of red and black fruits and spice. Blood orange and inner florals linger long, along with candied citrus. 500ml Bottle

## **20-Year Ramos Pinto Tawny Quinta do Bom Retiro \$100**

*Douro Valley, Portugal*

Unusually, Ramos Pinto's 10- and 20-year-old tawnies are single-estate wines. From Quinta do Bom Retiro in the Cima Corgo, this is a bold style with savory depth. Ruddy tawny in hue, with caramelized tarte tatin, black cardamom, marmalade, and intriguing earthier molasses and ozone riffs to its dried apricot fruit, as well as praline and coffee notes. Rich, mouth-filling, and velvety. 94 Points Decanter

## **2018 Domaine Huet Cuvee Constance \$190**

*Loire Valley, France*

A heavenly wine, with a beautiful earthiness rippling through decadent flavors of poached pear, stewed apple, honeycomb, pastry, and spiced fig. Stealth power underscores the up-front fruit, with steely mineral, refreshing lemon verbena, and crushed dried herbs adding balance and vibrancy. 96 Points Wine Spectator. 375ml Bottle









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recommendations; you will not be disappointed!

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