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12 GIFT-WORTHY
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wines of the month

Tradition and power

TEUSNER THE RIEBKE SHIRAZ 2021

Barossa Valley, South Australia


48470 (XD) 750 mL \$22.95 

Inky in appearance, opaque. Dark, brooding aromas of plum, mulberry, chocolate, liqueured cherry and sweet spice. Powerful, darkly fruited and opulent in flavour. There's real weight and force of fruit, but the savoury, drying tannins and bright acidity do a sterling job in maintaining balance and cut. Drink date: 2023-2038. Score: **92** (Aaron Brasher, *therealreview.com*, Oct. 8, 2023)

Full-bodied & Smooth

CHÂTEAU LAMOTHE-BERGERON 2016

AC Haut-Médoc, Bordeaux, France

39419 (XD) 750 mL \$29.95 

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Medium-bodied & Fruity

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WHAT'S ON

A snapshot of exciting events, great wines to try, new collections, special offers and more.

HOLIDAY GIFTS



PERANO CHIANTI CLASSICO AND RISERVA IN CHEESE-PLATE BOX

Chianti and serving utensils presented in a handsome wooden box that doubles as a cheese board.
39233 2 × 750 mL **\$79.95**

CANELLA PROSECCO ADVENT CALENDAR

Six different styles to savour throughout the season.
27982 24 × 200 mL **\$194.95**

LAURENT-PERRIER METAL JACKET PETALS EDITION BRUT CUVÉE ROSÉ CHAMPAGNE

A beloved Champagne dressed in a funky ice jacket.
33965 750 mL **\$129.95**

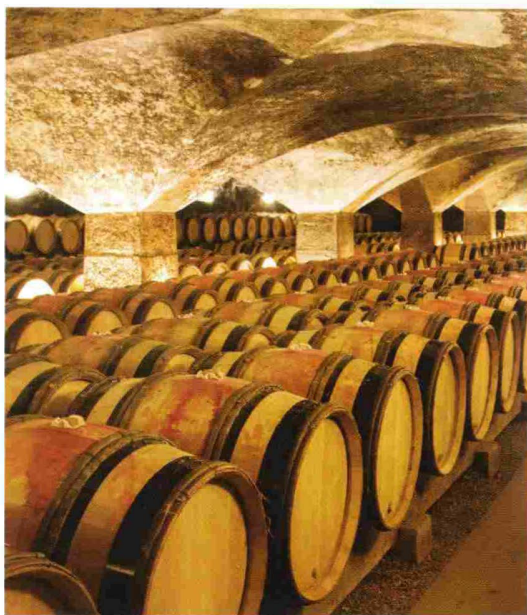
PRESENTS OF MIND

Our **special holiday-season collection** takes the guesswork out of gifting so you can focus on the festivities. From gift sets to fun packaging to unique limited editions and more, you'll find something for everyone on your list. Here are a few highlights.



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ONLINE COLLECTIONS



COMING SOON! CELLAR COLLECTION: NOVEMBER FEATURE

If you have wine connoisseurs on your list this year, don't start shopping without checking out our newest Cellar Collection feature. For the Bordeaux fan, there's 2004 Margaux. You'll also find a handful of top Champagnes including Laurent-Perrier and Bollinger; big bottles of Super Tuscan treasures Tignanello and Luce; 98-pointers from Pahlmeyer, Bertani, Mazzei, Muga and more; and the 100-point Jim Barry The Armagh Shiraz.

Online ordering starts Thursday, November 7. Visit [LCBO.com/vintages](https://www.lcbo.com/vintages) and click Cellar Collection.

BACK TO THE FUTURES



Don't miss out on the excellent wines from our **2023 Bordeaux Futures collection**. Why are 2023 wines called "futures"? Bordeaux Futures is a special program that lets you buy top wines from the world's most revered wine region up to three years before they're bottled. The 2023 vintage is still in barrels in the wineries, but it has been sampled by wine critics and our own buyers. Make your choices based on their reviews, and then sit tight until the wines are delivered in 2026. Bordeaux Futures is part investment, part treasure hunt, and all about the anticipation!

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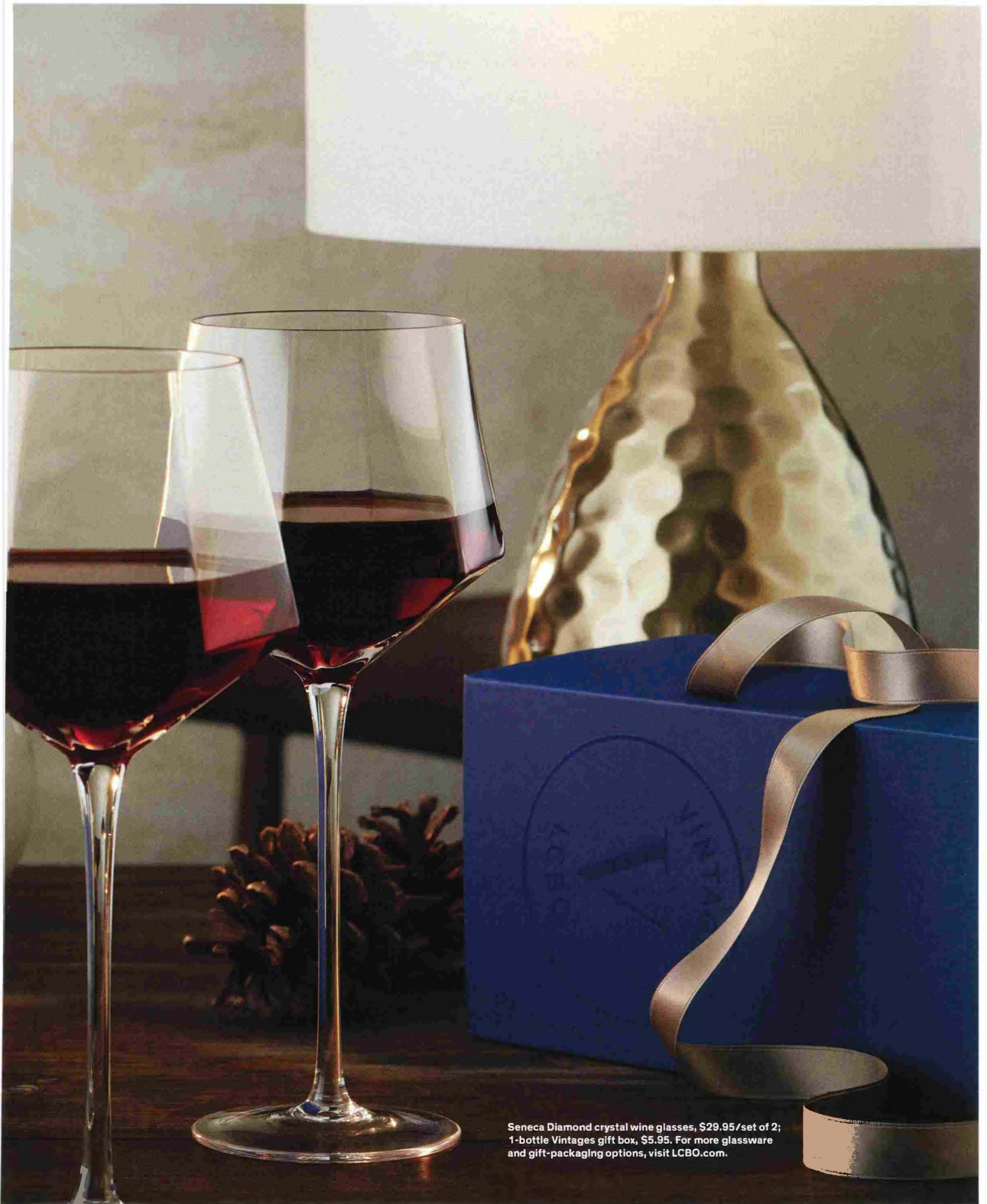
SIMPLER SHOPPING

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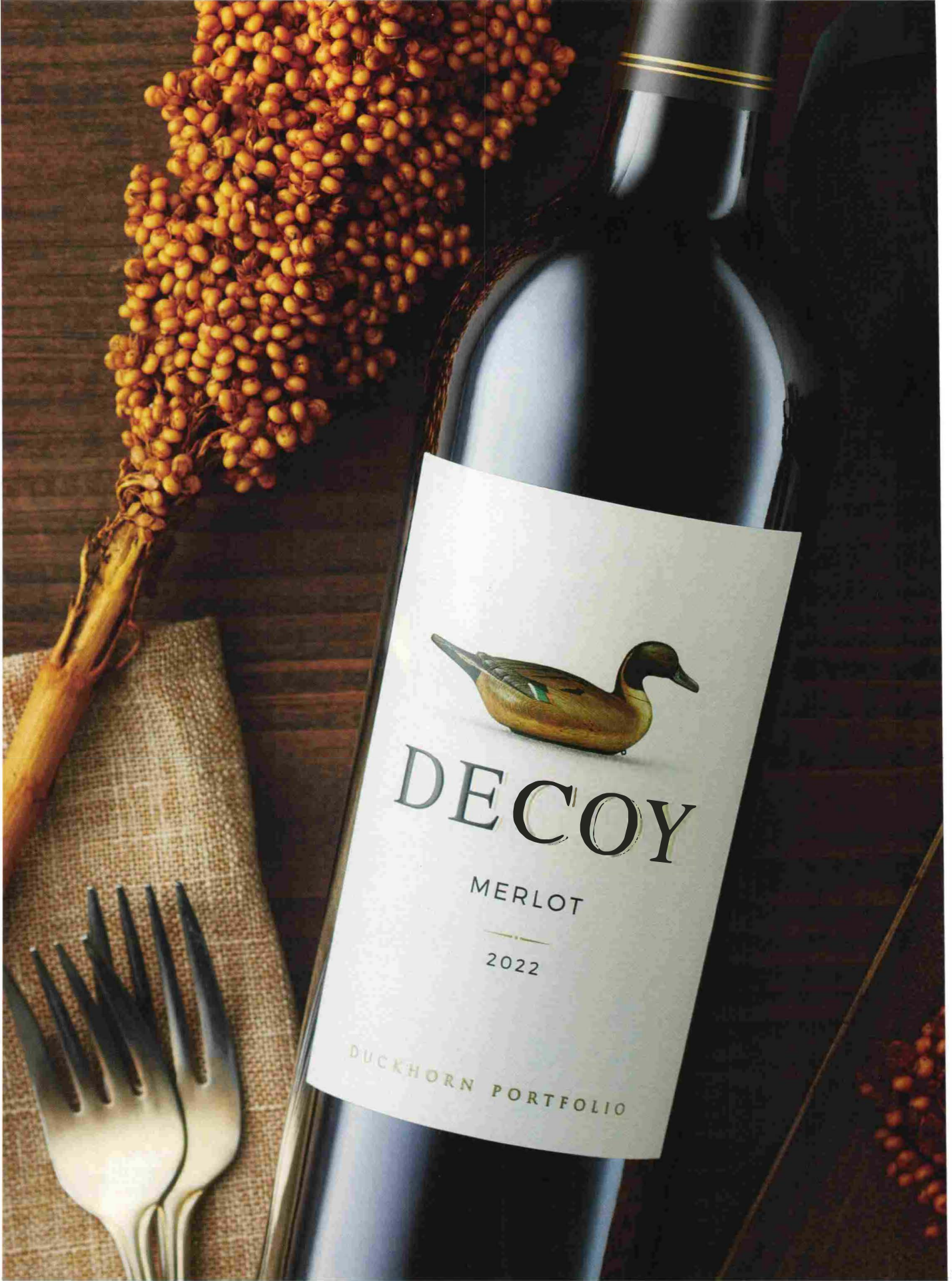
CALIFORNIA STARS AND ICONS

California is a boon for the collectible, the cult and the innovative; it's where some of the world's most coveted wines are crafted. Our collection features highly sought-after wines that would be perfect as extra-special gifts or as conversation pieces at a sophisticated dinner. These wines will be in high demand, and they're only available at the LCBO. Don't miss out!





Seneca Diamond crystal wine glasses, \$29.95/set of 2;
1-bottle Vintages gift box, \$5.95. For more glassware
and gift-packaging options, visit LCBO.com.



DECOY MERLOT 2022*

California
(Duckhorn Portfolio)

Established in 1985, Decoy is the Sonoma outpost of Napa icon Duckhorn. This food-friendly, broadly appealing Merlot will shine at any holiday dinner or party.

Full-bodied & Smooth
460642 (XD) 750 mL \$34.95 ✓

ENJOYFUL GIFTS

Explore LCBO.com and your local LCBO store for dozens upon dozens more great gift and entertaining ideas including wines, spirits, beers, ciders and cocktails.



GROTH OAKVILLE CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2020*

Napa Valley

When it comes to Napa, Cabernet Sauvignon is king. Groth's tightly focused, refined, ageable Oakville is an elite example of the style. Impressive on the table or under the tree.

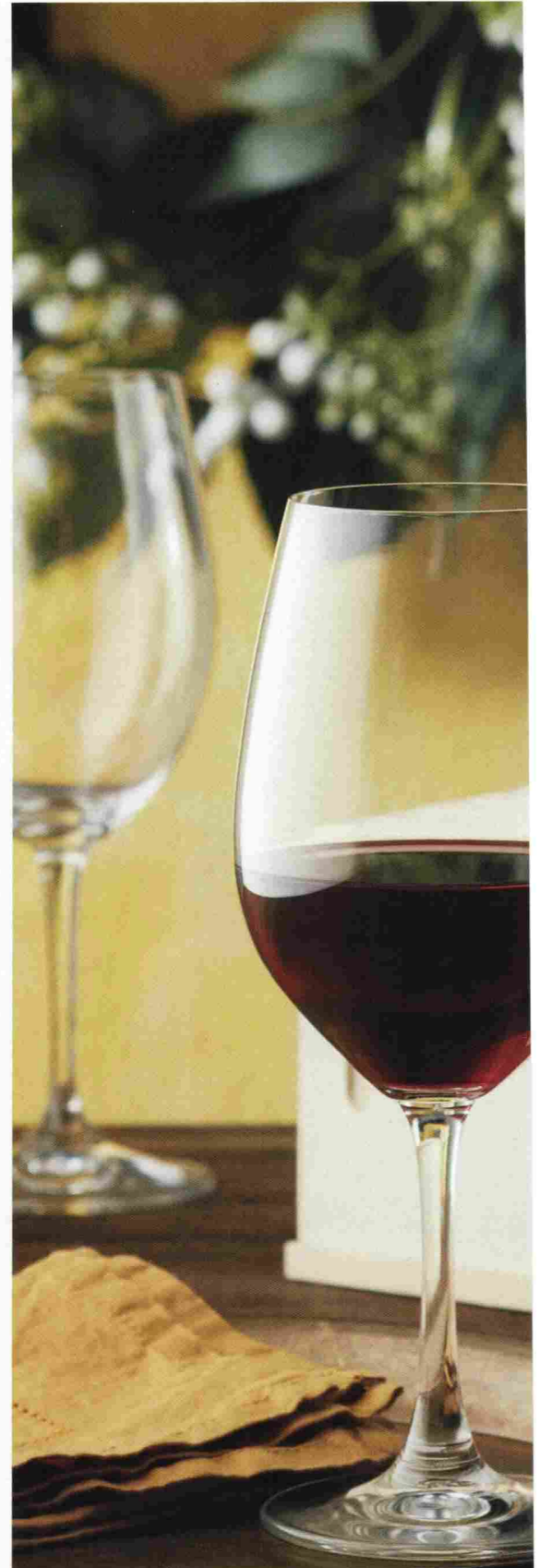
**93 points (Jonathan Cristaldi,
decanter.com)**

Full-bodied & Firm

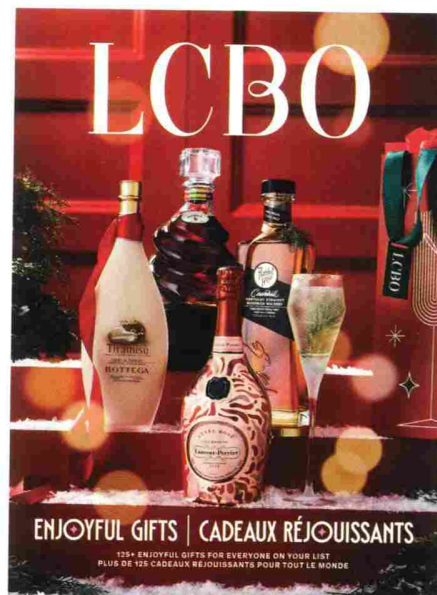
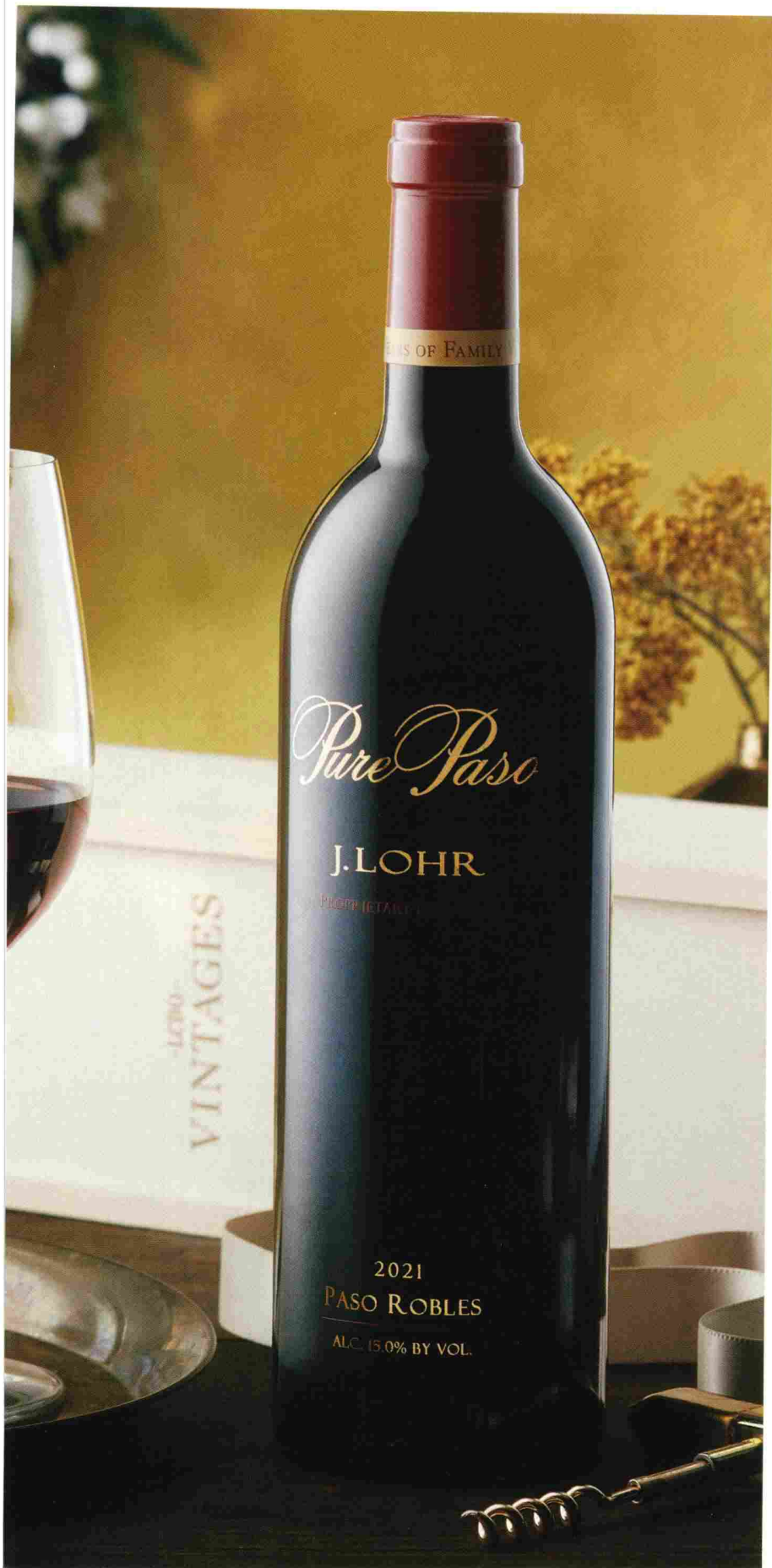
27256 (XD) 750 mL \$128.95 ✓

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1-bottle Vintages wooden gift crate, \$12.95. For more gift-packaging options, visit LCBO.com.



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J. LOHR PURE PASO PROPRIETARY RED 2021

Paso Robles, sustainable

For more than 50 years, J. Lohr has been synonymous with premium Californian wine. Instrumental in establishing the reputation of Paso Robles as a top-tier wine region, it's a name that will never steer you wrong.

93 points (Matt Kettman, *Wine Enthusiast*)

Full-bodied & Smooth

15652 (XD) 750 mL \$42.95

FOR COMPLETE TASTING NOTE, SEE PAGE 27.



FAR NIENTE CHARDONNAY 2022*

Napa Valley

The historic Far Niente focuses on Cabernet Sauvignon and Chardonnay, producing some of Napa's finest examples of both. This generous, ripe Chard, with its iconic label, never fails to make an impression.

94 points (Jim Gordon, *Wine Enthusiast*)

Full-bodied & Rich

539130 (XD) 750 mL \$99.95 



**SEQUOIA GROVE
CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2021***

Rutherford, Napa Valley

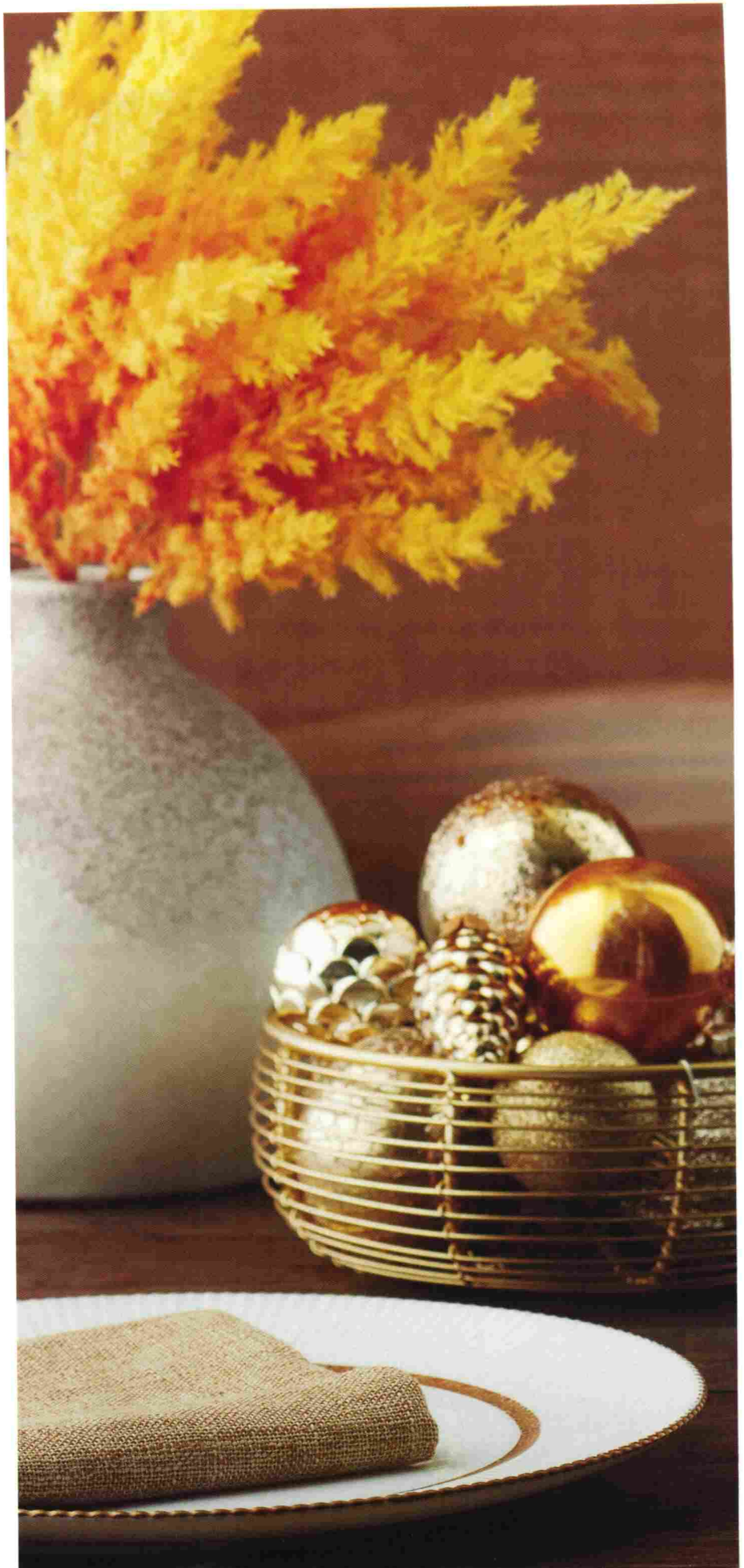
Sequoia Grove is cultivating a legacy of sustainability and quality in the Rutherford district. With generous fruit and dusty tannins, this wine will make a great gift for environmentally conscious fans of Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon.

**95 points (Meridith May,
The SOMM Journal)**

Full-bodied & Firm

60020 (XD) 750 mL \$86.95 

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ROMBAUER CARNEROS CHARDONNAY 2023*

Carneros

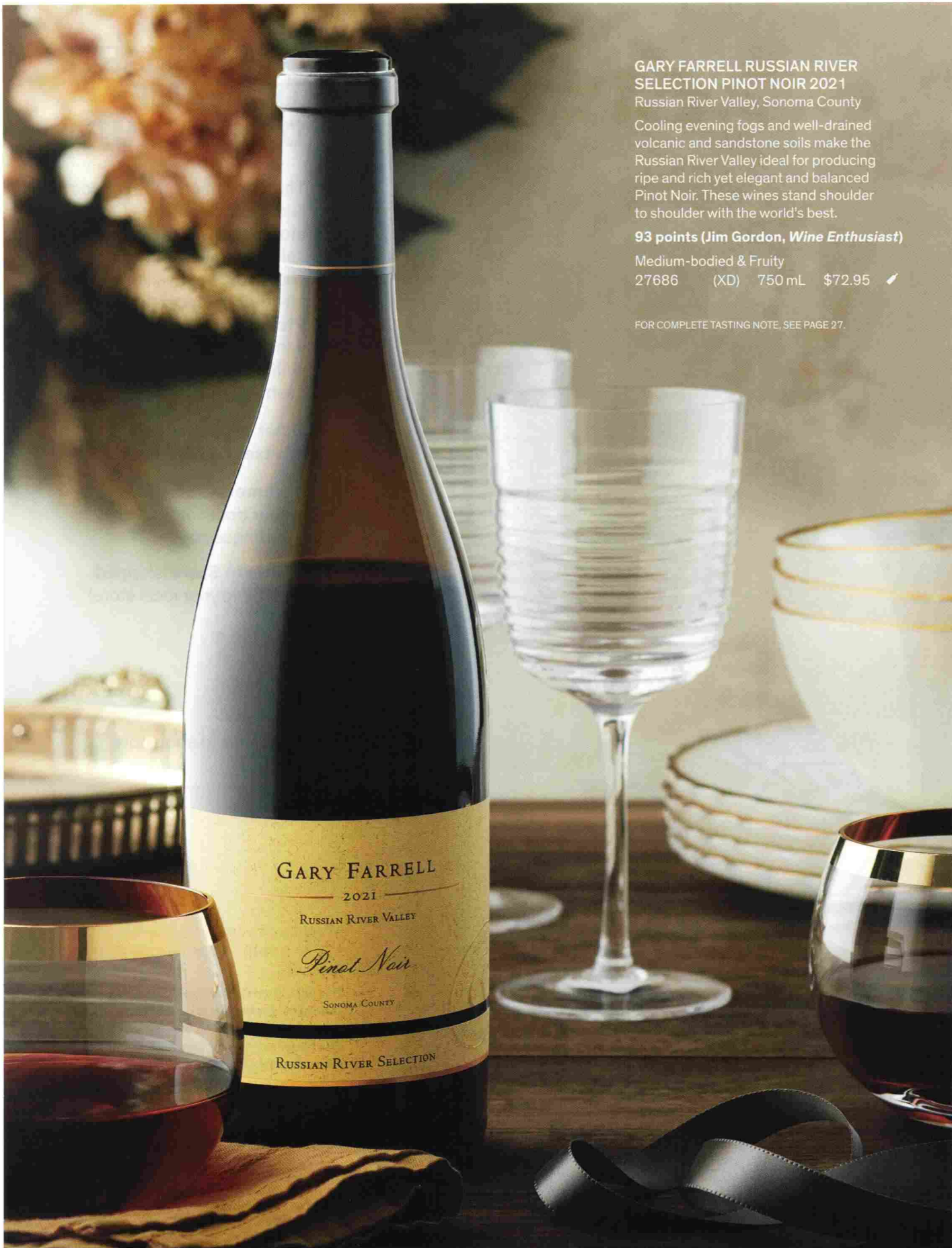
This wine from Californian Chardonnay specialists Rombauer is superbly food friendly; no surprise, considering that founder Koerner Rombauer's great-aunt Irma wrote the international bestseller *The Joy of Cooking*.

Full-bodied & Rich

441089 (XD) 750 mL \$69.95 ✓

FOR COMPLETE TASTING NOTES, SEE PAGES 26 TO 28.

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GARY FARRELL RUSSIAN RIVER SELECTION PINOT NOIR 2021

Russian River Valley, Sonoma County

Cooling evening fogs and well-drained volcanic and sandstone soils make the Russian River Valley ideal for producing ripe and rich yet elegant and balanced Pinot Noir. These wines stand shoulder to shoulder with the world's best.

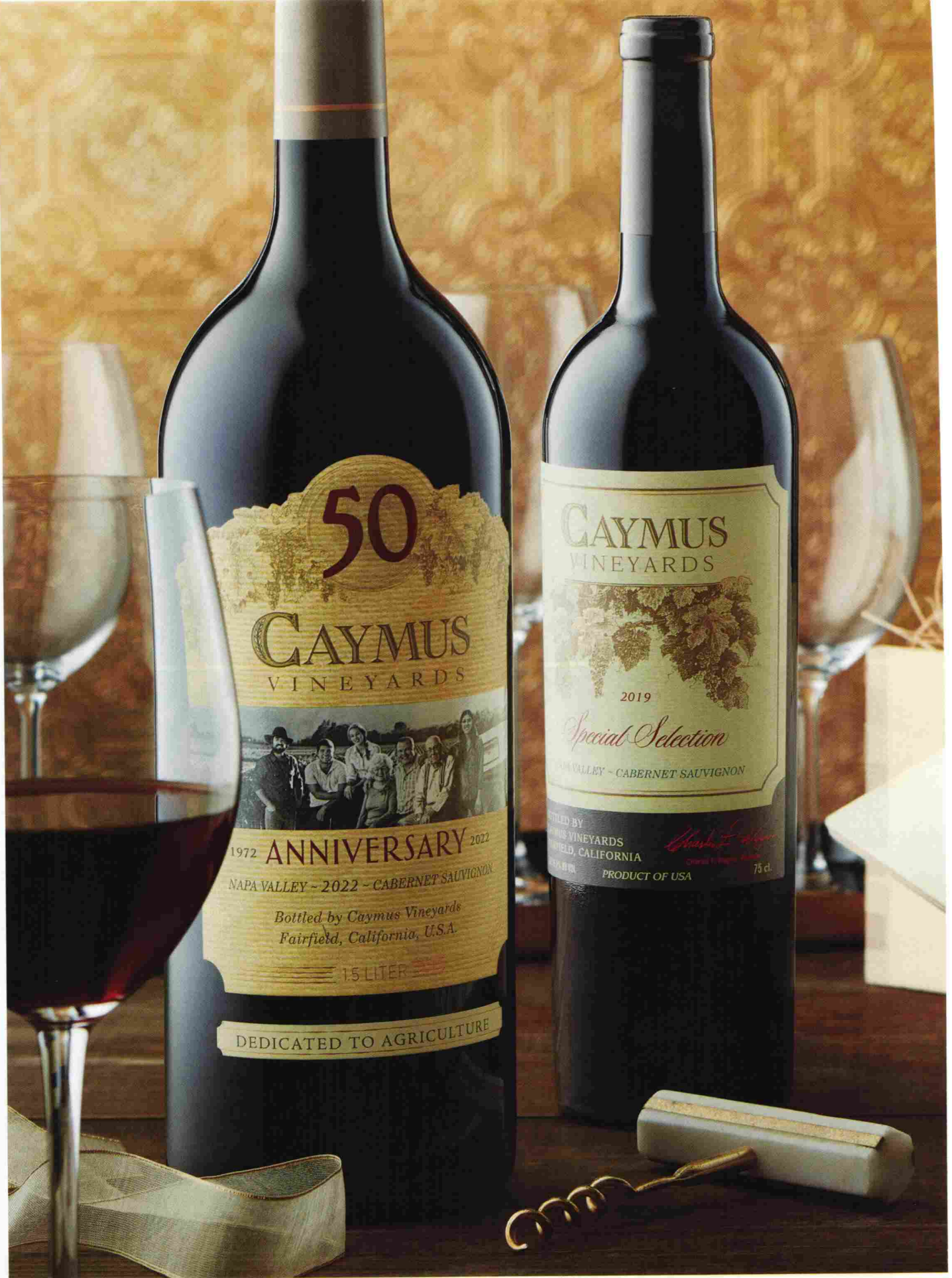
93 points (Jim Gordon, *Wine Enthusiast*)

Medium-bodied & Fruity

27686 (XD) 750 mL \$72.95 ✓

FOR COMPLETE TASTING NOTE, SEE PAGE 27.





TASTE THESE WINES

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CAYMUS CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2022

Napa Valley, 50th anniversary

The half-size and magnum bottlings of our Vintages Essential (222877) from one of Napa's pioneering wine families. A trophy wine that will make an exciting stocking stuffer or centrepiece.

91 points (James Molesworth, winespectator.com)

Full-bodied & Firm

632133	(D)	375 mL	\$54.95	✓
155150	(D)	1500 mL	\$219.95	✓

CAYMUS SPECIAL SELECTION CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2019

Napa Valley

A wine of profound character and standing from an iconic producer. The Special Selection Cabernet comes from select barrels; it's literally the 2019 vintage's best of the best.

94 points (James Molesworth, winespectator.com)

Full-bodied & Firm

711663	(XD)	750 mL	\$229.95	✓
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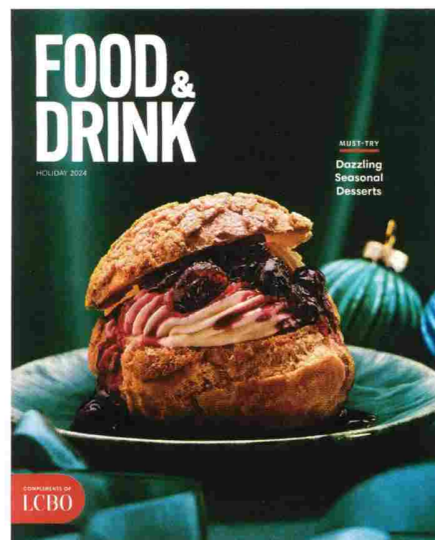
FOR COMPLETE TASTING NOTES, SEE PAGE 26.

**DUCKHORN
SAUVIGNON BLANC 2023***
North Coast

Duckhorn has been producing world-class Sauvignon Blanc since 1982. This classic expression makes a sophisticated gift and is a versatile addition to any table.

Aromatic & Flavourful
94375 (XD) 750 mL
\$ 39.95 🍷





FOR FABULOUS FESTIVITIES

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DAOU PESSIMIST 2021*

Paso Robles

DAOU crafts many of Paso Robles's most dynamic, terroir-driven blends. This crowd-pleaser is mostly Petite Sirah with Syrah, Zinfandel, Lagrein and Malbec. A unique gift.

93 points (Matt Kettman, *Wine Enthusiast*)

Full-bodied & Firm

14425 (D) 750 mL \$33.95

FOR COMPLETE TASTING NOTES, SEE PAGES 26 TO 27.

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Where the past meets the future

This historic Médoc estate may date back to the Middle Ages, but that doesn't slow down its innovation.



Since its restoration in 2015, the chateau has hosted no fewer than 8,000 visitors per year. **BELOW, RIGHT:** Charles Lemoine.



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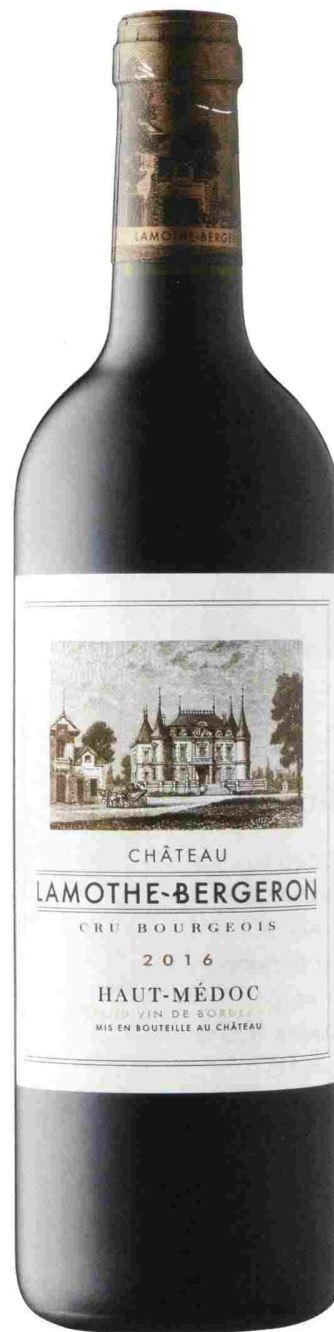
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To say that Château Lamothe-Bergeron has deep roots in Bordeaux is an understatement. The 1898 edition of the *Féret* wine guide describes how the estate's 14th-century owner sold 10 vintages of his wine to pay ransom to the occupying English forces, who apparently held his wines in high esteem. In 1932, it was included in the first Cru Bourgeois classification, and its stately blue-slate-roofed château transports visitors straight back to the 19th century.

But behind all this historic grandeur is a modern winery that doesn't shy away from change. "While rooted in the past," says general manager Charles Lemoine, "we constantly adapt to today's challenges, especially in terms of sustainability." The winery has been farming sustainably since 2008 and has been at the highest level of HVE (High Environmental Value) certification since 2018. "To achieve HVE certification," says Lemoine, "we implemented measures focusing on biodiversity conservation, flora protection, and responsible management of fertilizers and water. Practices like dry farming helped us reduce water usage. We are adapting to climate change by evolving pruning techniques and upgrading drainage systems to encourage deeper root growth.

"One challenge of a historic estate," Lemoine continues, "is modernizing old infrastructures while preserving their character. We've addressed this by investing in new facilities, such as a modern white wine cellar and updates to our red wine cellar to incorporate gentler winemaking techniques and amphorae."

All this hard work ensures that Château Lamothe-Bergeron will continue their long tradition of making wines worth their weight in gold.



CHATEAU LAMOTHE-BERGERON 2016

AC Haut-Médoc, Bordeaux, France

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Medium-bodied & Fruity

39419 (XD) 750 mL \$29.95

New at Vintages

LOCAL FIND



Sean Adams
Ontario Wine Buyer

An insider's
guide to great
Ontario wines.

The view from here

Ontario Icewine has been a source of local pride since the '90s, and Lakeview Cellars has been a part of that history. This multi-award-winning seven-year-old example is 100% Cabernet Sauvignon and is showing fascinating complexity as it ages. A great wine to sip with friends as you reminisce about the good times you've shared this year.



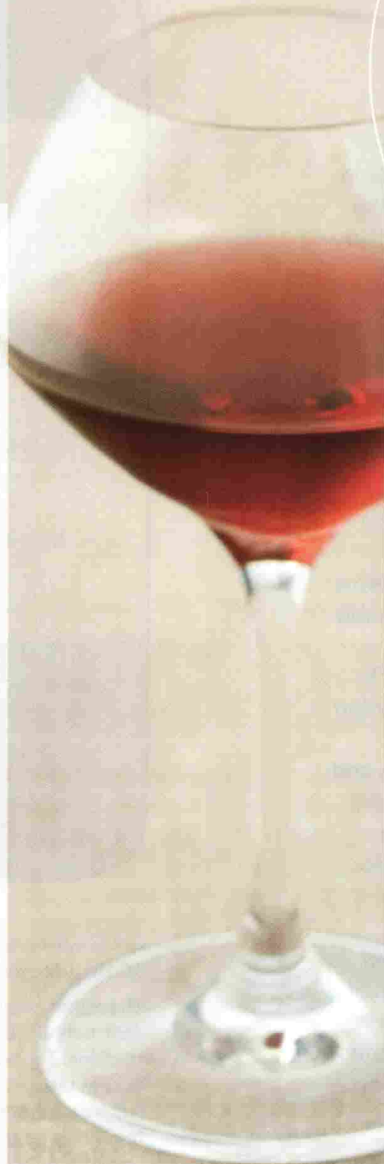
**LAKEVIEW CELLARS
CABERNET SAUVIGNON
ICEWINE 2017** ★
VQA Niagara Peninsula,
Ontario

471813 (S)
200 mL \$29.95

Lusciously Sweet

**93 points (Rick VanSickle,
winesinniagara.com)**

For complete tasting note,
see page 22.



I love it
because...

1. Aged Icewines are a real treat!
2. Aromas of raspberry and black cherry give way to flavours of stewed berry, raisin and date.
3. It would pair wonderfully with bold cheeses like blue or Stilton, as well as sweet berry desserts and dark chocolate.

Sean

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CELLARS

CABERNET SAUVIGNON ICEWINE


2017
VQA • NIAGARA PENINSULA • VQA


PRODUCT NOTES


 Look for this icon to find Ontario and BC VQA wines.

DRINKABILITY INDEX

This index is intended as a guideline and reflects the collective view of our purchasing panel.

 **DRINK NOW:** Enjoy tonight. There is no benefit to cellaring.

 **DRINK OR HOLD:** Can be enjoyed now, but may be matured further by cellaring.

 **HOLD:** This wine may be enjoyed now, but it will develop favourably under ideal cellaring conditions.


SUGAR CONTENT

Residual sugar content (e.g., **5 g/L**) is displayed on shelf signs and on LCBO.com. Perceived sweetness – ranging from Extra Dry to Sweet or **XD, D, M, MS, S** – is printed in this catalogue, on shelf signs and online. Please discuss specifics with a Product Consultant.

WINE STYLES

Every wine in this section includes a style (e.g. Full-bodied & Smooth, Aromatic & Flavourful) designed to help you quickly and easily choose products.

ORGANIC PRODUCTS

Wines designated as organic  contain 30 mg/L or less of free sulphur for dry wines (<50 g/L sugar); 35 mg/L or less for sweeter wines (50-99 g/L sugar); 45 mg/L or less for sweet wines (>99 g/L sugar).

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FORTIFIED WINE

VERMOUTH

LA QUINTINYE ROYAL EXTRA DRY VERMOUTH

NEW

France

Pouring a pale golden raisin in the glass with an indulgent syrupy nose. Exuding white peach, ripe honeydew melon, ripe mango, clover honey, pineapple, white tea, fresh rain water, and wet slate on the nose. A refreshing tartness washes over the palate followed by distinctive minerality, ending is a subtle savory finish that is clean and dry. Extraordinary, Ultimate Recommendation. Score: **96** (Panel, Ultimate Spirits Challenge, 2022)

Dry
39048 (D) 750 mL \$30.95 



PORT

BURMESTER 10-YEAR-OLD TAWNY PORT DOP, Portugal

30% Touriga Nacional, 30% Tinta Roriz, 30% Touriga Franca. Possesses a lovely mellifluous character, with touches of carob syrup bolstering vegetal and citrus tones, wrapped in silky tannins prior to a lovely and precise finish. Score: **95** (Decanter World Wine Awards, 2019)

Sweet
223958 (S) 750 mL \$29.95 

 **Organic product**



FONSECA GUIMARAENS VINTAGE PORT 2008

NEW

Douro, Portugal

20% Touriga Nacional, 20% Touriga Franca, 20% Tinta Roriz. A good marriage between bouquet and palate with black fruit and deep herb complexity. Tensioned tannins and a vibrant finish. Score: **93** (Decanter World Wine Awards, 2023)

Sweet
38390 (S) 375 mL \$45.95 





FORTIFIED WINE CONT'D

PORT

OFFLEY LATE BOTTLED VINTAGE PORT 2018

DOP, Portugal

Late Bottled Vintage Port is made in a style designed to be flexible. It can be enjoyed right away or cellared further, depending on preference. This one offers a cavalcade of ripe red fruits and spices, especially clove and black pepper, along with cedar and cigar box. Lively acidity keeps the sweetness in harmony.

[Concours Mondial de Bruxelles did not include a tasting note.] Score: **Gold** (Concours Mondial de Bruxelles, 2023)

Sweet
70086 (S) 750 mL **\$22.95** 🍷



DESSERT WINE

CAVE SPRING SELECT LATE HARVEST RIESLING 2023 🍁

VQA Lincoln Lakeshore, Niagara Peninsula, Ontario

Consistently one of Niagara's best late-harvest expressions, this wine offers wonderful acidity and plentiful peach, apricot, nectarine and honeyed flavours supported by flourishes of exotic and tropical fruit, with a stunning saline-infused minerality on the close. The sweetness is adroitly balanced, making this eminently drinkable. Though this ideal dessert wine is perfect for a rich crème brûlée, try serving it alongside spicy grilled ribs.

Lusciously Sweet
415901 (S) 375 mL **\$27.95** 🍷



ICEWINE

LAKEVIEW CELLARS CABERNET SAUVIGNON ICEWINE 2017 🍁

VQA Niagara Peninsula, Ontario

Deep, rich burgundy colour in the glass with a bold nose of ripe black cherries, black currant jam, cherry kirsch and raspberry tart. It's luxurious, complex and rich on the palate with velvety texture, compoted dark berries, sweet cherry/raspberry jam and a long, lush finish buoyed by mouth-watering acidity. Score: **93** (Rick VanSickle, winesinniagara.com, Jan. 17, 2022)

Lusciously Sweet
471813 (S) 200 mL **\$29.95** 🍷

Featured in Local Find



CHAMPAGNE

DOM PÉRIGNON BRUT ROSÉ VINTAGE CHAMPAGNE 2009

AC

Peaches, fresh crushed strawberries and roses on the nose. Full-bodied and generous. Fine tannins that frame the wine beautifully and set it up for a fresh finish. Some fruit tea and cedar undertones. Enticing finish with hints of bitterness. Savory. Drink or hold. Score: **97** (jamesuckling.com, Aug. 7, 2023)

Rich & Complex
91777 (D) 750 mL **\$471.95** 🍷



SPARKLING WINE

FLAT ROCK RIDDLED SPARKLING 2021 🍁

VQA Twenty Mile Bench, Niagara Escarpment, Ontario, sustainable, traditional method Flat Rock's signature sparkling is made only in the best vintages and is crafted using Chardonnay sourced from specially selected blocks of the Flat Rock Vineyard. Rich and zesty with excellent structure and poise, it offers finely accomplished, complex green apple, citrus, baked bread and mineral. An undeniable treat!

Medium-bodied & Flavourful
383315 (D) 750 mL **\$39.95** 🍷



FRANCIS COPPOLA SOFIA BLANC DE BLANCS SPARKLING*

Monterey County, California

This popular sparkler is a blend of Chardonnay and Pinot Noir Rosé. It's zesty and fresh, with lifted floral aromatics, apple, pear, citrus, honeysuckle, and a delicate spice note. A wonderful sipper that also works well with seafood appetizers.

Medium-bodied & Flavourful
552091 (D) 750 mL **\$34.95** 🍷



TALTARNI TACHÉ BRUT ROSÉ SPARKLING 2016*

Australia, traditional method
 "Taché" is the French word for "stained" and refers to the red wine dosage in this traditional blend of Chardonnay, Pinot Noir and Pinot Meunier. The wine is aromatic, with rose petal and strawberry notes followed by characterful red berry, cassis and bread tones on the palate. Quite versatile, it's well-suited to charcuterie platters, salmon or roast turkey and will drink through 2026.

Medium-bodied & Flavourful
 967398 (D) 750 mL **\$26.95** 🍷



BRILLA! EXTRA DRY ROSÉ PROSECCO 2023

DOC, Italy
 (Botter)
 Bright pink-red with persistent mousse. Reminiscent of strawberry yoghurt and light flowers on the nose, with a subtle herbal spiciness in the echo. Fruity, creamy and hearty on the palate, reminiscent of grapefruit and bitter almonds in the mid-palate, with a slightly cloudy finish. Score: **89** (Othmar Kiem & Simon Staffler, falstaff.com, May 24, 2024)

Light & Fruity
 21040 (XD) 750 mL **\$19.95** 🍷



KEN FORRESTER SPARKLEHORSE CAP CLASSIQUE SPARKLING CHENIN BLANC 2020

WO Stellenbosch, South Africa, traditional method
 One of the most visible sparkling Chenins on the market, Sparklehorse is a bubbly that's based on the 2020 vintage but includes a lot of reserve material. Lees aged for 24 months with 8 grams of dosage, it has pepper and honeysuckle aromas and palate of quince and green apple. Drink date: 2023-2025. Score: **90** (timatkin.com, South Africa Special Report 2023)

Medium-bodied & Flavourful
 32030 (D) 750 mL **\$29.95** 🍷



GIULIO COCCHI BRUT SPARKLING

NEW

Italy, tank method
 From famed vermouth and aperitif producer (and maker of Cocchi Americano) Giulio Cocchi comes this dry sparkler made from 70% Pinot Noir and 30% Chardonnay. Elegant and aromatic with suggestions of fresh flowers, berries and lychee, it's a versatile food wine.

Medium-bodied & Flavourful
 39646 (D) 750 mL **\$23.95** 🍷



ANDREOLA DIRUPO BRUT CONEGLIANO VALDOBBIADENE PROSECCO SUPERIORE

DOCG, Italy
 Made from estate-grown fruit at a winery founded in the steep hills of Col San Martino in Treviso, this Prosecco is light and crisp with a fine mineral undertone. Always an outstanding value.

[Gambero Rosso did not include a tasting note.]
 Score: 🍷🍷🍷 (Gambero Rosso Italian Wines, 2024)

Light & Fruity
 14010 (D) 750 mL **\$24.95** 🍷



ZONIN VALDOBBIADENE EXTRA BRUT PROSECCO SUPERIORE

NEW

DOCG, Italy
 For seven generations now, the Zonin family has been a veritable powerhouse of Italian Prosecco, exporting to nearly every country around the world. This round, lively wine is a testament to their expertise. Both approachable and complex, it has flavours of grapefruit and cantaloupe, with a finely detailed mousse.

[The Melbourne International Wine Competition did not include a tasting note.] Score: **94** (Melbourne International Wine Competition, 2020)

Light & Fruity
 39647 (XD) 750 mL **\$23.95** 🍷

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SPARKLING WINE CONT'D

**CENTINARI BRUT
FRANCIACORTA**

DOCG, Lombardy, Italy
Precise and elegant wine with chalky minerality, restrained lemon curd and buttery depth. Soft and silky mousse with medium body, a creamy palate, crisp acidity and a tense, long aftertaste. Disgorged January 2024. Drink or hold. Score: **93** (james suckling.com, Aug. 8, 2024)



Medium-bodied & Flavourful
39771 (XD) 750 mL **\$49.95** ✎



**STARS BRUT NATURE RESERVA
CAVA 2022***

DO, Spain, traditional method (Castillo Perelada)
Gold LEED-certified Castillo Perelada hosts one of the most prestigious music festivals in Europe; this bubbly is a tribute to the stars who perform. It offers fresh green apple, pear, apricot and citrus, with tongue-tingling acidity. Pair it with paella or tempura, or simply sip while enjoying your favourite tunes.

Medium-bodied & Flavourful
515221 (D) 750 mL **\$17.95** ✎

CANADA – WHITE WINE

ONTARIO

**CHARLES BAKER PICONE VINEYARD
RIESLING 2021** 🍁

VQA Vinemount Ridge, Niagara Peninsula, sustainable (Stratus)

After over a decade of 90+ scores Charles Baker's signature riesling just keeps on trucking. There is a sense of the pristine and exacting balance and tension ... lifted apple/pineapple aromas with classic lemon, evergreen and oyster shell minerality. It is light to mid-weight, essentially dry but tucked in by a hint of residual sugar. The intensity and length are excellent. Some bitterness on the finish. Tasted May 2024. Score: **93** (David Lawrason, winealign.com)

Aromatic & Flavourful
241182 (M) 750 mL **\$44.95** ✎



LIEBLING RIESLING 2022 🍁

Lingard Vineyard, VQA St. David's Bench, Niagara-on-the-Lake
... from vines planted in 2006 ... Aging was in stainless steel and the grapes were planted to the 21b clone. The fresh nose shows a lovely melange of white peach, lime, candied citrus, pear, jasmine, and stony minerality. There is a subtle note of sweetness on the palate with a juicy array of peach, apple, citrus and wet stones that's all nicely balanced by the racy acidity through the bright finish. A joyous Riesling for everyday sipping. Score: **90** (Rick VanSickle, winesinniagara.com, June 5, 2023)



Aromatic & Flavourful
41257 (D) 750 mL **\$22.00** ✎



**THE TRAGICALLY HIP AHEAD BY A
CENTURY CHARDONNAY 2021** 🍁

VQA Niagara Peninsula (Stoney Ridge Estate Winery)
First produced as part of the celebrations to mark the 20th anniversary of The Hip's classic album *Trouble at the Henhouse*, this wine has been in heavy rotation at Vintages ever since. It's rich and layered, with ripe apple, peach, lemon and pineapple along with oak spice and vanilla. Buttery, long and fresh, it's a wine with broad appeal. Try it with grilled chicken breasts.

Full-bodied & Rich
483875 (XD) 750 mL **\$21.95** ✎

CANADA – RED WINE

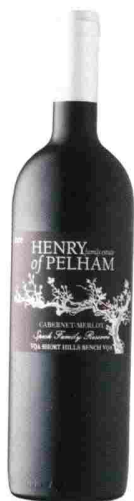
ONTARIO

**FEATHERSTONE RED TAIL
MERLOT 2021** 🍁

VQA Niagara Peninsula, vegan
A ridiculously affordable price for a Merlot this good. The wine is aged in 100% fine French oak barrels (25% new) ... for 10 months. There is an intriguing, perfumed note on the nose with dark cherries, black raspberries, cassis, integrated spices, and subtle earthy accents. It's rich with some tannic structure and weight on the palate followed by juicy red berries, anise, cassis, and elegant spice notes through a long, lifted finish. [You] can age this for 5+ years and you can feel pretty damn happy you paid only \$20 a bottle. Score: **92** (Rick VanSickle, winesinniagara.com, June 5, 2023)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
131540 (XD) 750 mL **\$19.95** ✎





HENRY OF PELHAM SPECK FAMILY RESERVE CABERNET/MERLOT 2020 🍁
 VQA Short Hills Bench, Niagara Escarpment, sustainable
 ... Cabernet Sauvignon ... Cabernet Franc ... Merlot.
 Mineral nose driven by red currant and plum notes, with some leathery and savoury character. Nice level of ripe extraction. Score: **93** (Decanter World Wine Awards, 2024)

Full-bodied & Firm
 616433 (XD) 750 mL **\$47.95** 🍷



REIF RESERVE CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2019 🍁
 VQA Niagara River, Niagara-on-the-Lake
 Fermented and aged in a combination of French and Hungarian oak, this wine is quite rich and ripe, with intense blackberry, spice, earth, oak spice and cocoa notes.

[Ontario Wine Awards did not include a tasting note.] Score: **Gold** (Ontario Wine Awards, 2024)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
 304162 (XD) 750 mL **\$34.95** 🍷



NORMAN HARDIE COUNTY UNFILTERED PINOT NOIR 2020 🍁
 VQA Prince Edward County, vegan
 This is a nicely styled, fresh and complete pinot with a lovely nose of blueberry/raspberry fruit, florals, a hint of peppery spice. It is light to medium bodied, fresh, firm and very well balanced, with fine sandy tannin. A touch of edgy mossiness and bitterness on the finish. Excellent length. Tasted March 2023. Score: **91** (David Lawrason, winealign.com)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
 125310 (XD) 750 mL **\$59.20** 🍷



STRATUS GAMAY 2022 🍁
 VQA Niagara-on-the-Lake, sustainable, vegan
 An intense but balanced and elegant wine with a dark raspberry and cherry nose and palate. The tannins are ripe but slightly chalky and the wine is well structured and dense. A very long elegant finish. Tasted blind at NWAC 2024, June 2024. Gold Medal winner at the 2024 National Wine Awards of Canada. Score: **93** (Janet Dorozynski, DipWSET, Ph.D., winealign.com)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
 312082 (XD) 750 mL **\$32.20** 🍷



NORMAN HARDIE NIAGARA UNFILTERED PINOT NOIR 2020 🍁
 VQA Niagara Peninsula, vegan
 Excellent poise, with well-defined floral, raspberry, cherry, earth and spice tones. This consistent, elegant wine will be a fine match for roast beef, or salmon steaks.

Medium-bodied & Fruity
 208702 (XD) 750 mL **\$49.20** 🍷



THE FOREIGN AFFAIR DREAM 2020 🍁
 VQA Niagara Peninsula
 Dream is a partial appassimento blend of Merlot ... Cabernet Sauvignon ... and Cabernet Franc ... with half the Cab Franc dried grapes. The wine spends 18 months in French and American oak (25% new wood) ... It has an elegant nose of concentrated cassis, black currants, cocoa, and baking spices. It's more overt on the palate with ripe tannins, cassis, currants, blackberries, dark cherries, licorice, cedar, and fine oak spice with plenty of acidity keeping the finish lively. Can cellar a few years. Score: **91** (Rick VanSickle, winesinnigara.com, April 25, 2023)


Full-bodied & Smooth
 364380 (XD) 750 mL **\$29.95** 🍷

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CANADA – RED WINE CONT'D

ONTARIO



TWO SISTERS ELEVENTH POST 2018 
 VQA Niagara River, Niagara-on-the-Lake
 An assemblage of merlot, cabernet sauvignon and cabernet franc, vinified separately and then aged a substantial 30 months in French oak before being blended. Juicy and lush with a voluminous tannic mouthfeel, fresh red fruit, gentle oak spice and tertiary notes of iron, dried leaf and leather. Not too heavy, nicely balanced and with very good concentration and length. Best now to 2025. Tasted November 2022. Score: **91** (Sara d'Amato, winealign.com)


Full-bodied & Smooth
 20935 (XD) 750 mL **\$48.00** 

USA – WHITE WINE

CALIFORNIA




DUCKHORN SAUVIGNON BLANC 2023*
 North Coast
 Sourced from Napa, Sonoma, Lake County and Mendocino County, the 2023 is 91% Sauvignon Blanc and 9% Semillon. As always, a portion of the Sauvignon Blanc was fermented in new French oak; a critical part of this wine's signature richness and complexity. It's bright and fresh, with bold citrus and tropical notes. A perennial classic.

Aromatic & Flavourful
 94375 (XD) 750 mL **\$39.95** 
Featured in California Stars and Icons



FAR NIENTE CHARDONNAY 2022*
 Napa Valley
 A creamy texture carries lush, ripe tropical fruits, ample butter and toast nuances in this bold, full-bodied wine. The layering of baked apples, vanilla, Bartlett pears and almonds is impressive and delicious. Score: **94** (Jim Gordon, *Wine Enthusiast*, April 1, 2024)

Full-bodied & Rich
 539130 (XD) 750 mL **\$99.95** 
Featured in California Stars and Icons

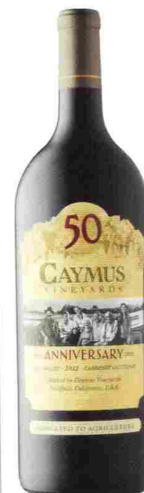


ROMBAUER CARNEROS CHARDONNAY 2023*
 Carneros
 Rombauer was founded in 1980, and its lofty reputation is largely based on its definitive expressions of Californian Chardonnay. It first began crafting Carneros Chardonnay in 1990. The 2023 vintage was predominantly cool and provided ideal conditions for a long, steady maturation in the vineyard. This buttery wine has intense, generous citrus, ripe peach, melon, vanilla, and zesty acidity. Enjoy through 2028.

Full-bodied & Rich
 441089 (XD) 750 mL **\$69.95** 
Featured in California Stars and Icons

USA – RED WINE

CALIFORNIA




CAYMUS CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2022
 Napa Valley, 50th anniversary
 A creamy, forward style, with a core of warmed raspberry and boysenberry preserves infused liberally with mocha and melted licorice. Shows a late flicker of chaparral. This is meant for near-term hedonism. Drink now through 2034. Score: **91** (James Molesworth, *winespectator.com*, Aug. 5, 2024)

Full-bodied & Firm
 632133 (D) 375 mL **\$54.95** 
 155150 (D) 1500 mL **\$219.95** 
Featured in California Stars and Icons



CAYMUS SPECIAL SELECTION CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2019
 Napa Valley
 Flashy, with boysenberry and mulberry pâte de fruit notes that roll through, throwing off licorice snap and açai berry notes as well. Ends with a high-gloss toasty finish, but the fruit pushes through easily as apple wood and mint notes add range. For fans of the bold style. Drink now through 2040. Score: **94** (James Molesworth, *winespectator.com*, July 3, 2024)

Full-bodied & Firm
 711663 (XD) 750 mL **\$229.95** 
Featured in California Stars and Icons



DAOU PESSIMIST 2021*

Paso Robles

This widely available red blend satisfies in so many ways. Hearty aromas of thick, dark fruit, smoke and anise lead from the nose into a rich palate that's loaded with cassis and violet. A persistent peel of acidity adds balance. Editors' Choice. Score: **93** (Matt Kettman, *Wine Enthusiast*, Dec. 31, 2022)

Full-bodied & Firm

14425 (D) 750 mL **\$33.95** ✂

Featured in California Stars and Icons



DECOY MERLOT 2022*

California

(Duckhorn Portfolio)

This vibrant, lively, bold Merlot brings generous tones of violets, blue and red berries, bright cherry and spice, with a lifted mint note at the end. Velvety-smooth and alluring, it will drink into the early 2030s.

Full-bodied & Smooth

460642 (XD) 750 mL **\$34.95** ✂

Featured in California Stars and Icons



GARY FARRELL RUSSIAN RIVER SELECTION PINOT NOIR 2021

Russian River Valley, Sonoma County

Focused, pure red and black cherries infuse this wine with fruit intensity from the first whiff to the tangy, lip-smacking finish. Sour cherries, rhubarb, moderate tannins and bracing acidity all add to its tangy allure. Best from 2022-2032. Score: **93** (Jim Gordon, *Wine Enthusiast*, March 1, 2024)

Medium-bodied & Fruity

27686 (XD) 750 mL **\$72.95** ✂

Featured in California Stars and Icons



GROTH OAKVILLE CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2020*

Napa Valley

A very lovely and elegant expression of Oakville Cabernet from Groth, which was able to harvest the fruit that comprises this cuvee before the Glass Fire of 27 September. It's a compact, tight-knit, gorgeously balanced Cabernet that is reticent upon opening but with air reveals a wealth of crunchy red berry fruit, dusty minerals, cedarwood and capsicum. Medium-bodied with juicy red cherry, boysenberry, dark chocolate and sandalwood. Intricate fine-grained tannins and blood orange acidity make for a compelling and balanced red – best from 2024. Drinking window: 2024-2035. Score: **93** (Jonathan Cristaldi, *decanter.com*, Sept. 13, 2023)

Full-bodied & Firm

27256 (XD) 750 mL **\$128.95** ✂

Featured in California Stars and Icons



J. LOHR PURE PASO PROPRIETARY RED 2021

Paso Robles, sustainable

This relatively recent proprietary red-blend creation continues to impress each vintage, showcasing Paso power with deft balance in pleasing ways. Aromas of blackberry jam, violet extract and root-beer floats proceed from the nose into a comforting palate of strawberry, cola and peppery spices. Firm, lingering tannins lead through the caramel-laced finish. Editors' Choice. Score: **93** (Matt Kettman, *Wine Enthusiast*, Dec. 1, 2023)

Full-bodied & Smooth

15652 (XD) 750 mL **\$42.95** ✂

Featured in California Stars and Icons



J. LOHR SEVEN OAKS CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2021

Paso Robles

[This is a large-format version of our popular Essentials product 656561.] Blackberries, cassis, currants and oak spices on the nose. It's full-bodied with plush tannins. Fruity, with a fine texture and a rich array of berries and sweet spices in the finish. Drink now. Score: **92** (jamesuckling.com, Oct. 16, 2023)

Full-bodied & Firm

16915 (XD) 1500 mL **\$49.95** ✂

*Late arrival. Product may not be available at release time.

USA – RED WINE CONT'D

CALIFORNIA



SEQUOIA GROVE CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2021*
Rutherford, Napa Valley
Juicy and sleek, with a dusty core of mocha and plum skin. Tannins smooth out on the midpalate to reveal dark fruit and balsamic. The finish endures, delivering coffee-cedar charm. [Enjoy into early 2030s.] Score: **95** (Meridith May, *The SOMM Journal*, Feb./March 2024)

Full-bodied & Firm
60020 (XD) 750 mL **\$86.95** 🍷

Featured in *California Stars and Icons*



SKYFALL RED BLEND 2021

Washington
This Merlot is crafted by Nicole Walsh, who's a veteran winemaker with more than 25 vintages under her belt and a leading voice in the women-owned-winery movement. It's an easygoing, approachable red, with ripe dark fruit, herbs, cloves, earth and smoke. A casual wine built for fun and food.

Full-bodied & Smooth
30525 (D) 750 mL **\$18.95** 🍷



OREGON

PRIMARIUS PINOT NOIR 2021
Oregon
Primarius 2021 Pinot Noir is an elegant, medium-plus-bodied and fragrant PN with ripe dark berry, raspberry, shitake mushroom, fresh herbs, cracked pepper and espresso flavours creamy and long on the palate. Tannins are medium and fine on this lovely PN from Oregon. Drink date: 2024-2026. Score: **92** (nataliemaclean.com, May 11, 2024)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
402180 (XD) 750 mL **\$26.95** 🍷



ARGENTINA – WHITE WINE

SUSANA BALBO SIGNATURE WHITE BLEND 2023
Valle de Uco, Mendoza
Dominated by Torrontés with 32% Sauvignon Blanc and 30% Semillón adding layers of complexity, this is always among the best white blends in Argentina. Showcasing the qualities of Paraje Altamira, it's a stony, pithy, deftly wooded white with layers of pear, citrus, lime and pink grapefruit and some skin tannin structure. Drink date: 2025-2029. [Decant for one hour to enjoy tonight.] Score: **94** (timatkin.com, *Argentina Special Report 2024*)

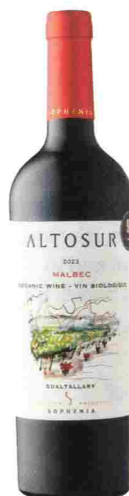
Aromatic & Flavourful
558734 (XD) 750 mL **\$22.95** 🍷



WASHINGTON

CHATEAU STE. MICHELLE INDIAN WELLS CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2021
Columbia Valley
The 2021 season was warm and produced grapes with bold, concentrated fruit flavours, while cool evenings maintained freshness and balance. This is a lush, silky wine, with intense dark fruit, chocolate, coffee and earth. Perfect for grilled meats, roasted veggies, or hearty stews, it will evolve through 2028+.

Full-bodied & Firm
55764 (XD) 750 mL **\$27.95** 🍷

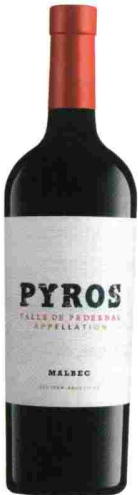


ARGENTINA – RED WINE

FINCA SOPHENIA ALTOSUR MALBEC 2023
Gualtallary, Tupungato, Valle de Uco, Mendoza
100% Malbec. A smouldering charcoal and graphite bass line supports a blanket of lavish dark cherries and vibrant florals. Generous and textured with crunchy tannins and a long, gourmet finish. Value. Score: **95** (Decanter World Wine Awards, 2024)

Full-bodied & Smooth
13113 (XD) 750 mL **\$17.95** 🍷

🌿 **Organic product**



**SALENTEIN PYROS
APPELLATION MALBEC 2019**



Valle de Pedernal

Exudes aromas that foreshadow what's to come, with a central chalky-slate presence and fresh violet and mountain herb nuances underneath. Features generous raspberry and plum flavors that are fresh and pure, buoyed by lively, chalky acidity. Ends with finesse and fine tannins. Drink now through 2030. Ranked #35 of *Wine Spectator's* Top 100 Wines of 2023. Score: **93** (Aaron Romano, winespectator.com, June 30, 2023)

Full-bodied & Smooth
38506 (XD) 750 mL **\$22.95** 🍷



SUSANA BALBO CRÍOS MALBEC 2022

Valle de Uco, Mendoza
(Dominio del Plata)

A fresh and spicy malbec with plenty of currants, red cherries and a hint of black olives. Linear and juicy on the palate with a medium body and a flavorful, fruity finish. Sleek tannins thread through it all. Drink now [through 2024+]. Score: **92** (Zekun Shuai, jamessuckling.com, April 4, 2023)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
162529 (XD) 750 mL **\$17.95** 🍷



**TINTONEGRO LIMESTONE
BLOCK MALBEC 2020**

Mendoza

The 2020 Malbec Tintonegro Limestone Block is mixed with 12% Cabernet Franc, both from Los Chacayes, Uco Valley, where the vines grow in rocky, sandy soils with traces of calcium carbonate. Aged for 12 months in 15% new used oak. It is an intense, reddish purple. The 2020 offers rather liqueur-like aromas and hints of plum and thyme over an attractive violet backdrop. Juicy in the mouth, the fine, chalky tannins vie for dominance initially before lending a pleasant shape to the flow. The flavor is intense and sustained, leaving a touch of fruit behind at the end. Drinking window: 2021-2030. Score: **92** (Joaquín Hidalgo, vinous.com, Nov. 18, 2021)

Full-bodied & Smooth
404137 (XD) 750 mL **\$21.95** 🍷



CHILE – WHITE WINE

ARBOLEDA CHARDONNAY 2022

DO Aconcagua Costa, sustainable
(Eduardo Chadwick)

Beautiful, pure expression of green star fruit, green plums and lime with a hint of marzipan. The really bright, medium-bodied palate has a slight creaminess to it but is very subtle. Still crisp and nicely austere. 100% fermented in barrels but only 10% new. No lees stirring. Drink now [through to the end of the decade]. Score: **93** (Zekun Shuai, jamessuckling.com, April 24, 2023)

Full-bodied & Rich
606772 (XD) 750 mL **\$18.95** 🍷



CHILE – RED WINE

**FALERNIA TITÓN SINGLE VINEYARD
RESERVA SYRAH 2019**

DO Valle del Elqui

Block 16 of the Titon Vineyard supplies the grapes for this spicy, scented, wild herb and white pepper-like Syrah that wouldn't look out of place in a line-up of Côte Rôties. Focused and intense, with granitic complexity, subtle 25% new wood and a refreshing finish. Drink date: 2023-2029. Score: **93** (timatkin.com, *Chile Special Report 2022*)

Full-bodied & Smooth
27198 (XD) 750 mL **\$22.95** 🍷



**LAGAR DE CODEGUA RESERVA
CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2019**

Alto Cachapoal, Valle de Cachapoal

This cabernet offers a very clear view of the variety at a very convenient price, especially when it comes to the Alto Cachapoal area at the foot of the Andes. There's a strong herbal component here as well as ripe red fruits in a body with very good concentration and still-young tannins that could handle a couple more years of aging. This wine comes from vineyards planted on stony, alluvial soils around 1998. Score: **92** (Patricio Tapia, guiadescorchados.cl, 2021)

Full-bodied & Firm
19248 (XD) 750 mL **\$22.95** 🍷



CHILE – RED WINE CONT'D

MONTGRAS ORGANIC PINOT NOIR 2021
 DO Valle del Bío Bío, sustainable, vegan
 Sourced from red clay, this Pinot Noir was fermented and aged entirely in stainless steel. As a result, it's notably perfumed and floral, with a delightful primary purity and brightness to the strawberry, red cherry and mixed red fruit tones. Elegant, fresh and compelling. A great wine for mushroom-based dishes, roast chicken, or grilled salmon.

Medium-bodied & Fruity
 37871 (XD) 750 mL \$15.95

Organic product



MORANDÉ VITIS ÚNICA CARMENÈRE 2021

DO Valle del Maipo, sustainable
 Unblushingly fresh and vibrant with lots of spices and red fruit. Hints of olives and herbs, but nothing green. Really crunchy and bright on the palate with a medium body and succulent cherry fruit. Tannins are firm, but refined. Early picking. Picked between March 20th to the end of March, which gives the pure, red fruit profile. Drink now. Score: **92** (Zekun Shuai, jamessuckling.com, April 24, 2023)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
 37799 (XD) 750 mL \$18.95



VENTISQUERO QUEULAT SINGLE VINEYARD GRAN RESERVA CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2021

Trinidad Vineyard, DO Valle del Maipo, sustainable, vegan
 Very ripe, fruit-forward character with blackberries, black cherries, cloves, cinnamon and chocolate. Medium- to full-bodied with a luscious dark berry character and velvety tannins. Mellow and succulent with hints of spices at the end. Vegan. Drink or hold. Score: **92** (jamessuckling.com, April 24, 2023)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
 37866 (XD) 750 mL \$17.95



AUSTRALIA – WHITE WINE

SIDEWOOD SAUVIGNON BLANC 2023
 Adelaide Hills, South Australia

Coming out of a cool vintage, this gives all the good Sauvignon stuff in spades. It's a front-end loaded aromatic powerhouse, full of passionfruit and pine-lime nasal excitement, and most likely a vintage-specific tarragon like herbal note. But there's more to this wine than just the first-take, as the palate reverbs those exotic flavours with salivating acidity and pithy textural balance, filling out the finish, mouthwatering yet with satisfying, in a lingering afterglow. Filled with vinous pleasure. Score: **95** (Tony Love, winepilot.com, Dec. 2023)

Aromatic & Flavourful
 518357 (XD) 750 mL \$18.95



AUSTRALIA – RED WINE

3 RINGS SHIRAZ 2021

Barossa Valley, South Australia, estate grown
 Pristine and beautifully lifted, the inviting bouquet shows black/blueberry, violet, olive and roasted nut aromas with a hint of dark cocoa. The palate is equally satisfying with excellent weight and plump mouthfeel, splendidly framed by fine-grained tannins, finishing long and silky. At its best: now to 2030. Score: **93** (Sam Kim, wineorbit.co.nz, Nov. 2023)

Full-bodied & Smooth
 15495 (XD) 750 mL \$17.95



DANDELION MENAGERIE OF THE BAROSSA GRENACHE/SHIRAZ/MATARO 2022

Barossa, South Australia
 Oh boy does this one hang together beautifully. A classic Barossa combination that has proved to be such a winner over the years. Bright red fruits with raspberry and floral rose petal nuances. It's medium bodied but carries so much, thoroughly delicious flavour. There's a slightly dusty chalky finish to complement the sweet red fruits. Drink by: 2024-2032. Score: **94** (Ray Jordan, winepilot.com, Feb. 2024)

Full-bodied & Smooth
 399899 (XD) 750 mL \$21.95



ELDERTON BAROSSA SHIRAZ 2021

Barossa, South Australia, estate grown
This veritable kaleidoscope of aromas and flavours hails from Elderton's Eden Valley, Greenock and Nuriootpa vineyards. Soaring Eden Valley black pepper and florals charm from the get-go, with red liquorice, star anise, clove, dried herbs and a lick of espresso chiming in on the palate. Lively acidity teases out the fresh-picked, palate-staining blueberry and blackberry fruit. A fine fretwork of mineral tannins embeds the flavours. Great value for money. Drinking window: 2024-2033. Score: **94** (Sarah Ahmed, decanter.com, April 7, 2024)

Full-bodied & Smooth
713024 (XD) 750 mL **\$24.95** 🍷



TEUSNER THE RIEBKE SHIRAZ 2021

Barossa Valley, South Australia
Inky in appearance, opaque. Dark, brooding aromas of plum, mulberry, chocolate, liqueured cherry and sweet spice. Powerful, darkly fruited and opulent in flavour. There's real weight and force of fruit, but the savoury, drying tannins and bright acidity do a sterling job in maintaining balance and cut. Drink date: 2023-2038. Score: **92** (Aaron Brasher, therealreview.com, Oct. 8, 2023)

Full-bodied & Smooth
48470 (XD) 750 mL **\$22.95** 🍷
Featured as our Wine of the Month



KNAPPSTEIN CLARE VALLEY CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2021

South Australia
It's splendidly fruited and fragrant on the nose, showing blackcurrant, green olive, nutmeg and floral aromas, leading to a fruit-expressive palate delivering excellent weight and elegant structure. Varietally expressive and enticing with a lingering flavoursome finish. At its best: now to 2031. Score: **93** (Sam Kim, wineorbit.co.nz, June 2023)

Full-bodied & Firm
23905 (XD) 750 mL **\$19.95** 🍷



ZONTE'S FOOTSTEP SUPER TROOPER SHIRAZ/CABERNET 2020

Fleurieu, South Australia, vegan
This wine is 60% Shiraz farmed in McLaren Vale and 40% Cabernet Sauvignon from Langhorne Creek. It's floral, with blackcurrant, blackberry, plum, campfire, and oak spice. Well-made and structured, with a smooth, long finish. Enjoy it with grilled meats or grilled portobello mushroom burgers. This will drink through to the end of the decade.

Full-bodied & Smooth
23782 (XD) 750 mL **\$18.95** 🍷



RYMILL COONAWARRA CLASSIC RELEASE CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2019

Coonawarra, South Australia, sustainable
Blackberry pie (crust and all), licorice, cassis, star anise, bramble, garden mint, cigar box and tobacco leaf. In the mouth the wine is ultra-concentrated, firm and structured. This pays homage to both the variety and the region. It offers truth from every angle, leaving no lingering doubt about where this could possibly have come from, and what grape it is. It has a long life ahead of it. Drink from: 2022. Drink by: 2036. Score: **94** (Erin Larkin, winecompanion.com.au, Aug. 3, 2022)

Full-bodied & Firm
10541 (XD) 750 mL **\$29.95** 🍷



NEW ZEALAND – WHITE WINE

INVIVO SAUVIGNON BLANC 2023

Marlborough, South Island, vegan
Splendidly fruited and aromatic, the bouquet shows passionfruit, kiwifruit, rockmelon and kaffir lime characters, leading to a gorgeously flavoursome palate that's succulent and lingering. Upfront with excellent fruit purity and vibrancy, making it highly enjoyable. At its best: now to 2027. Score: **93** (Sam Kim, wineorbit.co.nz, Oct. 2023)

Aromatic & Flavourful
14199 (XD) 750 mL **\$17.95** 🍷

NEW ZEALAND – WHITE WINE CONT'D



**OTU OTUWHERO ESTATE
PINOT GRIS 2023**

Marlborough, South Island, sustainable

It's delightfully ripe and inviting on the nose with Nashi pear, rockmelon, lemon zest and white floral aromas. The palate delivers excellent focus and flow, beautifully complemented by juicy fruit intensity. Splendidly composed and elegant, offering excellent drinking. At its best: now to 2026. Score: **93** (Sam Kim, wineorbit.co.nz, Aug. 2023)

NEW

Aromatic & Flavourful
36879 (XD) 750 mL **\$21.95** 🍷



**VILLA MARIA CELLAR SELECTION
HAWKE'S BAY CHARDONNAY 2022**

Hawke's Bay, North Island, sustainable

An attractive bouquet with aromas of sweet red apple and peach, there's some apricot and baking spice qualities, a light toasty wood quality and light mineral quality. Smooth and creamy on the palate with some fine tannins then acidity offering a light chalky texture before flavours of orchard fruits, apples and peaches return. Balanced and well made, ready to drink from 2023 through 2026. Premium. Score: **90** (camdouglasms.com, Jan. 16, 2023)

Full-bodied & Rich
16012 (XD) 750 mL **\$22.95** 🍷



SUGAR LOAF SAUVIGNON BLANC 2023

Marlborough, South Island, sustainable

It's beautifully aromatic on the nose, showing white flesh nectarine, crunchy apple, lime zest and jasmine aromas, leading to a wonderfully flavour-some palate that's pristine and vibrant. Classically styled and expressed with a long, delicious finish. At its best: now to 2026. Score: **93** (Sam Kim, wineorbit.co.nz, Sept. 2024)

Aromatic & Flavourful
410001 (XD) 750 mL **\$20.95** 🍷



**WHITEHAVEN GREG SINGLE VINEYARD
RESERVE SAUVIGNON BLANC 2022**

Awatere Valley, Marlborough, South Island, sustainable

A powerful and pungent bouquet bursting with aromas of fresh peach and gooseberry, lime-flower, lemon and apple. The herbaceous layer releases aromas of fresh and dried basil then some elderflower and lemon peel. All these scents turn into flavours reflecting the bouquet [and] enhanced with a back bone of acidity, there's a whisper of savoury spice and a youthful fresh energy. Well made and drinking well from 2023 through 2030. Excellent. Score: **94** (camdouglasms.com, April 12, 2023)

Aromatic & Flavourful
325944 (XD) 750 mL **\$24.95** 🍷



**SUMMERHOUSE MARLBOROUGH
SAUVIGNON BLANC 2023**

Marlborough, South Island, sustainable

It's classically expressed on the nose showing feijoa, kiwifruit, apricot and lemon/lime peel aromas, followed by a wonderfully flavoursome palate displaying excellent fruit intensity and persistency. Upfront and lively, making it delectably appealing. At its best: now to 2026. Score: **93** (Sam Kim, wineorbit.co.nz, July 2023)

NEW

Aromatic & Flavourful
36872 (XD) 750 mL **\$20.95** 🍷



NEW ZEALAND – RED WINE

**URLAR THE MEDIATOR
GLADSTONE PINOT NOIR 2020**

Wairarapa, North Island, vegan

Complex and beautifully fragrant with dark cherry, cured meat, tar and mixed spice aromas, it's juicy and silky-smooth in the mouth displaying elegant texture and fine-grained tannins. Spicy and savoury with gorgeous sweet fruit flavours. At its best: now to 2026. Score: **93** (Sam Kim, wineorbit.co.nz, April 2022)

NEW

Medium-bodied & Fruity
37396 (XD) 750 mL **\$24.95** 🍷



SOUTH AFRICA – WHITE WINE

RUSTENBERG STELLENBOSCH SAUVIGNON BLANC 2022

WO Stellenbosch
Fresh herbal nose of grass, elderflower and guava. Focused on the palate, vibrant and bright, with a rich core of fruit. Score: **92** (Decanter World Wine Awards, 2023)

Aromatic & Flavourful
456020 (XD) 750 mL **\$15.95** 🍷



ARMENIA – RED WINE

KARAS RED BLEND 2022*

Armavir Region, Ararat Valley (Tierras de Armenia)
Karas's winemaker, Gabriel Rogel, is from Argentina and crafts this wine in collaboration with oenological consulting legend Michel Rolland. This blend of Syrah, Malbec and Cabernet Franc is sourced from mostly volcanic soils at an altitude of 1,000-1,100 metres. It will deliver big dark fruit, smoke, spice and earth in a ripe, velvety frame.

Full-bodied & Smooth
492751 (XD) 750 mL **\$22.95** 🍷



SOUTH AFRICA – RED WINE

HAMILTON RUSSELL PINOT NOIR 2023

WO Hemel-en-Aarde Valley, sustainable
A tight, spicy and savory pinot noir that has aromas of herbal tea, citrus rind, rust, cranberries and wild mushrooms. It's medium-bodied, firm and well framed. Long and focused. Try from 2025 [through late 2030s+]. Score: **93** (jamesuckling.com, Aug. 15, 2024)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
999516 (XD) 750 mL **\$69.95** 🍷



BULGARIA – RED WINE

PENTAGRAM PINOT NOIR 2020

PGI Thracian Valley (Black Sea Gold Pomorie) **NEW**
Bulgaria is known for crafting great Cabernet Sauvignon; this wine shows Pinot Noir can thrive there, too. Pentagram is made from fruit sourced from the coastal region at the edge of the Black Sea and spends six months in French oak. Lively and intense, it offers rich cherry, berry and chocolate character with toasty spice on the finish.

Medium-bodied & Fruity
39376 (XD) 750 mL **\$17.95** 🍷



HER SHIRAZ 2022

WO Western Cape
Cerise-edged black crimson. Peppery red fruit aromas, hints of currants, whiffs of raspberries. On the palate spicy, succulent and pure with savoury violet nuances and ample freshness carrying the finish. Drink now. Score: **90** (Michael Fridjhon, winewizard.co.za, 2023)

Full-bodied & Smooth
24247 (XD) 750 mL **\$14.95** 🍷



FRANCE – WHITE WINE

BORDEAUX

CHÂTEAU DOMI-COURS VITAE SAUVIGNON BLANC 2023

AC Bordeaux (Famille Bellanger) **NEW**
Made from 100% Sauvignon Blanc and aged in stainless steel, this fresh, crisp, supple wine evokes green garden vegetables and wildflowers. Pair with goat cheese or roasted sea bass.

Aromatic & Flavourful
38203 (XD) 750 mL **\$16.95** 🍷

*Late arrival. Product may not be available at release time.

FRANCE – WHITE WINE CONT'D

BURGUNDY



DOMAINE BÈGUE-MATHIOT VAILLONS
CHABLIS 1^{ER} CRU 2022

AC

This classically framed Chablis is unoaked, intense and precise, with bright, pure fruit and a gorgeous saline-infused minerality. Fresh, lively and complex, it will impress now through 2030 and beyond. Pair with fish or chicken in a light lemon, dill or cream sauce.

Light & Crisp
524959 (XD) 750 mL \$39.95



DOMAINE SÈVE TERROIR
POUILLY-FUISSÉ 2022

AC

A fulsome Pouilly-Fuissé, very much in the character of this noteworthy southern Mâconnais appellation. Creamy and pleasantly lactic with a well-balanced degree of viscosity and alcohol (at a declared abv of 13.5%). The loftiness of the palate is juxtaposed by firm acidity. The oak spice is significant but does not overwhelm the rich stone fruit that lingers on the finish of very good length. Tasted October 2023. Score: **90** (Sara d'Amato, winealign.com)

Full-bodied & Rich
681056 (XD) 750 mL \$47.95



LANGUEDOC

DOMAINE DE LA BAUME
ELISABETH VIOGNIER 2022

IGP Pays d'Oc

This big, rich, jubilant wine explodes with notions of fresh apricots, mandarin zest and candied oranges, with a subtly spiced finish. Pair with salty snacks or noodle dishes.

[Concours International de Lyon did not include a tasting note.] Score: **Gold** (Concours International de Lyon, 2023)

Aromatic & Flavourful
438796 (XD) 750 mL \$14.95

LOIRE

LA PERRIÈRE CÔTEAUX DU
GIENNOIS BLANC 2022



AC

Sourced from the "garden of France" just a stone's throw from Sancerre in the Loire Valley, this vivacious Sauvignon Blanc suggests crunchy green fruit, spring veggies, and fresh herbs. Pair with river fish, or green salads topped with goat cheese or soft feta.

Aromatic & Flavourful
39302 (XD) 750 mL \$19.95



FRANCE – RED WINE

BORDEAUX

CHÂTEAU DUCASSE 2020



AC Graves

(Jacques Perrotat, vitic.-récolt.)

A structured wine from an estate on the highest Graves hilltop, this has rich tannins and firm concentration. It is ripe, the black fruits showing potential. With the acidity at the end, the wine has a fine future. Drink from 2025. Best Buy. Score: **90** (Roger Voss, *Wine Enthusiast*, April 1, 2023)

Full-bodied & Firm
38261 (XD) 750 mL \$16.95



CHÂTEAU LAMOTHE-
BERGERON 2016



AC Haut-Médoc

The rather grand chateau of this estate dates to the 19th century, a turreted affair very much in the Médoc tradition. The wine is classic as well, offering balanced acidity, black-currant fruit and a layer of tannins to support everything. The 30% new barrels have added to the wine's richness as well as giving a spicy aftertaste. Drink from 2022. Score: **91** (Roger Voss, *Wine Enthusiast*, April 1, 2019)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
39419 (XD) 750 mL \$29.95

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**CHÂTEAU L'ESCADRE
GRANDE RÉSERVE 2019**

AC Côtes de Bordeaux – Blaye, sustainable
A ripe, spicy wine, this is based around serious young tannins. At the moment, the wine is dry and firmly structured. The dense Damson juiciness behind is just beginning to show. This big wine will take some time. Drink from 2024. Best Buy. Score: **90** (Roger Voss, *Wine Enthusiast*, March 1, 2022)

Full-bodied & Firm
630046 (XD) 750 mL **\$19.95** 🍷



CHÂTEAU TOUR DES TERMES 2018

AC Saint-Estèphe
An elegant nose of dark fruit, wood, orange peel, dark chocolate and some herbs. It's full-bodied with elegant tannins. Juicy and well balanced with a flavorful finish. Lovely length. Score: **93** (james suckling.com, March 3, 2021)

Full-bodied & Firm
38205 (XD) 750 mL **\$61.95** 🍷



BURGUNDY

**MAISON CHANZY LE BOIS
CASSIEN MONOPOLE
MERCUREY 2022**

AC, sustainable
I love the floral effusiveness of this Mercurey that tastes like it must be a 1er Cru. Lovely balance of fine tannins with black raspberry and forest berry fruit on the generous, yet bright palate, then a long elegant finish with enough power to allow this to age well. Score: **93** (Stuart Pigott, *jamesuckling.com*, Aug. 8, 2023)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
38053 (XD) 750 mL **\$44.95** 🍷



RHÔNE

**CHÂTEAU DE NAGES HÉRITAGE
COSTIÈRES DE NÎMES 2022***

AP
A blend of 60% Grenache, 25% Mourvèdre, and 15% Syrah, the 2022 Costières De Nîmes Héritage is vibrant, up-front, and perfumed with exotic red and blue fruits, orange blossom, ground pepper, and violet nuances. It's medium to full-bodied, has the forward, sexy, fruit-loaded style of the vintage, fine tannins, and outstanding length. Score: **89-91** (jebdunnuck.com, Oct. 30, 2023)

Full-bodied & Smooth
40964 (XD) 750 mL **\$22.95** 🍷



**FERRATON PÈRE & FILS SAMORÈNS
CÔTES DU RHÔNE 2023**

AP
This wine comes from fruit (70% Grenache, 30% Syrah) grown on the left bank of the Rhône in alluvial and gravel soils. It's quite aromatic, suggesting blackberry, raspberry, blueberry and licorice, all of which carry over nicely on the palate, along with notes of fresh herbs.

Full-bodied & Smooth
168708 (XD) 750 mL **\$17.95** 🍷



SOUTHWEST

**CHÂTEAU BELLEVUE LA FORÊT
ORIGINEL 2020**

AP Fronton
Nice pure red fruit on the nose framed with chocolate and coffee undertones. Intense, structured, and fairly serious. Lingering finish. Score: **90** (Decanter World Wine Awards, 2022)

Full-bodied & Firm
354134 (XD) 750 mL **\$15.95** 🍷

*Late arrival. Product may not be available at release time.

GEORGIA – RED WINE



**DUGLADZE
KINDZMARAUILI 2021**

Kakheti

Kindzmarauli is a semi-sweet red wine made from the signature Saperavi grape of the Kakheti region of Georgia, where winemaking has an astounding 8,000-year history. This fine example evokes ripe raspberry and berry preserves, with substantial tannins supporting the sweetness.

[Hong Kong International Wine & Spirit Competition did not include a tasting note.] Score: **95** (Hong Kong International Wine & Spirit Competition, 2022)

Full-bodied & Firm

37690 (M) 750 mL **\$24.95** 🍷



**TSELEPOS DRIPOI
RESERVE NEMÉA 2020**

PDO Neméa

Made from 100% Agiorgitiko matured for 12 months in French oak barrels (70% of them new), this complex wine showcases exuberant notions of red fruit, eucalyptus and herbs. Soft, ripe tannins give a rich, creamy mouthfeel. Pair with steaks or wine-braised meats.

Full-bodied & Smooth

491886 (XD) 750 mL **\$33.95** 🍷



ITALY – WHITE WINE

ALTO ADIGE-TRENTINO

**MEZZACORONA TRENTINO RISERVA
PINOT GRIGIO 2022**

DOC

This is not your typical Pinot Grigio. Roughly 60% of the grapes for this wine are fermented in barrel, the rest in stainless steel. These are then blended together. The result is a crisp, textured wine that delivers brightly articulated, fleshy tropical fruit and oak spice notes. Pair with a selection of cheeses.

[Mundus Vini did not include a tasting note.]
Score: **Gold** (Mundus Vini, Spring 2024)

Light & Crisp

32714 (XD) 750 mL **\$19.95** 🍷



**MILDIANI ALAZANI VALLEY
SEMI-SWEET RED 2021**

Kakheti

(Tsinandali)

This semi-sweet red is a blend of Saperavi and Cabernet farmed without synthetic chemicals. Tangy and savoury, it offers ripe fruit and baking spices with a pleasant, balanced sweetness on the finish. A good choice for spiced meats or stews.

Medium-bodied & Fruity

37691 (M) 750 mL **\$15.95** 🍷



GREECE – RED WINE

**THYMIPOULOS YOUNG VINES
XINOMAVRO 2021**

PGI Macedonia

... it's fantastic value for money, and is one of my favourite everyday reds ... juicy, approachable and fresh – serve it lightly chilled and enjoy the cranberry, cherry and herbaceous tomato leaf flavours. There's no oak here (it's aged in a mix of stainless steel and concrete), just an uncomplicated, joyful fruit purity. Some whole-bunch in this vintage adds extra juiciness ... Drinking window: 2023-2025. Score: **91** (Amy Wislocki, decanter.com, Aug. 2, 2023)

Medium-bodied & Fruity

466474 (XD) 750 mL **\$19.95** 🍷



TUSCANY

GUADO AL TASSO VERMENTINO 2023

DOC Bolgheri

(Antinori)

An intensely flavored white, delivering notes of white flowers, passion fruit, peach, apple and spices, with a hint of wild Mediterranean herbs. Harmonious and succulent, this persists on the aftertaste. Drink now through 2028. Score: **90** (Bruce Sanderson, winespectator.com, July 29, 2024)

Aromatic & Flavourful

473736 (XD) 750 mL **\$33.95** 🍷





VENEZIE

ZENATO PINOT GRIGIO 2023
 DOC delle Venezie, sustainable
 Friendly and fruity but also tangy and appetizing, this nervy, light-bodied wine includes 12% cortese grapes. Crisp lemons, limes, kiwi fruit and jicama. Juicy and refreshing with low alcohol. Drink now. Score: **91** (jamesuckling.com, May 30, 2024)

Light & Crisp
 37648 (XD) 750 mL **\$17.95** 🍷



PIEDMONT

FONTANAFREDDA SERRALUNGA D'ALBA BAROLO 2020
 DOCG, sustainable, vegan
 From 18 different areas within the Comune, the medium red 2020 Barolo Del Comune Di Serralunga D'Alba offers spicy notes of fresh cherries, raspberries, rosemary, incense, and orange peel. Medium-bodied and elegant, it's approachable now, with ripe tannins and very harmonious, savory notes of pure tea leaf on the finish. Very well-styled, it has a good sense of the village it hails from as well as the finesse this vintage offers. Drink it over the next 10-12 years. Maturity: 2024-2036. Score: **92** (Audrey Frick, jebdunnuck.com, May 13, 2024)

Full-bodied & Firm
 943290 (XD) 750 mL **\$52.95** 🍷



ITALY – RED WINE

ABRUZZO

NIRO DI CITRA MONTEPULCIANO D'ABRUZZO 2021
 DOP
 (Citra)
 Produced from 100% Montepulciano from the Abruzzo region, this wine offers bright red cherry, plum jam, anise, and sweet tobacco notes. Lifted, fresh and graceful.

[Luca Maroni tasting note not available.] Score: **96** (lucamaroni.com, May 22, 2024)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
 278150 (XD) 750 mL **\$17.95** 🍷



MICHELE CHIARLO CIPRESSI NIZZA 2021
 DOCG
 Among the numerous exceptional wines presented this year, the Nizza Cipressi '21 caught our attention most. It shines for its freshness, immediately expressive fruit, and ease of drinking, all paired with an uncommon complexity and energy. Score: **93** (Gambero Rosso Italian Wines, 2024)

Full-bodied & Smooth
 19873 (XD) 750 mL **\$26.95** 🍷



CAMPANIA

TERRE DORA DI PAOLO IL PRINCIPIO AGLIANICO 2017
 DOC Irpinia
 This is showing aromas of dried flowers, roasted strawberries, spice box and mushrooms. Full-bodied, chewy and savory, with smoky undertones and firm tannins. Well-structured, if still a little woody. Drink from 2024. Score: **91** (jamesuckling.com, Nov. 7, 2023)

Full-bodied & Smooth
 36727 (XD) 750 mL **\$28.95** 🍷



SAN BIAGIO CAPALOT BAROLO 2017
 DOCG
 This is so silky and appealing from the start, offering plenty of juicy red berries and floral notes. Full and plush with a fine-tannin build through the finish. Give this another two years for the tannins to soften and allow the fruit to travel throughout the wine. Drink from 2024. Score: **93** (jamesuckling.com, Oct. 2, 2022)

Full-bodied & Firm
 25826 (XD) 750 mL **\$54.95** 🍷

ITALY – RED WINE CONT'D

PUGLIA



LEONE DE CASTRIS NEGROAMARO RISERVA SALICE SALENTINO 2019
DOC

Warm stones, blackberries, sweet plums and cocoa beans on the nose follow through to a medium to full body with some fine, silky tannins rounding off its bittersweet fruit. Tangy and pretty long with some fine, savory chocolate powder in the finish. An outstanding negroamaro. Drink now or hold. Score: **92** (jamesuckling.com, Sept. 6, 2022)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
597534 (D) 750 mL **\$22.95** 🍷

SICILY

PLANETA PLUMBAGO NERO D'AVOLA 2021

DOC Sicilia Menfi, sustainable
Alessio Planeta was named Winemaker of the Year at the 2023 Wine Star Awards. This Nero d'Avola is crafted from fruit picked by hand on two estate vineyards and vinified in stainless steel before maturing for 10 months in French oak. It showcases ripe plum, wild blackberry, dark chocolate and aromatic spices. Drinking beautifully now, it can also be aged for a decade or more.

Medium-bodied & Fruity
19491 (XD) 750 mL **\$24.95** 🍷



TUSCANY

BANFI FONTE ALLA SELVA GRAN SELEZIONE CHIANTI CLASSICO 2019
DOCG, sustainable

Attractive aromas of dark cherries, chocolate and baking spices with hints of walnut and dried mushrooms. Firm and structured with a full body and juicy acidity. Tight-grained tannins and a chewy finish. Needs some time to soften. Sustainable. Try after 2025. Score: **94** (jamesuckling.com, Oct. 9, 2023)

Full-bodied & Firm
515502 (XD) 750 mL **\$37.95** 🍷



BANFI POGGIO ALLE MURA BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO 2019
DOCG

Great complexity and great temperament for one of the top points of zonation work in Montalcino. Notes of red plum on the nose, touches of rosemary, then clementine zest. Salty taste, mentholated return and notes of plum. Great persistence. Score: **98+** (gardinotes.com, Oct. 2023)

Full-bodied & Firm
372250 (XD) 750 mL **\$82.95** 🍷



BERNAZZI BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO 2019
DOCG

Excellent aromas of crushed black cherries, blackberries and Chinese spices. It's medium- to full-bodied with very tailored tannins that are fine and polished and give wonderful length. Structured and sophisticated. A very attractive 2019. Try after 2027. Score: **95** (jamesuckling.com, Sept. 25, 2023)

Full-bodied & Smooth
39638 (XD) 750 mL **\$58.95** 🍷



CARPINETO BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO 2019
DOCG

Multifaceted from the get-go, with aromas of cherry, fresh mushroom, spice and woody underbrush, this balanced and persistent red features ripe fruit and mineral flavors, with a fresh, flinty, gravelly finish. Combines elegance and power. Best from 2026 through 2042. Score: **95** (Bruce Sanderson, winespectator.com, June 30, 2024)

Full-bodied & Firm
14857 (XD) 750 mL **\$69.95** 🍷





CASTELLI DEL GREVEPESA CLEMENTE VII CHIANTI CLASSICO 2020

DOCG, sustainable
 Pretty nose of strawberries, cherries, lemon leaves, hazelnuts and cinnamon stick. Medium-bodied with fine tannins and a creamy, juicy finish. Delicious already. Drink or hold. Score: **92** (jamesuckling.com, July 4, 2022)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
 421388 (XD) 750 mL **\$22.95** ✂



TIGNANELLO 2021

IGT Toscana (Antinori)
 First made in 1971, this legendary Italian wine now celebrates its 50th birthday. Happy Birthday, Tignanello! The Marchesi Antinori 2021 Tignanello (made with 79% Sangiovese, 13% Cabernet Sauvignon and 8% Cabernet Franc) pulls on all the heartstrings ... shows a quintessentially pretty taste profile with tart fruit flavors, redcurrant, tea leaf, heritage rose, crushed white pepper, licorice, nutmeg, clove and chopped mint. It opens slowly to reveal more richness and exuberance with time, becoming downright voluptuous and heady a short while later. The through line, however, remains the bright freshness and minerality of Sangiovese ... Drink date: 2025-2048. Score: **98** (Monica Larner, robertparker.com, March 21, 2024)

Full-bodied & Firm
 986786 (XD) 750 mL **\$192.95** ➡



ORNELLAIA 2021

DOC Bolgheri Superiore
 ["La Generosità" label was designed by Marinella Senatore for the 16th edition of Ornellaia.] The 2021 Ornellaia captures all the magic of this sensational vintage on the Tuscan Coast. Rich, ample and expansive, with tremendous polish, the 2021 is pure class. Dark-toned fruit, mocha, espresso, licorice, plum and dried herbs abound. The tannins are present but also beautifully integrated, as is the French oak ... The blend of 53% Cabernet Sauvignon, 25% Merlot, 15% Cabernet Franc and 7% Petit Verdot works so well. New oak was 70%. Drinking window: 2027-2051. Score: **99** (Antonio Galloni, vinous.com, Feb. 13, 2024)

Full-bodied & Firm
 722470 (XD) 750 mL **\$279.95** ➡



VENETO

VALPANTENA TORRE DEL FALASCO VALPOLICELLA RIPASSO SUPERIORE 2021



DOC
 This has a somewhat lifted nose of lemon rind, chopped nuts, dried cherries and balsamic, but it settles on the palate into more spices and dried fruit. Full-bodied, chewy and dense. Drink now or hold. Score: **90** (jamesuckling.com, May 30, 2024)

Full-bodied & Smooth
 39489 (XD) 750 mL **\$25.95** ✂



PIAN DELLE VIGNE ROSSO DI MONTALCINO 2022

DOC (Antinori)
 Medium ruby in color, the 2022 Rosso Di Montalcino lifts from the glass with expressive aromas of sour cherry pie, medicinal herbs, and orange peel. Tangy and bright, it has good snap up front on the palate, with good continuity and a clean, easygoing finish. It has a lot of personality and is going to be best enjoyed over the next 3-4 years. Maturity: 2024-2028. Score: **90** (Audrey Frick, jebdunnuck.com, Feb. 28, 2024)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
 467787 (XD) 750 mL **\$39.95** ✂



ZENATO VALPOLICELLA SUPERIORE 2021

DOC
 Good Superiore. Polished and contemporary, without quite hitting the sour, red fruited notes of the better traditionalists. Shows dark fruit and reductive hints of violets and camphor, with well-managed grape tannins and oak. Quite drinkable. Drink or hold. Score: **90** (Ned Goodwin, MW, jamesuckling.com, April 8, 2024)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
 995704 (D) 750 mL **\$17.95** ✂

PORTUGAL – WHITE WINE



RELVAS HERDADE DE SÃO MIGUEL COLHEITA SELECCIONADA WHITE 2022

NEW

Vinho Regional Alentejo

A fresh and aromatic white with white blossoms, white pears, cantaloupe and a tropical edge. Very clean and crunchy on the palate, with some apple pith, fresh white pears and a herbal edge in the finish. Pure, fresh and scented. Drink now. Score: **91** (Zekun Shuai, jamesuckling.com, May 9, 2023)

Aromatic & Flavourful
37723 (XD) 750 mL \$15.95 🍷

SPAIN – WHITE WINE



NANIT ORANGE WINE 2023

NEW

Vino de la Tierra de Castilla, vegan (Hammeken Cellars)

Rich golden colour with orange tints. Generous nose combining stone fruit, citrus zest, balsamic and floral notes. Silky, concentrated and lively on the palate, enhanced by a delicious, delicately saline touch of bitterness. A success. Score: **89** (gilbertgaillard.com, 2024)

Aromatic & Flavourful
39186 (XD) 750 mL \$20.95 🍷
🌿 Organic product

PORTUGAL – RED WINE



CASA DE CAMBRES GRANDE RESERVA 2017

NEW

DOC Douro

This wine, now mature, is rich and dense. Wood aging has added spice and smoothness to the black fruits and dense texture. The wine is ripe and ready to drink. Score: **93** (Roger Voss, *Wine Enthusiast*, Dec. 1, 2022)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
37724 (XD) 750 mL \$27.95 🍷

SPAIN – RED WINE



BORDÓN GRAN RESERVA 2013

DOCa Rioja

(Bodegas Franco-Españolas)

If you like classical Rioja, this gran reserva may make you smile. Fully mature, it isn't a wine to keep but to enjoy over the coming year or two for its nuanced flavors that touch on blue fruit, yellow nectarines and green shishito peppers. The texture is rich and lively, a friendly Rioja that gains gravity and length with a day of air. Score: **92** (wineandspiritsmagazine.com, Feb. 2023)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
114454 (XD) 750 mL \$27.95 🍷

MORGADO DE SILGUEIROS VINHO TINTO 2021

DOC Dão

This ripe, silky blend of Touriga Nacional, Tinta Roriz, Alfocheiro and Jaen is juicy and firm, with dark fruit, savoury herbs and good balance. A real delight, especially at the price, it will be perfect for grilled pork or roasted veggies.

Medium-bodied & Fruity
166439 (XD) 750 mL \$12.95 🍷

HEREDAD DE URUEÑA SANTO TERROIR TEMPRANILLO 2015

Vino de la Tierra de Castilla y León

Made solely from tempranillo and aged 10 months in new French and American barrels, this is a delicious wine that has everything going for it. You'll find the flavours rich (but not at all over the top) and layered, with excellent complexity and character. The acidity is perfectly tailored to the fruit and the tannins are well integrated. It's holding its style impressively. Drinking very well now, it looks set to live a vibrant life to the mid-to-late-2020s. Score: **92** (Rod Phillips, undated)

Medium-bodied & Fruity
629832 (XD) 750 mL \$16.95 🍷



LA RIOJA ALTA VIÑA ARDANZA RESERVA 2016

DOCa Rioja

Savory and complex with dried orange peel, cedar and plenty of sweet spices, walnuts, caramel, dried mushrooms and pine needles. Shows maturity here, with a medium body and superb freshness. Incredibly long finish with lots of truffle and walnut. Lasts over a minute. Very complete now, but you can still hold it. Score: **95** (jamesuckling.com, Nov. 20, 2022)

Full-bodied & Smooth

315531 (XD) 750 mL **\$59.95** ✂



MALPASTOR CRIANZA 2020

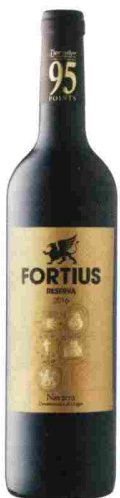
DOCa Rioja

Five different villages in the Sonsierra supply grapes for this well-priced Tempranillo from Torres' Rioja operation. Matured in a medley of American, French and eastern European barrels, it has some subtle stony reduction, chalky freshness, perfumed sandalwood and oak spices and tangy black cherry and strawberry flavours. Drink date: 2024-2027. Score: **90** (timatkin.com, *Rioja Special Report 2024*)

Medium-bodied & Fruity

40189 (XD) 750 mL **\$19.95** ✂

NEW



VALCARLOS FORTIUS RESERVA 2016

DO Navarra

90% Tempranillo, 10% Cabernet Sauvignon. Cassis and wood spice nose. Pretty summer pudding fruit in the mouth; oak is well judged and tannins are moderate and ripe. Beautiful wine with a long, silky finish. Steak anyone? Score: **95** (Decanter World Wine Awards, 2021)


Full-bodied & Smooth

30230 (XD) 750 mL **\$17.95** ✂

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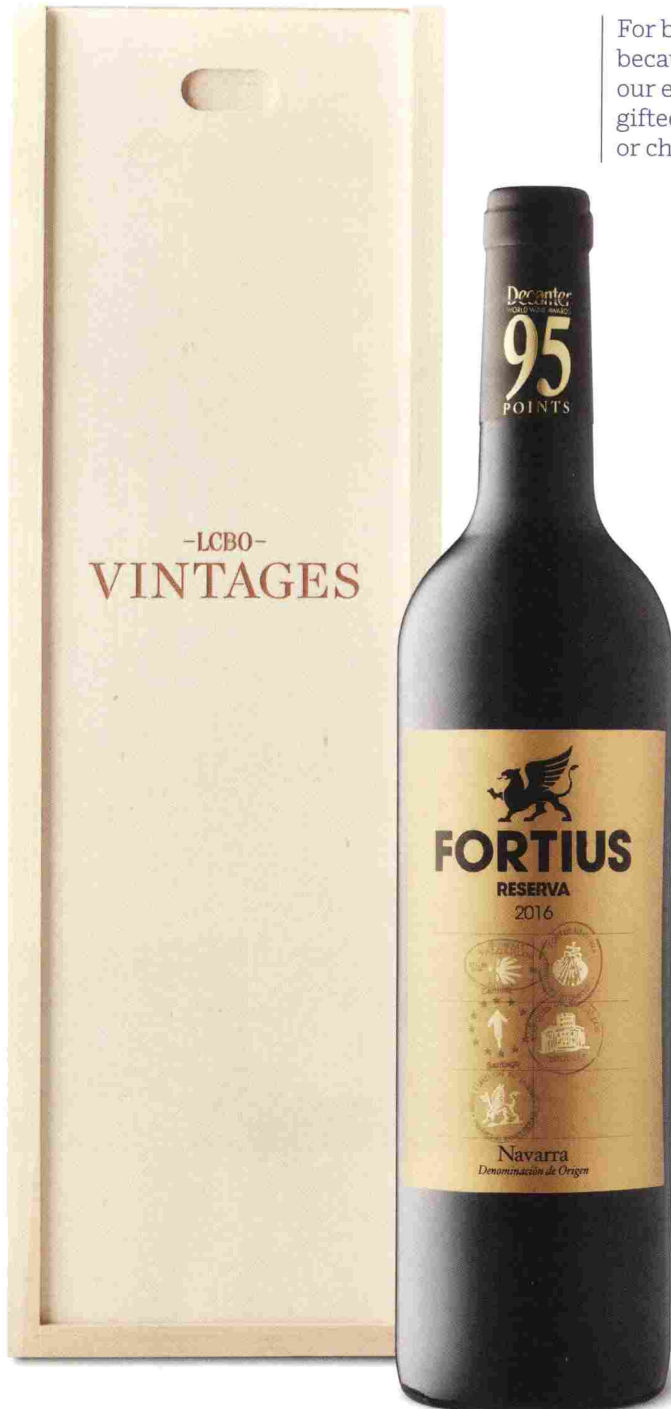
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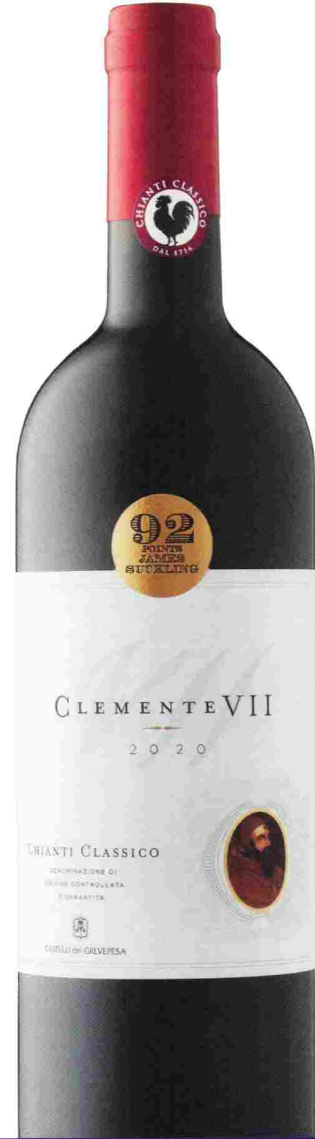
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Black and blue berry,
olive, roasted nut, and
dark cocoa.

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Strawberry, cherry,
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