

THIS WINE LIST WILL ALWAYS BE A WORK IN PROGRESS...

We very much want our guests to approve of our wine list - which we have compiled on the basis that you need not feel a second class citizen because you choose the cheapest or the next one up (both of which we like very much) or you decide the cheaper ones don't look attractive so you feel forced to pay more than you would prefer.

Accordingly it is arranged in categories of "A meal out", more or less everyday wines, but chosen with care, followed by "A special meal out", better ones, and finally "A very special meal out" which is self-explanatory.

It unashamedly reflects our tastes which are broadly France and Italy with a bit of a nod to elsewhere.

It has not been compiled by a supplier.

It does not include wines available in the supermarkets

It only has wines that are imported by knowledgeable specialists and which we have (frequently) road-tested

We owe in particular a debt of gratitude to Madame Elise Bruges, the importer from who we buy the most, and who is married to the top sommelier in London who we have known for many years.

Please note that most of these wines contain sulphites and may contain allergens - fuller information can be found at the back of this list

SPARKLING 75cl

1 PROSECCO, VALDOBBIANNE SUPERIORE DOCG, EXTRA DRY, ORA WINE, VENETO

Fresh and crisp, fine bubbles with notes of apple and peach

£25

11 BEAUJOLAIS, GAMAY, PERLE ROUGE, BEAUJOLAIS, FRANCE

A beautiful red colour and fine lively bubbles. It can accompany a meal but makes a perfect choice for an aperitif or cocktail. This is lovely with a chestnut liqueur (which we have)

£40

CHAMPAGNE 75cl

3 BLANC DE NOIRS, MOUSSE FILS, L'OR D'EUGÈNE, EXTRA BRUT,

A vinous, exuberant biodynamic grown 80% Pinot Meunier & 20% Pinot Noir blend Champagne made by one of the most talented growers in the Marne valley

£50

4 BLANC DE BLANCS, GRAND CRU, LE MESNIL, BERNARD RÉMY, BRUT,

Fine value from the village with Champagne's greatest Chardonnay vineyards; citrusy vitality, with admirable structure & length

£55

5 TAITTINGER, RESERVE, BRUT

Delicate bubble, biscotti, honey & fragrant fruits with notes of peach & vanilla. Golden colour, discreet yet lingering foam. Taittinger is the only Champagne house still owned by the founding family. World-renowned brut reserve.

£75

6 DOM PERIGNON, BRUT, 2004

Singing with bouquet of almond & toastiness, palette of saffron, marzipan & light spice. Creamy mousse. Structure of mineral & stone flavours. Exceptionally delicate & fine bubbles. Renowned 2004 vintage.

£175

7 KRUG, GRANDE CUVEE, BRUT

Toasted bread, hazelnut, nougat flavours married beautifully to floral notes, almond, marzipan and hint of sweet spice. Fine & Elegant bubbles. Krug Grande Cuvée classes itself as "beyond vintage", as wines from 10 or more different vintages will be blended in each bottle to create the distinctive Krug flavour

£195

8 CRISTAL , LOUIS ROEDERER, BRUT, 2006

Bouquet of orange & white flowers, mouthful of rounded peach, apricot, melon and mango fruits. Juicy & creamy fruit makes way for the crisp & refreshing dry finish. Soft & fine bubbles. Exquisitely balanced. Famously created for Tsar Alexander II in 1876, who reserved the house's best cuvee each year, always distinguished by bottling in a flat-bottomed lead-crystal bottle.

£250

PINK/ROSE CHAMPAGNE 75cl

9 MOUSSE FILS, ROSE EFFUSION, BRUT

A Champagne rarity; rosé made with Pinot Meunier balanced by a little Pinot Noir. Floral scents & expressive red fruits

£60

10 TAITTINGER, PRESTIGE ROSE, BRUT

Delicate salmon-pink colour with fresh aromas of strawberries and a hint of spice. On the palate the wine is balanced, lively and smooth with good length and persistent flavours of red fruit

£75

MAGNUM 1.5l

ROSE

COTES DE PROVENCE, CHATEAU ROUBINE, PROVENCE, FRANCE 2016

Provencal cru classee from an 82 hectare property made mainly from the local grape variety Tibouren, together with some Cinsault, Cabernet Sauvignon, Carignan and Mourvedre. This has crisp red fruits and lively acidity with a real freshness, a tangy texture, spice and a perfumed aftertaste

£65

RED

BOURGUEIL, SUR LES HAUTS, AURELIEN REVILLOT, LOIRE VALLEY, FRANCE, 2014

Intense, vivacious, fresh cabernet Franc, red from a new Bourgueil talent trained by the late Pierre Caslot

£125

HAUT MEDOC, CHATEAU CANTEMERLE, BORDEAUX, FRANCE 1996

Fifth growth or "Cinquieme Cru Classee" in 1855. Dark ruby colour and a sweet nose of black raspberries, subtle new oak and acacia smells. Our favourite claret – we served this at our wedding ...

£195

ROSE 75cl

21 COTES DE RHONE, LEON PERDIGAL, SOUTHERN RHONE VALLEY, FRANCE, 2016

A delicate pale pink colour with intense red fruit aromas followed by full and fresh floral and citrus notes

£22

22 CÔTEAUX DE L'ARDÈCHE, PIQUEBERLE, SALEL ET RENAUD, NORTHERN RHONE VALLEY, FRANCE, 2016

The nose is very elegant with a very complex floral bouquet, voluptuousness, crisp and finely acidulous, this very lightly stained rosé, made from direct pressing of black grapes, keeps a reserved side on the aromatic level, a sweet but vinous rosé ... very gourmet

£30

23 CÔTES DE PROVENCE, ROCK ANGEL, CHATEAU D'ESCLANS, PROVENCE, FRANCE, 2013

Grenache with Rolle & Tibouren: the perfect blend of delicate fruit with supple, satisfying textures

£50

A MEAL OUT WHITE 75cl

24 JP AZEITAO BACALHÔA, VINHOS DE PORTUGAL, BIANCO

Dry, crisp & fruity, stone fruit, green apple, grapefruit and slightly floral
£22

25 FIANO, SALENTO, PIETRARICCIA, SURANI, ITALY

A bright lemon colour with a golden tinge. The nose offers an inviting mixture of citrus and tropical fruit with floral hints. Crisp acidity and good palate texture
£22

26 COTES-DU-RHONE, BLANC, SOUTHERN RHONE VALLEY, LEON PERDIGAL

An approachable wine with medium intensity and a gently complex nose of pear, white peach and delicate honeysuckle scents. A rounded palate with a pleasing balance between roundness and crisp acidity
£22

27 PICPOUL DE PINET, BENJAMIN DARNAULT, LANGUEDOC, 2016

Pale gold, fresh and dry with citrus fruit notes and a pleasing minerality, this organic wine has a somewhat herbal bite and is the Mediterranean's answer to Muscadet
£24

28 BOURGOGNE, COTE CHALONNAISE, LA BUXYNOISE, BURGUNDY

With just 3% of the blend fermented in new oak, this is a fresh and crisp Chardonnay with a focus on golden apple and citrus flavours with very subtle texture and toastiness
£27

29 BOURGOGNE-ALIGOTÉ, DOMAINE DES RAMPARTS, BURGUNDY, FRANCE, 2015

Acacia & hawthorne-scented Aligoté from this leading St Bris domaine, full of fresh appley fruits
£30

30 SAUVIGNON DE SAINT-BRIS, DOMAINE DES REMPARTS, BURGUNDY, FRANCE, 2014

Flowery scents, grapefruit flavours & a structured, vinous style lend this Sauvignon Blanc its distinctive Burgundy identity
£30

31 MONTAGNY, 1er CRU, LES MILLIERES, VIGNERONS DE BUXY, BURGUNDY, FRANCE 2015

A delicious fresh Chardonnay which has been fermented in stainless steel tanks to preserve the pure peach, pear and acacia aromas, soft and rich on the palate
£30

A MEAL OUT RED 75cl

40 JP AZEITAO, BACALHÔA, VINHOS DE PORTUGAL

Fruit forward, dry, medium-plus body & tannins ,cherry & raspberry flavours, easy drinking yet complex, great entry wine from JP Azeitao
£22

41 COMTE TOLOSAN, MALBEC, L'INSTANT TRUFFIER, RIGAL, SOUTH WEST FRANCE

Dense, blackish purple with aromas of black cherry and bramble fruit, along with hints of anise and prune. The palate is bold and robust framing juicy fruit with peppery tannins
£22

42 MACON, LES ROCHES ROUGES, LOUIS JADOT, BURGUNDY, 2015

A blend of Gamay and Pinot Noir with an enticing nose of redcurrant and raspberry with a fruity, well-balanced palate and fresh finish
£25

43 MORGON, CHATEAU DE PIZAY, BEAUJOLAIS, FRANCE, 2015

This top class wine has a nose dominated by blackberries and cherries and a silky smooth palate combined with fine tannins. Classic Gamay showing the fruit of Beaujolais and the charm of Burgundy
£28

44 COTEAUX DE L'ARDÈCHE, MESCALDIS, SALEL ET RENAUD, NORTHERN RHÔNE VALLEY, FRANCE, 2012

Juicy, mouth-watering & vivacious blend of 90% Gamay 10% Grenache
£28

45 PINOT NOIR, LOUIS LATOUR, VARS, FRANCE 2015

A Burgundian-style, the grapes for this wine are sourced from the Vars region near the south-eastern Mediterranean coast, at similar altitudes to Latour's own vineyards in the Côte de Beaune. Candied cherry fruits with a spicy perfume on the nose, a velvety textured palate brimming with ripe cherry and strawberry fruits laced with vanilla, leading to a rounded finish
£30

46 RIOJA, BOZETO, BODEGAS EXOPTO, RIOJA, SPAIN, 2015

Bozeto is Bordelais Tom Puyabert's entry level Rioja-but unusually the blend conatins 50% Garnacha & 10% Graciano, with just 40% Tempranillo; spicy & opulent
£30

47 BOURGOGNE, CÔTES D'AUXERRE, PINOT NOIR, DOMAINE DES REMPARTS, BURGUNDY, FRANCE, 2013

Strawberry, red flower, chocolate notes, velvety with a light acidity on the mouth, refreshing & food friendly, a very good Pinot Noir that could be described as a "Red Chablis"
£30

A SPECIAL MEAL OUT

WHITE 75cl

33 BEAUJOLAIS, CHARDONNAY, DOMAINE DE THULON, 2016

Chardonnay grape but from Beaujolais where only 2% of the vineyards produce white wine and this domaine only 600 cases each year so a rarity. Easily rivals wines from Macon and St Veran with attractive oatmeal and citrus aromas, delicious freshness and crisp, restrained palate

£35

50 GEWURZTRAMINER, ANDRE STENTZ, ALSACE, FRANCE, 2011

Vivid floral distinctive lychee and orange notes. Excellent with smoked fish and meat, lightly spiced dishes and surprisingly good with cheese

£35

51 COTEAUX DE L'ARDÈCHE, VIOGNIER QUÉ SA QUOI, SALEL ET RENAUD, NORTHERN RHÔNE VALLEY, FRANCE, 2014

Great value Viognier, grown on granite terraces by a couple of young growers with Condrieu experience, barrel-fermented in demi-muids, perfumed, textured & mineral

£35

52 BOURGOGNE, CHARDONNAY, CHATEAU DES JACQUES, LOUIS JADOT, BEAUJOLAIS, FRANCE 2015

A rich and complex wine, well rounded with ripe peach fruit and a perfectly integrated citrusy acidity leading on to a long fresh finish

£35

54 SANCERRE, CLOS DES BOUFFANT, DOMAINE ROGER NEVEU, LOIRE VALLEY, FRANCE 2016

Aromas of ripe rhubarb and gooseberry leap from the pale lemon coloured glass along with hints of lime, chalk and flint. Mineral texture, high acidity, vibrant green fruits and a long lingering finish

£40

A SPECIAL MEAL OUT

RED 75cl

61 BEAUJOLAIS, MOULIN A VENT, BERNARD SANTE, FRANCE 2007

Intense aromas of ripe black fruit intermingled with floral hints especially violets..
Surprising depth and muscularity on the palate with very smooth tannins and an elegant richness

£35

62 ST EMILION, CHATEAU TRUQUET, BORDEAUX, FRANCE 2012

A tiny 5-ha property, but a fine site near to Figeac; black fruits & a firm holding structure

£ 35

63 PUISSEGUIN-ST EMILION, CLOS DU PAVILLON, BORDEAUX, FRANCE, 2012

Elegant, round-contoured fruit & a structured finish; finely crafted Puisseguin from the talented Gonzague Maurice

£35

64 IRANCY LES CAILLES, DOMAINE DES REMPARTS, BURGUNDY, FRANCE, 2012

Les Cailles is one of the five best vineyards of Irancy. Lively, peppery, mouth-watering red burgundy mingling Pinot Noir with 8% of the local grape César

£35

65 VACQUEYRAS, CARMIN BRILLIANT, DOMAINE CLOS DE CAVEAU, FRANCE 2009

Vacqueras a.k.a. "Chateauneuf-du-Pape's little brother"! Powerful, liquorice, spice, very long. Herbal, mulberry-flavoured, packed with cassis-soaked fruits. Opulent and delicious.

£40

66 BEAUJOLAIS, FLEURIE, LA DOT, CLOS DE MEZ, MARIE -ELODIE ZIGHERA CONFURON, FRANCE, 2010

Impressive Fleurie from Jean-Pierre Confuron's wife, made using classic Côte d'Or techniques; concentrated & resonant

£40

67 MOULIS EN MEDOC, CHATEAU MOULIN A VENT, BORDEAUX, FRANCE 2010

This is one of the best wines ever made by this property and is stuffed with rich dark plum and cherry flavours with hints of liquorice

£40

A VERY SPECIAL MEAL OUT

WHITE

75cl

80 CHABLIS, 1er CRU, MONTS ET VALLEES, LAROCHE, BURGUNDY, FRANCE, 2016

2016 was marked out by slow and full ripening of the grapes producing wines of remarkable balance between acidity, fruit and alcohol. Classic Chablis flavours are presents - apple, citrus and fine minerality

£45

81 RIOJA, HORIZONTE DE EXOPTO, BODEGAS EXOPTO, RIOJA, SPAIN, 2014

Tom Puyabert's old vine vineyards contain a number of white varieties scattered through the red plantings; he picks them & ferments them separately to give this floral yet concentrated white

£45

82 CHABLIS, 1er CRU, MONTMAINS, DOMAINE PHILIPPE GOULLEY, BURGUNDY, FRANCE 2011

Mineral notes, pleasing subtle nutty notes, good firm texture – excellent example of a classic Chablis

£45

83 MEURSAULT, LES TILLETS, JEAN JAVILLIER & FILS, BURGUNDY, FRANCE 2011

Exemplary Burgundian Chardonnay. Superbly balanced, weighted with toasty, rich and buttery flavours. Oaky opulence. Shining example of Meusault Chardonnay that is avidly hunted by connoisseurs

£50

84 CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE, CATARINA, DOMAINE DUSEIGNEUR, SOUTHERN RHONE VALLEY, FRANCE 2015

Very pretty, fragrant yet luxurious clairette-based white, full of white flower scents & subtle fruits

£70

85 CONDRIEU, INVITARE, CHAPOUTIER, NORTHERN RHONE VALLEY, FRANCE 2015

Deep golden yellow with green lights, very fruity, pineapple, acacia blossom, lychee, apricot and peach. Round, full, good length with final notes of vanilla

£70

86 HERMITAGE, LES MIAUX, DOMAINE FERRATON, NORTHERN RHONE VALLEY, FRANCE 2009

Aromas of quince, pear & honey, long-lasting, green-gold colour. Full & generous on the palate

£175

**87 CORTON-CHARLEMAGNE GRAND CRU, DOMAINE POISOT, BURGUNDY, FRANCE
2014**

A typically vibrant, incisive Corton-Charlemagne, with notes of linden tea, orange & lemon zest, it comes from south-facing 50 year old vines above Corton's red vineyards, not the cooler west facing sector near Pernand

£200

A VERY SPECIAL MEAL OUT

RED 75cl

90 TOSCANA, LE VOLTE DELL' ORNELLAIA, TUSCANY, ITALY 2014

Producers of one of Italy's most celebrated wines, this has a rich black fruit core surrounded by fine grained tannins, giving a firm structure and a sense of opulence with concentration and weight lifted by fresh fruit acidity

£45

91 ROSSO DI TOSCANA, VECCHIA ANNATA, GRATO GRATI, TUSCANY, ITALY 1997

Notes of leather and spice in addition to the primary bright cherry fruit flavours

£50

**92 HAUTES-CÔTES DE NUITS, LE CORTON, VINCENT LEGOU, BURGUNDY, FRANCE,
2014**

Obsessive vineyard work & stringent sorting means that Legou (who, like his father and grandfather, has worked a DRC) is able to get better maturity & purity into his Hautes-Côtes red than most

£50

**93 CAHORS, MALBEC, UN JOUR SUR TERRE, CLOS D'UN JOUR, SOUTH-WEST
FRANCE, 2014**

Outstanding, low yielding Cahors aged in small earthenware jars to intensify the wine's perfumed purity & floral enchantment

£50

**94 CABERNET SAUVIGNON, SEXY BEAST, TWO HANDS, McLAREN VALE,
AUSTRALIA 2015**

A voluptuous wine with a deep and lush ruby colour and an alluring nose of rich fruit and subtle touches of violet, smoke and leafy herbs. Fulsome yet elegant, the tannins are smooth and the palate lightly structured

£50

**95 CROZES-HERMITAGE, ROCHE PIERRE, DOMAINE BELLE , RHONE, FRANCE
2013**

Outstanding Crozes, with a structure and density which eludes most of its peers

£68

96 LALANDE DE POMEROL, LA TERRASSE, CHATEAU TOURNEFEUILLE, BORDEAUX, FRANCE 2010

Soft cherry & blueberry fruit with classically velvety textures – & perfect maturity just now

£70

97 BEAUNE 1ER CRU LES BLANCHES FLEURS, VINCENT LEGOU, BURGUNDY, FRANCE 2014

With a vivid colour, this Beaune is indicative of wines of the area, serving up a nose of red fruits, a beautifully soft palate, and the crisp charm of fresh grapes

£70

98 GEVREY CHAMBERTIN, MES CINQUE TERROIRS, DENIS MORTET, BURGUNDY, FRANCE 2013

An elegant perfume with darker red fruits and gentle florals, the palate is seamless with lush but controlled fruit, jasmine tea and strawberry compote.

£70

505 SYRAH, HERMITAGE, LES MIAUX, FERRATON PERE ET FILS, NORTHERN RHONE VALLEY, FRANCE 2007

Sweet red & black cherries with perfumed nose of oak, earth & spice. Firm, long & robust, smooth tannins that partner richer dishes excellently. Oak aged for 14-16 months, with 10% of the blend in new barrels.

£80

99 HAUT-MEDOC, CHATEAU CANTEMERLE, BORDEAUX, FRANCE 1996

Dark ruby colour and a sweet nose of black raspberries, subtle new oak and acacia smells. Our favourite claret – we served it at our wedding ...

£100

100 TOSCANO, TIGNANELLO, MARCHESI ANTINORI, TUSCANY, ITALY 2014

A very intense ruby red colour. The palate is weighty, dense and vibrant with complex structure. Long and lingering with chocolate, coffee and marmalade in the aftertaste. A “super-Tuscan” (along with Ornellaia and Sassicaia) that is one of our all-time favourites

£175

101 BOLGHERI SASSICAIA, TENUTO SAN GUIDO, TUSCANY, ITALY 2012

The only wine from a single estate in Italy to have its own DOC. Rich, layered and expansive on the palate this possesses remarkable depth with fine silky tannins that wrap around the finish.

£225

102 PAULLAC, CHATEAU LATOUR, BORDEAUX, FRANCE 1996

First Growth or “Premiere Cru Classe” in 1855. Fabulous aromas of crushed raspberries, blackberries & plums. Mind-blowingly full-bodied, faultlessly smooth, soft & silky, massive mouth-feel, huge, dense, strong tannic finish. The 1996 vintage across Bordeaux widely acclaimed as excellent, with this particular wine being a serious contender for the best wine of Bordeaux from 1996. 99 points from Robert Parker

£1450

PORT 75 cl

Grahams 1983
£120

Smith Woodhouse 1991
£120

Sandeman 1980
£200

Taylors 1983
£250

SWEET WINES

All served in bottles of 37.5cl ie half-bottles unless otherwise stated

200 MOSCATEL, LATE HARVEST, VISTAMAR, LIMARI VALLEY, CHILE 2015

Straw yellow in colour with golden highlights. Aromas of white flowers, peach, apricots and quince carry through to a palate of more ripe stone fruits and dried figs flavours. Match with sticky toffee pudding, sweet cheesecake or rich blue cheese

£18

201 TOKAJI, LATE HARVEST, ROYAL TOKAJI, HUNGARY 2015 (50 cl)

Pale green-gold, aromas of ripe peach, exotic fruit and blossom with a fine balance of intense sweetness and acidic lift

£30

202 SAUTERNES, CASTELNAU DE SUDUIRAUT, BORDEAUX, FRANCE 2011

The second wine of Ch. Suduiraut, a premier cru estate whose vines border those of Ch. D'Yquem. Aromas of orange blossom, spices and fudge, a smooth initial taste develops into soft sweetness on the palate.

£35

203 WELSCHRIESLING, TROCKENBEERENAUSLESE, ESTERHAZY, AUSTRIA 2015

Concentrated and rich with dried fruit, oranges and honey on the palate. Lovely weight and silkiness

£45

204 SAUTERNES, CHATEAU SUDUIRAUT, BORDEAUX, FRANCE 2003

First Growth or "Premiere Cru Classe" in 1855. With vineyards bordering those of the fabled Ch. D'Yquem, this has a very elegant enticing bouquet, with multiple layers of citrus fruit, marmalade and plump, ripe peaches ascending to an extremely long finish supported by zesty acidity

£60

205 SAUTERNES, CHATEAU D'YQUEM, BORDEAUX, FRANCE 1995

First Growth or "Premiere Cru Classe" in 1855. The acknowledged king of dessert wines, a sublime melange of fruits (apricot, orange, pear), oak vanilla, toast and spice (cinnamon, saffron, liquorice) sumptuous, silky

£195

HALF BOTTLES 37.5ml

PINK/ROSE

301 COTES DE PROVENCE, WHISPERING ANGEL, CHATEAU D'ESCLANS, PROVENCE, FRANCE 2015

A pretty pink with fresh peach and strawberry notes, pale salmon in colour, full of flavour and now generally accepted as the benchmark for Provence Rose.

£30

WHITE

302 MUSCADET SUR LIE, LE FIEF DE LA BRIE, LOIRE, FRANCE 2015

A wine with a pleasing ripe fruit character which is balanced by a zippy freshness. Easy drinking and a great match with fresh seafood

£12

303 JURANCON SEC, CHANT DES VIGNES DOMAINE CAUHAPE, FRANCE 2016

Unoaked, grapefruit like and full-bodied

£15

304 MACON VILAGES, DOMAINE MALLORY ET BENJAMIN TALMARD, FRANCE 2016

Full flavoured Macon, broad and full but offering a little more freshness than the very ripe 2015

£15

305 SOAVE CLASSICO PIEROPAN, ITALY 2016

Model Soave with white flower bouquet, a touch of almond blossom and citrus, from the best grower in the region

£18

306 PINOT GRIS CLASSIC, FAMILLE HUGEL, ALSACE, FRANCE 2016

A rich dry Alsace white with hints of smokiness, weight and length but good freshness too

£18

307 POUILLY FUME, DOMAINE SEGUIN, LOIRE, FRANCE 2016

Seguin's vineyards were badly hit by frosts last year so quantity is down but Phillippe was very happy with the quality and this wine is a benchmark of the appellation as usual

£18

308 RIESLING, TRIMBACH, ALSACE, FRANCE 2014

Benchmark dry Riesling from a fine vintage. Precise, appetising and with great length on the palette.

£18

309 SAINT JOSEPH, BLANC GRAND POMPEE, PAUL JABOULET, RHONE, FRANCE 2016

Super, full-flavoured dry, fruity white Rhone made from the Marsanne grape. The flavours are quite complex with hints of honey and hazelnut
£20

310 CHABLIS 1er CRU, MONTMAINS, LOUIS LATOUR, BURGUNDY, FRANCE 2012

This is widely regarded as one of the best premier cru Chablis, a light yellow colour with flecks of green. The nose is intense with exotic fruit notes, pineapple aromas bring freshness and minerality on the finish.
£30

RED

320 MONTEPULCIANO, D'ABRUZZO VIGNA CORVINO, ITALY 2016

Rocco Pasetti makes the most attractive example of this appetising red, packed with fragrant peppery fruit
£12

321 VENTOUX, LES TRAVERSES PAUL JABOULET AINE, RHONE, FRANCE 2016

Full flavoured Rhone from a stunning vintage. Essentially this is grenache with little bits of other varieties including syrah. Cool breezes coming off the mountain give Ventoux an attractive and juicy fruit flavour
£12

322 CHINON, TEMPS DES CERISES DOM DE LA NOBALIE, LOIRE, FRANCE 2016

Bright, pure and sappy Loire cabinet franc, super fresh, with well-managed tannins
£15

323 COTES DU RHONE, CHATEAU DE SAINT ESTEVE, FRANCE 2015

Full-bodied, fruity Cotes du Rhone from a favourite producer just north of Orange
£15

324 BEAUJOLAIS-VILLAGES, CHATEAU CHASSANTOUR, BEAUJOLAIS, FRANCE 2015

A chocolaty intensity of fruit marks this wine out from the Beaujolais crowd. It comes from the relatively unknown village of Lantignié, but from a family that has made wine here for a staggering 15 generations
£16

325 MARGAUX, CHATEAU D'ANGLUDET, BORDEAUX, FRANCE 2012

A wine with a perfect balance of fruit, freshness and elegance. The tannins are firm but far from aggressive.
£30

326 PAUILLAC, CHATEAU BATAILLEY, BORDEAUX, FRANCE 2012

A traditionally styled Pauillac with vibrant aromas of black fruit, forest floor and creamy mocha that lead into a texturally satisfying of concentrated cassis and blueberry with hints of dark chocolate and cedar.

£40

327 BEAUNE, 1er CRU, CLOS DE LA MOUSSE, BOUCHARD PERE ET FILS, BURGUNDY, FRANCE 2013

Fruit aromas combine with light notes of toast, this Burgundy is both fleshy and refined.

£45

328 BOLGHERI SASSICAIA, TENUTA SAN GUIDO, TUSCANY, ITALY 2013

The only wine from a single estate in Italy to have its own DOC. Rich, layered and expansive on the palate this possesses remarkable depth with fine silky tannins that wrap around the finish.

£150

329 ECHEZEAUX, MAISON ROCHE DE BELLENE, BURGUNDY, FRANCE 2010

Intensely exotic, deep fruits on the nose, bramble and liquorice complexity, superb palate, intense and concentrated.

£150

BY THE GLASS

SPARKLING - 100 ml

1 PROSECCO, VALDOBBIANNE SUPERIORE DOCG, EXTRA DRY, ORA WINE, VENETO

Fresh & crisp, fine bubbles, notes of green apple & peach

£6

CHAMPAGNE – 100 ml

3 BLANC DE NOIRS, MOUSSE FILS, L'OR D'EUGÈNE, EXTRA BRUT,

A vinous, exuberant biodynamic grown 80% Pinot Meunier & 20% Pinot Noir blend
Champagne made by one of the most talented growers in the Marne valley

£10

5 TAITTINGER, RESERVE, BRUT

Delicate bubble, biscotti, honey & fragrant fruits with notes of peach & vanilla. Golden colour, discreet yet lingering foam. Taittinger is the only Champagne house still owned by the founding family. World-renowned brut reserve.

£13

ROSE – 175 ml

21 COTES DE RHONE, LEON PERDIGAL, SOUTHERN RHONE VALLEY, FRANCE 2016

A delicate pale pink colour with intense red fruit aromas followed by full and fresh floral and citrus notes

£7

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The nose is very elegant with a very complex floral bouquet, voluptuousness, crisp and finely acidulous, this very lightly stained rosé, made from direct pressing of black grapes, keeps a reserved side on the aromatic level, a sweet but vinous rosé ... very gourmet

£9

23 CÔTES DE PROVENCE, ROCK ANGEL, CH D'ESCLANS, PROVENCE, FRANCE, 2013

Grenache with Rolle & Tibouren: the perfect blend of delicate fruit with supple, satisfying textures

£15

WHITE 175 ml

24 JP AZEITAO BACALHÔA, VINHOS DE PORTUGAL, BIANCO

Dry, crisp & fruity, stone fruit, green apple, grapefruit and slightly floral

£6

25 FIANO, SALENTO, PIETRARICCIA, SURANI, PUGLIA, ITALY

A bright lemon colour with a golden tinge. The nose offers an inviting mixture of citrus and tropical fruit with floral hints. Crisp acidity and good palate texture

£7

26 COTES-DU-RHONE, LEON PERDIGAL, SOUTHERN RHONE VALLEY, FRANCE

An approachable wine with medium intensity and a gently complex nose of pear, white peach and delicate honeysuckle scents. A rounded palate with a pleasing balance between roundness and crisp acidity

£7

27 BOURGOGNE, COTE CHALONNAISE, LA BUXYNOISE, BURGUNDY

With just 3% of the blend fermented in new oak, this is a fresh and crisp Chardonnay with a focus on golden apple and citrus flavours with very subtle texture and toastiness

£8

28 PICPOUL DE PINET, CHATEAU ROUBIE, LANGUEDOC, FRANCE 2015

Pale gold, fresh and dry with citrus fruit notes and a pleasing minerality, this organic wine has a somewhat herbal bite and is the Mediterranean's answer to Muscadet

£8

RED 175 ml

40 JP AZEITAO BACALHÔA, VINHOS DE PORTUGAL, TINTO

Fruit forward, dry, medium-plus body & tannins, cherry & raspberry flavours, easy drinking yet complex, great entry wine from JP Azeitao

£7

41 COMTE TOLOSAN, MALBEC, L'INSTANT TRUFFIER, RIGAL, SOUTH WEST FRANCE

Dense, blackish purple with aromas of black cherry and bramble fruit, along with hints of anise and prune. The palate is bold and robust framing juicy fruit with peppery tannins

£7

42 MACON, LES ROCHES ROUGES, LOUIS JADOT, BURGUNDY, 2015

A blend of Gamay and Pinot Noir with an enticing nose of redcurrant and raspberry with a fruity, well-balanced palate and fresh finish

£8

43 PINOT NOIR, LOUIS LATOUR, VARS, FRANCE 2014

A Burgundian-style, the grapes are sourced from the Vars region near the south-eastern Mediterranean coast, at similar altitudes to Latour's own vineyards in the Côte de Beaune. Candied cherry fruits with a spicy perfume on the nose, a velvety textured palate brimming with ripe cherry and strawberry fruits laced with vanilla, leading to a rounded finish

£8

45 MORGON, CHATEAU DE PIZAY, BEAUJOLAIS, FRANCE 2015

This top class wine has a nose dominated by blackberries and cherries and a silky smooth palate combined with fine tannins. Classic Morgon showing the fruit of Beaujolais and the charm of Burgundy

£8

SWEET WINES – 125 ml

200 MOSCATEL, LATE HARVEST, VISTAMAR, LIMARI VALLEY, CHILE 2015

Straw yellow in colour with golden highlights. Aromas of white flowers, peach, apricots and quince carry through to a palate of more ripe stone fruits and dried figs flavours. Match with sticky toffee pudding, sweet cheesecake or rich blue cheese

£7

201 TOKAJI, LATE HARVEST, ROYAL TOKAJI, HUNGARY 2015

Pale green-gold, aromas of ripe peach, exotic fruit and blossom with a fine balance of intense sweetness and acidic lift

£12

PORT 50ml

VINTAGE PORT, QUINTA DE TERRA FEITA, TAYLORS FLATGATE, 2001

Since the beginning of the century, small amounts of Terra Feita wine have been bottled as single quinta ports. A beautifully concentrated Port with aromas of violets and tarry black fruit flavours redolent of figs, plums and spice. The full flavour comes through on a palate of ripe cherries and plums

£6

BIN ENDS – only one or two bottles left

WHITE

501 RIESLING, CLOS SAINTE HUNE, F.E.TRIMBACH, ALSACE, FRANCE 2006

Internationally acclaimed Domaine Trimbach, widely viewed as the very best producer in Alsace, with the exclusive Clos St Hune Riesling considered by many to be the finest Riesling from Alsace. Trimbach's Clos St Hune land is only .12 hectares in size, with only 7,000 bottles produced each year. Rare, rightly sought after, pinnacle of fine crisp & dry Riesling, with a fresh lime & plum fruity mouthful, chalky dry & crisp finish.

£200

RED

504 ROSSO VERONESE, CALLE, FASOLI GINO, VENETO, ITALY 2009

Prunes, chocolate, spice & raisins, powerful yet elegant, magnificent, this special Merlot is made using the traditional Veneto appassimento technique of drying the grapes on nets for 80 days before fermentation. Fabulous partner to rich dishes & red meat, tomato based pasta & stews.

£100

507 BOLGHERI, CAMARCANDA, GAJA CA'MARCANDA, TUSCANY, ITALY 2009

Complex & dense, rich fruit & mineral character, intense aromas, powerful tannic structure. A gutsy Tuscan red well suited to red meat, rich stews, strong cheese – great with our cheeseboard! Bolgheri's flagship wine, hence given the name of the Estate "Ca'Marcanda", by the estate owner, Angelo Gajio

£150