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CHAMPAGNE & SPARKLING WINES

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| 1 | Champagne Delamotte, NV Brut
<i>This is a dry and extremely attractive champagne, balanced and elegant. This combines to give a wine of subtle power, appealing freshness, soft curves and a generous palate rich in orchard fruit. This is a precise champagne, balanced and elegant, gossamer-fine. Pale gold in colour, the wine offers great aromatic purity, laced with citrus, white blossom, lemon zest and mossy notes. Its fresh, creamy mouthfeel is emphasised by the textual delicacy of its mousse.</i> | 59 |
| 2 | Champagne Delamotte Blanc de Blancs, NV Brut
<i>First and foremost a mineral wine, Delamotte Blanc de Blancs NV has a textbook 'chalkiness'. Simultaneously rich and delicate, the wine offers aromas of rose-petals, citrus and hints of ginger. On the palate, generous orchard fruit is laced with hints of brioche, a combination that has become Delamotte's hallmark. The mousse is fine, delicate and light.</i> | 70 |
| 3 | Champagne Labruyère Anthologie Rosé NV Brut
<i>Notes of fresh red fruits and cherry-stone with elegant touch of exotic fruits. Crunchy and delicate and, at the same time, round and vinous on the palate with flavours of cherry and red currant. Long and generous on the finish.</i> | 75 |
| 4 | Champagne R de Ruinart, NV Brut
<i>Beautifully balanced with a fine acidity to counteract the delicate brioche and citric fruit.</i> | 85 |
| 5 | Champagne Pol Roger 2012
<i>An explosive yet focused nose of ripe stone fruits and brioche notes. It has a poised and elegant palate packed with green apple, autolytic notes and a crisp, steely acidity. There is an incredible balance to this Champagne which displays all the hallmarks of a vintage built for the long term. It has a powerful structure and a long, evolving, complex finish.</i> | 145 |
| 7 | Champagne Dom Pérignon 2010
<i>Quite simply one of the very best.</i> | 195 |
| 8 | Bottega Poeti Valdobbiadene Prosecco Superiore DOCG Extra Dry
<i>Hand picked and delicately pressed grapes for the purest fruit flavour. Fine, elegant bubbles with notes of Williams pear, golden apple, wisteria and citrus. The palate is balanced, fresh and intense.</i> | 37 |

PUDDING WINES

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| 131 | Muscat de Beaumes-de-Venise Domaine de Coyeux 2009 Halves
<i>This classic Rhône wine comes from one of its very best producers. A delicious sweet wine, rich and grapey with a touch of apricot in the background, while juxtaposed against a fine line of fresh acidity.</i> | 100ml Glass 7.95 | 27 |
| 132 | Château Rieussec 2016, 1er Cru Sauternes (Half)
<i>There is a wonderful precision and minerality on the nose. The palate is beautifully balanced with pear honeyed brioche and pralines. This is a sensual Rieussec that is utterly charming with hints of nougat and almonds that linger on the long finish.</i> | 100ml Glass 12.95 | 45 |
| 133 | Tokaji Blue Label 5 Puttonyos Royal Tokaji Company 2013 50cl
<i>This fabulous wine, once the favourite at the Tsarist Court in St Petersburg, is once again gaining great plaudits. Dried honey, wax resin and a good dollop of marmalade dominate the nutty, quince laden palate.</i> | 100ml Glass 13.95 | 65 |

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FRENCH WHITES

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| 25 | <p>Chablis 2018, Domaine Vincent Dampt, Burgundy
 <i>Vincent Dampt's signature wine is an elegant Chablis with a fresh palate and flinty minerality, softened with creamy fruit. A perfect balance of delicacy and power.</i></p> | 45 |
| 26 | <p>Muscadet sur lie 2018, Jean François de Grand Mouton, JF Guilbaud, Loire
 <i>The wine shows tangy pineapple, melon and jasmine aromas on the nose and a rich and stony, structured minerality on the palate with hints of white pepper and a refreshing spritz.</i></p> | 32 |
| 28 | <p>Mâcon Solutr  2018, Francois Auvigne, Burgundy
 <i>Pale-medium lemon in colour. The nose is surprisingly full showing ripe stone fruit, mixed with almond and marzipan. The palate is elegant and has a characteristic freshness which is balanced by orchard fruit.</i></p> | 37 |
| 31 | <p>C tes-du-Rh ne Blanc Guy Louis 2017, Tardieu-Laurent, Rh ne
 <i>Shimmering gold and captivating, with floral notes, stone fruit and vanilla cream to the fore, with hints of warm brioche, macadamia nuts and pain aux raisins. The palate adds honey and fennel notes to apricot compote, refreshed by citrus and underscored by minerals.</i></p> | 39 |
| 33 | <p>Gew rztraminer 2017, Emile Beyer, Alsace
 <i>Classic Alsace Gew rztraminer, with honeyed lychee fruit and gentle spice aromas following through to a dry finish.</i></p> | 45 |
| 34 | <p>Sancerre Domaine de la Grande Maison 2018, Chameau Balland, Loire
 <i>The nose is mineral, saline, with hints of stone fruit (peaches), white blossoms and a pleasant creaminess. Rich and round on the palate, this wine is refined, mineral and it displays flavours of citrus fruit, lemon peel and spices (white pepper).</i></p> | 46 |
| 35 | <p>Bourgogne Blanc Les S tilles 2018, Olivier Leflaive, Burgundy
 <i>Bright lemon in colour. The nose is pretty and fresh with notes of white flower. The palate shows citrus and apple notes, balanced with hints of creamy vanilla. The finish is long and lifted - a stunning wine from this superb producer.</i></p> | 47 |
| 37 | <p>Pouilly-Fum  Les Chaumiennes 2019, A&E Figeat, Loire
 <i>With smoky greengage, grapefruit and nettle on the nose combined with zesty lime, yellow plum and elderflower on the palate, this wine is multi-layered and exceptionally elegant.</i></p> | 55 |
| 38 | <p>Montagny 1er Cru Bonneveaux 2018, Olivier Leflaive, Burgundy
 <i>Bright lemon in colour with flashes of green. Fresh stone fruits with hints of ginger on the nose. The wine has a great minerality balanced with plenty of concentrated, creamy fruit on the palate.</i></p> | 69 |
| 40 | <p>Bourgogne Blanc 2016, Domaine Leflaive
 <i>From what is considered to be the greatest producer in Burgundy and probably by extension arguably the world's finest white producer, this is no ordinary Bourgogne Blanc, being declassified Puligny Montrachet from a couple of specific plots. The great 2016 vintage is drinking superbly now.</i></p> | 90 |
| 41 | <p>Meursault Les Clousots Domaine Patrick Javillier 2017
 <i>Pale yellow-gold, this presents a very pretty, gentle nose of warm brioche, nuts, delicate caramel and vanilla cream - a pastry shop attraction. The palate is similarly evocative, with equally appetising aromatics, though a fresh redeeming acidity avoids it being too hedonistic, with a very lovely finish.</i></p> | 95 |
| 42 | <p>Puligny-Montrachet 2017, Domaine Francois Carillon
 <i>Pale, shimmering gold, this is a delight. Lemon and apple pastries combine with delicate apricot notes, white flowers and crushed shell minerals on both the nose and palate, super - fresh and focused, with an attractive acidity, giving balance and direction - a lovely wine, beautifully handled.</i></p> | 97 |
| 43 | <p>Chassagne Montrachet 1er Cru Chenevottes 2015, Domaine Francois Carillon
 <i>Beautifully floral, with delicate notes of apple blossom, gentle lime notes and an underlying minerality. Juicy and amply fruited, with very primary, welcoming white stone-fruit, offset by a nice bite of dried-stone minerality.</i></p> | 125 |



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44	Chardonnay 2017, Domaine Francois Carillon, Bourgogne <i>The wines of Carillon have been for years in the elite of the great white Burgundy. This is a lovely Bourgogne Blanc emphasized with freshness, energy and vibrancy along with expressive, ripe fruit flavours of apple and pear.</i>	65
45	Beaune Grèves 1er Cru 2013, Domaine Jacques Prieur <i>Smooth and elegant with delicious spicy and anise notes. Generous and savoury with slightly mineral notes. Refreshing and embracing the palate on the finish with a touch of anise.</i>	95
46	Châteauneuf-du-Pape Blanc 2016, Domaine du Vieux Télégraphe <i>An especially creamy and rich vintage for Vieux Télégraphe's white Châteauneuf-du-Pape. The blend is based on the clairette grape with grenache, roussanne and bouboulenc in support.</i>	120

ITALIAN WHITES

21	Pinot Grigio, L'Aristocratico 2018, Trentino, Italy <i>A fine example of this popular grape sourced from high altitude vineyards in the foothills of the Alps. The long ripening season creates a flavourful and expressive wine with zesty fruit and long lingering finish.</i>	29
30	Chardonnay Grand Cru 2017, Rapitali, Sicily <i>Wonderful Chardonnay from the exciting new Old World of Sicily. Warm, soft and smooth tropical fruits with firm vanilla oak notes.</i>	39

SPANISH WHITES

24	Veigadares Albariño 2017, Adegas Galegas, Rias Baixas <i>This lively and refreshing Albariño comes from its indigenous region of Rias Baixas in Galicia on Spain's rugged north west coast. Aged in some old oak, this wine has a degree of complexity rarely found in most Albariños.</i>	45
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GERMAN WHITES

27	Rheingau Riesling Kabinett 2018, Schloss Schonborn, Germany <i>This is rich and graceful, combining floral notes with green apples, lemon and ripe grape compote underscored by crushed slate minerals- focused, with fine acidity.</i>	35
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AUSTRALIAN/NEW ZEALAND WHITES

22	Sauvignon Blanc 2019, Lofthouse Estate, Marlborough, New Zealand <i>From this old estate on Jackson's Road in the heart of Marlborough comes this delicious Sauvignon Blanc. Great varietal aromas, with wet nettles and citrus notes dominating and a lovely mouthwatering, crisp acidity.</i>	35
32	St Hallett Riesling 2018, Eden Valley, Australia <i>Shows aromas of flint and spice intermingled with lemon blossom and lime peel. The palate is vibrant with citrus and mineral notes.</i>	42

USA WHITES

39	Chardonnay 2017, Cakebread Cellars, Napa Valley, California <i>Bright gold in colour. The nose is full of creamy tropical fruit and shortbread, with subtle hints of toffee and fudge. The palate is weighty and textured but balanced with fresh minerality and a long, silky finish.</i>	79
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SOUTH AFRICAN WHITES

- 23 **Nederburg 'The Anchorman' Chenin Blanc 2017, Western Cape, South Africa** 38
Named after the founder of Nederburg, Philppus Wolvaart, who first planted Chenin Blanc in the late 18th century. Dry, mineral and well-structured, it shows ripe apricot, orange with hints of raisin, spice and floral notes.
- 156 **Rall, White 2019, Donovan Rall, South Africa** 49
An infinitely complex nose with notes of dried flowers, pear, peach, citrus, apple, baking spice and white pepper. The palate is clean and focused, the acidity providing snap, the finish long and pithy. Precisely made but also somehow effortless, this combines great clarity of fruit with plenty of detail.

ENGLISH WHITES

- 20 **Kit's Coty Chardonnay 2017, North Downs Kent, England** 50
Expect aromas of cooked apple and toasted hazelnuts with a background note of butter. The palate has more fresh apple flavours, a smooth texture and long finish.

ROSE WINES

- 11 **Source Gabriel Rosé 2019, Chateau Tour de L'Eveque, Cotes de Provence** 37
This is classic Provence Rosé, from the highly regarded Regine Sumiere. So pale and delicate, yet fruity. Floral notes coupled with that kind of rich stone fruit that you only get from this part of France makes this elegant wine so very delicious.
- 12 **Sancerre Rosé 2018, Domaine de la Grande Maison, Chameau Balland** 45
From the more northerly climes of the Loire Valley, just over an hour's drive from Paris comes this delicate Pinot Noir based Rosé. Ripe and fully flavoured, yet refreshing with an underlying minerality.

ARGENTINIAN REDS

- 83 **Malbec 2017, Bodega Ruca Malen, Mendoza, Argentina** 39
Vibrant, dark purple-red, with ripe, red cherries, plum fruit and notes of spicy liquorice. Full and well-structured on the palate, with elegant, soft tannins and ripe black fruit balanced by a spicy oak and a delicate, vanilla and chocolate finish. Delicious!
- 92 **Salentein Barrel Selection Malbec 2018, Uco Valley, Mendoza Argentina** 42
Full bodied and silky palate offers dark berry fruit backed by vanilla on the lasting finish. From one of the oldest producers in Argentina, the winery can trace its roots back to the 17th century.

CHILEAN REDS

- 81 **Veramonte Cabernet Sauvignon 2017, Colchagua Valley, Chile** 28
From low-yielding vines, this wine is aged for 18 months in French and American oak barrels for richness and complexity. Ripe blackcurrants with a dash of spice. Very smooth and pronounced with a super balance.
- 86 **Primus Carménère 2018, Colchagua Valley, Chile** 36
Richly flavoured, plum and blackberry fruit mingling with exotic spice and dried fig.



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PORTUGUESE REDS

- 88 **Quinta de Chocapalha Tinto 2016, Sandra de Tavares, Lisbon** 38
Deep plum- ruby, with hints of violet, this has a heightened focus on the nose, cassis and floral notes, spiced. The palate is warming and supple with good depth and concentration, fruit compote supported by ripe, rounded tannins.

SOUTH AFRICAN REDS

- 89 **Pinotage 2018, Rhebokskloof Wine Estate, Paarl, South Africa** 39
This acclaimed vineyard in the beautiful Paarl region is a Pinotage specialist – Pinotage being South Africa's chosen "indigenous" grape variety. Dark and brooding with juicy ripe fruits, intermingled with subtle smoky and meaty notes, yet retaining a freshness and a purity.
- 94 **Shiraz Nelson Estate 2014, Paarl, South Africa** 47
Deep, dark, black-ruby core, fading slightly at the rim. Dark, ripe fruit on the nose with rich mocha notes. On the palate the fruit is concentrated and mature with great structure and a smoky/savoury finish. The trademark Nelson Estate elegance and freshness is still present.

ITALIAN REDS

- 87 **Valpolicella Classico Superiore Terre di Cariano Cecilia Beretta 2017** 37
A delicious example from this single vineyard offering from the heart of Valpolicella. Deep ruby red, with fine bitter cherry fruit, soft and ripe with a nice bite of acidity on the end.
- 95 **Primitivo del Manduria 2016, Gocce, Feudi Salentini, Italy** 49
Wild berries and notes of caramel, smooth with some spicy aromatic notes.
- 100 **Amarone della Valpolicella Classico 2015, Bolla** 65
The traditional method of semi drying the grapes first ensures an enveloping velvet richness with marzipan, raisin and date flavours.
- 104 **Barolo La Tartufaia 2015, Giulia Negri, Piedmont** 80
This La Tartufaia is really attractive deep garnet in colour. It offers a mature nose, savoury notes allied to liqueur macerated dried fruit compote, perfumed and spicy. The palate is silken, mocha-rich, with earthy dark chocolate and espresso notes, layered with black cherry and cream- all underscored by mineral precision and refreshed by rose and violet.
- 157 **Le Chiuse, Brunello di Montalcino 2013, Tuscany, Italy** 130
Deep red. Perfumed aromas of raspberry, strawberry, tea leaf and crushed stone are lifted by a lovely violet topnote. Bright, dense and juicy, this features lively, harmonious acidity extending the very precise, pure, multilayered flavors of red currant, sweet spices and red cherry on the long vibrant finish. A really beautiful wine. Bravi!

NEW ZEALAND REDS

- 93 **Pinot Noir 2020, Eradus Estate, Awatere Valley, Marlborough, New Zealand** 45
Deep, dark ruby, with purple flashes. The nose has meaty, dark fruit and some farmyard notes. The palate has plenty of dark berry fruit and some savoury and earthy characters. This is all balanced with the trademark Eradus acidity and freshness - delicious.

SPANISH REDS

- 85 **Rioja Reserva, Viña Real 2014, Rioja, Spain** 45
A blend of Tempranillo, Garnacha, Mazuelo and Graciano with gentle oak ageing. gorgeously fragrant with soft fruit, warm spices and elegant toasty oak aromas.



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- 99 **PSI 2013, Peter Sisseck, Bodegas y Viñedos Alnardo, Ribera del Duero** 55
Produced by the great Peter Sisseck from the stellar Dominio de Pingus, this wine has a ripe aromatic black fruit, plum and cherry compote aromas, complemented by mineral notes. Expansive and generous on the palate, richly textured and bursting with personality.

AUSTRALIAN REDS

- 102 **19th Meeting Cabernet Sauvignon The Lane 2012, Adelaide Hills, Australia** 75
Deep, plummy red colour. The nose offers Cassis, tobacco leaf and mocha with a touch of mint. The palate is medium to full bodied, with rich, deep varietal flavours. Classic in structure, this wine is smooth and weighty with, fine, ripe tannins and impressive length.
- 120 **Shiraz Viognier 2015, The Lane, Adelaide Hills, Australia** 45
This boutique family vineyard high up in the Adelaide Hills are producing wines of great quality and dare it be said, great elegance. The rich, smooth Shiraz has a lovely poise and focus, while the addition of a few percent of Viognier just lifts both the aromatics and the palate creating a wonderfully harmonious and elegant wine.

USA REDS

- 106 **Othello Cabernet Sauvignon 2013, Dominus Estate, Napa Valley, California** 90
Very pure, ripe black cherry and blackberries on the nose, then some menthol, with a little cedar and some graphite. So far, so Cabernet. The palate is medium-bodied on the entry, ingratiating itself over the course of a fine, elegant mid-palate, which reveals texture and a nicely nuanced structure. Fine earthy minerality and a detailed finish. Lifted acidity ensures juicy drinkability from Christian Moueix.
- 107 **Two Creeks Pinot Noir 2018, Cakebread Cellars, Anderson Valley, California** 95
This Anderson Valley Pinot Noir displays an earthy, fresh cherry and raspberry aroma accentuated by hints of sandalwood and minerality. Medium-bodied and supple on the palate, with fine tannins, this wine is juicy with concentrated black cherry, red currant and black raspberry with a long, vibrant finish, bright acidity and a refreshing minerality.

FRENCH REDS

- 82 **Corney & Barrow Reserve Claret 2016, Sichel** 35
This fabulous blend is agreed every year with the team at Sichel, owners of the great Chateau Palmer among other properties after a rigorous tasting. Coming from the superb 2016 vintage, this wine shows both red and black fruits, complemented by toasted notes and traces of vanilla cream, while also offering richness, substance and charm in equal measure, ably supported by fine tannins.
- 84 **Bourgogne Pinot Noir Côte-D'Or 2017, Domaine Gilles Jourdan** 45
This wine comes from a small 2.5 hectare parcel of 70 year old vines. Displaying excellent density at this level, this wine is substantial with bright red berry and forest fruits, alongside ripe, supple tannins. Good proper Burgundian Pinot Noir.
- 90 **Nuits-St-Georges 1er Cru "Clos des Forêts St-Georges" 2012, L'Arlot** 140
Black cherries, tar, Licorice, smoke and menthol are some of the many notes that are woven together in this rich, deep wine. There is a baritone register to the fruit that is absolutely gorgeous. The powerful, structure finish completes this wonderful, now mature wine.
- 91 **Château La Courolle 2018, St Émilion** 42
Plum ruby in colour, this has an inviting, accessible nose, rich in cherry and cassis, with delicate hints of vanilla. Fresh and upbeat, in line with the vintage, there is good fruit on the palate, nuances of dark chocolate and espresso coffee, all supported by firm, well-integrated tannins. A good food wine.
- 96 **Moulin-a-Vent Coeur de Terroir Vieilles Vignes Domaine Labruyère 2017** 49
A saturated ruby colour, followed by a beautiful pure red berry nose, dense and inviting. The palate is veritably singing, so ripe and supple, with resounding raspberry fruit. Darts of dark ferrous minerality and a seam of brininess from the mid-palate through to the finish.
- 97 **Château de Lamarque 2016, Cru Bourgeois, Haut Médoc** 52
This is fresh and sweet, with pure, aromatic fruit, black and red fruit to the fore, scented with violet. Fresh cherries and red fruit prevail on the palate, allied sherbet and white pepper spice. There is an earthy minerality giving focus and some weight and texture on the mid-palate which will continue to evolve during élevage.

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98	Château Roc de Cambes, Côtes de Bourg 2011 <i>Freshly crushed blackcurrants and plums with an amazing range of aromas - not just the dark fruit but also orange, possibly even mango and lavender and garrigue. Super smooth, rich and explosive.</i>	95
101	Châteauneuf-du-Pape Grande Reserve 2017, Chateau Beauchêne <i>This is a wonderful example from this small yet excellent estate. Rich, dark and handsome! This full bodied and concentrated red exudes more-ish flavours of baked plum and damson fruit, kirsch and sweet spice.</i>	65
103	Côte-Rotie Vieilles Vignes 2014, Tardieu-Laurent, Rhône <i>Shimmering jet-plum velvet in appearance, with a tight, firm pink rim, this has an extraordinary nose – a blend of fresh fruit, warm plum compote, crushed stone and briny minerals, wild herbs and heady violet freshness. The palate echoes the aromatics presented on the nose, complex, intricate and slightly reticent in the embryonic phase. Dark fruit, with a slightly savoury edge strikes an engaging, impressive balance.</i>	80
105	Bourgogne Rouge Cuvée de Pressonnier, 2014, Domaine Joseph Roty <i>A Gevrey-Chambertin in all but name. The oldest vines here date from 1925. Spicy on the nose with dark berries and a sweet fruit weight. On the palate, a little undergrowth and a fine but nicely melding tannic grip add weight to the dark fruit berry.</i>	49.5
108	Auxey-Duresses Rouge, 2014, Domaine Matrot, Burgundy <i>A complex blend of aromatics comes through on the nose and palate, primary berries allied to more savoury fennel notes. The structure is more evidence here but all tannins are well integrated- lovely texture and a long, lightly peppered, perfumed finish.</i>	60
109	Marsannay, 2016, Domaine Joseph Roty <i>It is a must have for Burgundy lovers. Sweet, dark berry fruit in which you can feel the small berries and the high phenolic content of the vintage, alongside a supple approachability which allows this wine to be drinking early.</i>	69
110	Volnay Vendanges Sélectionnées 2014, Domaine Michel Lafarge <i>From one of the real greats of Volnay, this is a blend of 4 parcels of vines at the centre of the village, totalling only one hectare – it could therefore be said to represent the very heart of Volnay! Soaringly pretty with delicate red berry fruit of some intensity and depth, this wine has tremendous finesse, ably supported by some fine grained tannins.</i>	95
112	Château Léoville Barton 2004, 2eme Cru Classé St Julien <i>The 2004 is a classic Léoville-Barton meant for long aging. Concentrated with loads of smoke, Crème de Cassis, forest floor and earthy notes emerge from this impressively structured wine which at 17 years is now well into its drinking window</i>	140
113	Château Pontet Canet 2007, 5eme Cru Classé Pauillac <i>Upfront and lavish with red and black fruits tinged with violets and Crème de Cassis. The palate is sweet and opulent, displaying impressive concentration and velvety blueberry and black cherry on the finish that lingers long in the mouth.</i>	145
114	Château Gruaud Larose 2009, 2eme Cru Classé St Julien <i>Cabernet Sauvignon 60% and Merlot 30% with Cabernet franc and Petit Verdot 10%. Copious notes of sagebrush, cedar, cigar box, licorice, incense, blackberries. Full bodied, broad and rich with a good balance and abundant but sweet, well-integrated tannin,</i>	165
115	Château Bélair Monange 2011, 1er Grand Cru Classé St Émilion, Bordeaux <i>This tiny jewel of an estate, situated next to Château Ausone and under the expert tutelage of the Moueix family, produces only about 1500 cases per year. Gorgeous aromas of kirsch, crushed rock, raspberry and subtle oak followed by a medium bodied concentrated mouthfeel.</i>	165
116	Chambolle Musigny 2014, Comte Georges de Vogüé, Burgundy <i>From probably the finest producer in Musigny, the 2014 Chambolle is drinking now, with its fragrant, voluminous bouquet of plush red cherries and a touch of Cassis. The palate is opulent and sweetly fruited on the entry, with fine tannins underpinning this classic wine.</i>	195
117	Château Lynch Bages 2009, 5eme Cru Pauillac, Bordeaux <i>Boldly scented with Crème de Cassis, blackberry and baked plums, chocolate box, incense and bay leaves. A firm grainy texture and a lively backbone lifts the core black fruit to a superb, juicy, ripe finish. A top wine in a top vintage!</i>	250
118	Château Prieuré-Lichine 2005, 4eme Cru Classé Margaux <i>This deliciously sexy, seductive style of wine from Prieuré-Lichine is very much in keeping with how this wine can perform in a top vintage, offering lush fruit, sweet tannin and a silky, medium to full bodied mouthfeel with notes of flowers, blue, red and black fruits, some underbrush and loamy soil nuances. Suave, round and juicy, this wine has reached its mature period.</i>	120



- 119** **Châteauneuf-du-Pape Rouge, Domaine du Vieux Télégraphe 2007** **140**
A deep brooding and tightly knit wine, concentrated and rich with classic herb and garrigue characters which add further complexity. The structure is firm and the tannins are deliciously ripe. A beautiful and complex Châteauneuf from an outstanding vintage.

GOLFER'S WINES

The following three wines all come from the small estate owned by the much loved and admired golfing great that is Ernie Els. Founded in 1999 in the beautiful wine country of Stellenbosch in his native South Africa, while Ernie was in his pomp, he immediately employed the multi award winning winemaker Louis Strydom to look after his winery. This is very much a labour of love for both men, with very low production and the utmost quality being the watchwords here; so much so that they have achieved a rare 5 star rating by the South African wine guru John Platter in his guide. Please do try these excellent wines.

- 151** **The Major Series Merlot 2017, Ernie Els, Stellenbosch, South Africa** **59**
The 2017 vintage Major Series Merlot has all the hallmarks of a classic Merlot, with ripe plums and earthy notes, supported by a core of minerality. The wine is fleshed out with ripe strawberry, forest underfloor and a hint of dark chocolate. This is a really lovely wine with a ripe juicy concentrated heart and a long finish.
- 152** **The Major Series Cabernet Sauvignon 2017, Ernie Els, Stellenbosch, South Africa** **59**
Pure-fruited Cassis on the nose open to a fine balance of dark chocolate, wet earth, delicate spice and dried herbs. The palate has a dark inky intensity punched by a core of mineral finesse and all wrapped by a broad-shouldered finish. The tannins are burly and taught, but will easily integrate with time as this decadent Cabernet Sauvignon will age well for a decade. Serious yet sumptuous.
- 153** **The Proprietor's Blend 2016, Stellenbosch, South Africa** **75**
Cabernet Sauvignon comes across with striking purity. It is once again richly concentrated and yet remarkably elegant and refined. Purple hued and powerfully built, its components are seamlessly knitted into a Cassis-fruited, superbly layered palate. Hints of black cherries, dark chocolate, graphite and apricots are all balanced by its subtle oak support. The immense purity of fruit fits like a jigsaw into the perfectly chiseled, tannic frame. Finally finishing with inviting freshness and lacy tannins, this wonderful wine will evolve for a decade or more.
- 154** **Signature Bordeaux Blend 2013, Stellenbosch, South Africa** **99**
Ernie Els Signature is similar to the empathic and precise 2009 although packs even more power and performance. Cabernet Sauvignon based, all five Bordeaux varieties contribute to its superior complexity, class and character. The black core with purple rim shows its huge concentration, with time needed in the glass to coerce its depth of flavours. Ripe mulberry, strawberries laced with balsamic, graphite and a hint of chocolate all follow through to the luxuriously textured palate. The rich fruit is balanced by a refined acidity and savoury, roasted-coriander-scented, meaty-edge. Drinking very well now.

SPECIALITY FINE WINES BY THE GLASS

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| 40 | Bourgogne Blanc 2016, Domaine Leflaive | 19.5 |
| 45 | Beaune Grèves 1er Cru 2013, Domaine Jacques Prieur | 21 |
| 43 | Chassagne Montrachet 1er Cru Chenevottes 2015, Domaine Francois Carillon | 27.5 |

RED

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| 90 | Nuits-St-Georges 1er Cru "Clos des Forêts St-Georges" 2012, L'Arlet | 29.5 |
| 115 | Château Bélair Monange 2011, 1er Grand Cru Classé St Émilion, Bordeaux | 35 |



BY THE GLASS

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21	Trentino Pinot Grigio 2018, L'Aristocratico, Italy	7.5	20	29
22	Sauvignon Blanc 2019, Lofthouse Estate, Marlborough, New Zealand	8.5	24	35
23	Nederburg The Anchorman Chenin Blanc 2017, Western Cape, South Africa	9.25	26	38
24	Veigadares Albariño 2017, Adegas Galegas, Rias Baixas	10.75	30	45
25	Chablis 2018, Domaine Vincent Dampt, Burgundy	10.75	30	45
44	Chardonnay 2017, Domaine Francois Carillon, Bourgogne	14.95	42	65

ROSÉ

11	Source Gabriel Rosè 2019, Chateau Tour de L'Eveque, Cotes de Provence	8.95	25	37
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RED

81	Veramonte Cabernet Sauvignon 2017, Colchagua Valley, Chile	7.5	20	28
82	Corney & Barrow Company Reserve Claret 2015, Maison Sichel, Bordeaux	8.5	24	35
83	Malbec 2017, Bodega Ruca Malen, Mendoza, Argentina	9.5	27	39
84	Bourgogne Pinot Noir Côte-D'Or 2017, Domaine Gilles Jourdan	10.75	30	45
85	Rioja Reserva 2014, Viña Real, Spain	10.75	30	45

SPARKLING

		125ml Glass	Bottle
8	Bottega Poeti Valdobbiadene Prosecco Superiore DCOG	8	37
1	Champagne Delamotte Brut NV	10	59

WATER

Glenlivet Still Water / Glenlivet Sparkling Water		330ml	2.25
		750ml	4.25