



WINES BY THE BOTTLE

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CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Lyeth, California 42

This Cab has a touch of Petit Verdot for added complexity and depth of flavor. Crimson in the glass, the wine offers expressive aromatics of red cherry, boysenberry-cedar and a touch of minerality and freshness like a seabreeze. A soft and generous palate with flavors of savory spice, bramble raspberry, chocolate-cherry and a hint of lavender on a long, lingering finish.

Readers by J. Bookwalter Winery, Columbia Valley, WA 46

A stunning Cabernet from Washington's oldest and most revered vineyards. Dark and deep in color with aromatics of cassis, red currant, dark berries, and walnut shell. Rich and open-textured on the palate, the wine has flavors of dark cherries, currants, and blackberries. Fine-grained tannins carry wine across your tongue and the vibrant acidity leaves a fresh finish to this great value.

Enkidu, Sonoma County 63

This Cabernet shows incredible aromas of currant and blackberry fruit, black spice, a touch bittersweet chocolate, and a hint of sage. The aromas give way to currant, blackberry, sandalwood and new oak. The richness of this wine embraces you on the entrance and continues for a very long time... a hallmark of luxury Cabernets. Enjoyable now, but will go on for 15 years.

Elyse, Holbrook Mitchell Vineyard, Yountville, Napa 77

This single vineyard has been farmed since 1878 as orchards, dairy, and finally vineyard. The mature vines struggle in shallow soil to yield low quantities of expressive grapes. The area offers a unique combination in Napa both with soil and climate. A spice box of cocoa, mint, and cracked pepper mix with yeast, game, and mulberries on the nose while blackberries, currants, and cassis fill the palate.

Turnbull, Napa 110

Dusted blackberries, plums, and dark fruit tones fuse into a wide expanse of engaging freshness and vibrancy. Creamy tannins tell a story of a layered and complex wine. Brilliant raspberry reduction, Rainier cherry, and cassis unfold in waves through the mid-palate to its impressive, well-tiered finish. Truly symphonic in its progression of flavor, density, power, and lift. Peter Heitz, winemaker.

Ghost Block, Oakville, Napa 120

This wine has juicy red cherry notes, along with ripe, red berry flavors. Cocoa and vanilla notes are well integrated into the fruit components. The silky, soft tannins confirm the harmonious balance between alcohol and tannin, creating an overall perfect balance in this wine. The finish is so lengthy and beautiful, that you won't want to stop sipping on this Oakville cab. Kristi Koford, winemaker.

Barnett, Spring Mountain, Napa 148

Big black raspberry jumps from the glass as well as blueberry jam and black pepper. There is a bright chocolate element surrounded by cedar notes. The mouthfeel is rich and lush with a lot more dark fruit as well as cigar box and mocha. The tannins are significant, very big and chalky. There is a long black raspberry and mocha finish to the wine. David Tate, winemaker.

Paradigm, Oakville, Napa 150

Dark Cabernet color with beautiful aromas of black cherry, cassis, plus 5-spice, vanilla. Big, ripe and mouthcoating across the palate. The flavors are similar to the aromas with ripe fruit, berry/cherry pie, moderate tannins, and nice length. This wine shows structure to be age-worthy, yet soft and balanced enough to enjoy now. Flavors linger in this tasty, dense wine. Heidi Barrett, winemaker.

DeSante, Oakville, Napa 175

Grown in the red soils of Oakville, this blend of Cab (75%) and Franc (25%) offers aromas of cassis, clove, and earthy red fruits that are mirrored with flavors of equal intensity on the palate. Brisk freshness and supple tannins marry well with the bold flavors in the bottle. This is the type of Cabernet that offers aromatic fruit enjoyment now. David DeSante, winemaker.

Dyer, Diamond Mountain, Napa 175

The blend on this boutique wine is 89% Cabernet Sauvignon, 6% Cabernet Franc, and 5% Petit Verdot. Ripe red currants and plums with a deep layering of floral, lavender, graphite and cedar notes. Fully ripe flavors provide a sweet lushness that belies the firm dense structure. Bill Dyer, winemaker.

Dunn Vineyards, Howell Mountain, Napa 200

A blend of our Howell Mountain fruit and a small quantity of valley floor fruit that the family purchases. 100% Cabernet Sauvignon aged 32 months in 100% new French oak. Pretty and easygoing, with medium body and good brightness, the sweet red fruit and floral notes jump out of the glass. Randy Dunn, winemaker.

Larkmead Vineyards, Calistoga, Napa 250

Petit Verdot, even in the small quantities present in this wine, exudes its signature textural density and floral nose of purple and blue flowers that complement Cabernet's macerated red and blue fruit so well. Cassis, graphite and crushed rock follow through on the palate, with a vibrant, cherry cola tone that rings in the finish. Dan Petroski, winemaker.

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RED BLENDS

One Flock, California 28

This rich California Red Wine offers a barrage of intense red fruit with soft and approachable tannins. A flock of California's finest spicy Zinfandel, bold Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, and inky Syrah come together to form a premium quality, easy-drinking wine with some complexity that everyone can enjoy.

Vista Reserve, Rutherford, Napa 56

Originating from Rutherford, an area long celebrated for its exceptional terroir and dusty tannins, this wine embodies Rutherford Cabernet. Predominately Cabernet, heightened with Merlot and Cabernet Franc, the wine saturates your palate in seductive red berries laced with dried lavender, red currants, iron, and Rutherford dust. There is even a hint of cherry Coke in the mix.

Jax Y3 Tareau, Napa 56

Named after the family's prized bull, legendary for his feisty and vibrant personality, JAX's Y3 Taureau is a red blend made from 50% Merlot, 25% Cabernet Sauvignon, 20% Syrah and 5% Zinfandel. Medium bodied, luscious and approachable. This beautifully rich wine has flavors of ripe raspberry, black plum and baking spices.

Dusi "The Don", Napa 60

A blend of Cabernet Sauvignon, Sangiovese, and Petite Sirah, this blend comes from three different vineyards farmed and owned by the Dusi family. A Super Tuscan in style, starts with a variety of lightly toasted tree nuts, followed by intense cocoa nib and a touch of clove spice. The mid-palette brings toned tannin structure with pops of ripe plum, leading into a lingering vanilla bean finish.

Kokomo Cuvee, Sonoma County 63

A focused blend inspired by the wines of Châteauneuf-du-Pape. Comprised of Grenache, Zinfandel, Carignan, and Petite Sirah. The vineyard is located in Redwood Valley AVA of Mendocino, and is 100% dry-farmed. The other half of this blend is Syrah that is located in the cool-climate Sonoma Coast appellation, and provides a richness on the palate and a distinctive white pepper character.

Saddleback "Rancher Red", Oakville, Napa 70

On the nose, pleasing aromas of black cherry, vanilla bean, thyme, ground nutmeg and cacao. On the palate, it approaches with dense, but soft tannins and a full mouthfeel. The flavor envelop the pallet gracefully with plum, Bosch pear, and black tea. This wine is a straightforward stunner. A flavorful finish is generous with lingering notes of brambleberries. Nils Venge, winemaker.

Peake Ranch "Bellis Noir", Santa Barbara 82

Bellis Noir is a blend that combines the brightness of Grenache and brooding aspect of Syrah, resulting in a wine showing intricate fruit notes of acai and blue fruits. The cool climate contributes to an herbal tone, with fennel, dill and peppermint surfacing on the palate. An ample, round and solid tannic core provides for a long, satisfying finish.

Mad Hatter by Dancing Hares, Napa Valley 100

A sophisticated blend of Cabernet Sauvignon, Old Vine Petite Sirah, Merlot, Petit Verdot, and Cabernet Franc. Expressive aromas of black plum, wild flowers, and clove. On the palette, it evolves into flavors of black cherry, dark chocolate, and baking spice, enhanced by velvety tannins and a long finish.

Mi Sueno “El Llano”, Napa Valley 110

El Llano displays an intriguing deep crimson color. On the nose, an explosion of blue and black berries and plum jam is followed by vanilla, black tea, coffee, and black pepper. Intense dark berry fruit and plush tannins seduce the palate and a whisper of warm baking spices on the mouthwatering finish will leave you craving your next sip.

Cain Five, Spring Mountain, Napa 110

Sad note about this wine: the winery lost almost everything in the fire of 2020. So, once all the wine in the market is gone, it's gone for quite a while as they rebuild and replant. The five grapes in the blend are: Cab 57%, Merlot 15%, Cab Franc 14%, Malbec 9%, and Petit Verdot 5%. Superbly nuanced and articulated, round, and, with just enough mouth-watering acidity and savory grip to remember.

Realm “The Bard”, Napa Valley 300

Beckstoffer To Kalon and Dr. Crane, Blair Vineyard, Weitz Vineyard, Fortuna Vineyard and Beckstoffer Orchard have all found a place in The Bard. While the composition of the wine varies from year to year, Cabernet Sauvignon typically comprises over 70% of the blend, joined by lesser percentages of Merlot, Cabernet Franc and/or Petit Verdot.

PINOT NOIR

EZY TGR, Willamette Valley, OR. 42

This bottle showcases premium-level Pinot Noir at an affordable, everyday drinking price without sacrificing or shortcutting in the cellar. These grapes were hand harvested, fermented spontaneously, and aged for 18 months in neutral French barrels. The resulting wine is striking in its elegance and purity, red fruited, and the perfect accompaniment to a variety of foods.

Enkidu “E”, Sonoma County 56

A multi-layered Pinot with great texture. Aromas and flavors of raspberry, strawberry, black cherry and brioche in this compelling and exotic wine. At Enkidu their focus is on producing Pinot Noir from both the Russian River Valley and the Sonoma Coast. This wine is a blend of those two areas, and is simply delicious, complex, and yet almost too easy to drink.

Reeve “Rhoda”, Anderson Valley, CA 90

The name Rhoda comes from the namesakes of Anderson Valley, Walter and Rhoda Anderson, who came out to California from Missouri during the Gold Rush. As with their best vineyard designate wines from the extreme deep-end, the guys at Reeve prize Rhoda for its ability to balance both savoriness with dark fruit and also demonstrate depth without attendant weight.

Merry Edwards, Sonoma, CA 115

On the nose, it offers aromas of bright Bing cherry with hints of licorice, subtle forest floor and open inviting notes of rose petal, vanilla and baking spices. Rich and lively upon entry, the mouth begins with fruit forward notes of crunchy raspberries and red cherries. Silky tannins are supported by well-balanced acidity and mocha notes throughout a long finish.

Hirsch “San Andreas Fault”, Sonoma Coast, CA 125

Hirsch signature Pinot is crafted to represent the entirety of their multifaceted vineyard. The wine has fruit from 28 distinct farming blocks. Characterized by charming ripe fruit, supple tannins, and a juicy fruit character, it is wonderfully open and expressive already, with the acidity and backbone to age for some years to come.

OTHER REDS

Humberto Malbec, Rio Negro, Patagonia, Argentina 28

Mendoza is usually known to be the rockstar of Argentinian Malbec, but this one from Patagonia is surprising. A big softy here, with strong flavors of plum, bramble, oak, and vanilla but wrapped in cushions of soft baking spices with an earthy finish. Look for hidden notes of chocolate, blueberry, and black pepper. Medium tannins.

Texoir Mourvedre, Texas High Plains 49

Made by a cool dude named Bo Sailing up in the panhandle of Texas, the weather - if paired with the correct grape varietal - is pretty good for growing grapes! One of the biggest things... is known as a diurnal shift or range. It is characterized by cool/cold nights and warm to hot (and sunny) days. This helps the grapes to ripen, while at the same time, letting them retain their acidity (for fine wine).

Da Capo “Majoli” Ruche, Piemonte, Italy 56

Organic and vegan. Da capo means from the top. In 1997 this estate represented a new start for two friends, colleagues from the wine trade with a desire to focus on wine with finesse, elegance, and authenticity. Extremely aromatic and reminiscent of Nebbiolo. Notes of red cherry, strawberry, white flowers violets, pepper, mint, and a subtle mineral quality.

Hartford Court Zinfandel, Russian River 70

The Hartford Russian River Valley Zinfandel is a blend of old-vine, dry-farmed and low-yielding Zinfandel vineyards from the Russian River Valley. These old vines average vineyard age is well over 100 years! It’s bright, punchy and full of the energy, with succulent dark cherry, plum, chocolate, lavender, licorice, spice, menthol, and pine add aromatic character.

Limerick Lane Zinfandel, Russian River 73

This Zinfandel vineyard was originally planted by Italians at the start of the 1900’s! The wine is seamless and with an unparalleled clarity of flavor and aromas like blackberry, raspberry, bramble, cocoa leaf, and wet stones. Flavors of strawberry, black pepper, blueberry pie crust, and wet stones. The mouthfeel is opulent, structured, and has chewy tannins, and a long finish.

Outpost Zinfandel, Howell Mountain, Napa 90

Outpost stands high atop Howell Mountain, perched 2200 feet above the floor of the Napa Valley. It was established in 1998 with the vision of making wines that reflect the place in which the fruit was grown. The vineyards are high altitude, with hard rocky red volcanic soil and sunny southwestern exposures. Look for flavors of cherry pie, raspberry preserves, and blueberry compote!

WHITES

Daisy Pinot Grigio, Washington State 28

We love this wine! And interestingly enough, much like a red blend, this Pinot Grigio is co-fermented dry with Sauvignon Blanc, Riesling and Moscato. The aromas are compelling, with notes of freshly cut apple, honeysuckle, peach and pear. There's also a beautiful sense of lightness, texture and freshness to the fruit flavors that linger on the finish. The balance is exquisite for the price.

Babich “Black Label” Sauvignon Blanc, New Zealand 32

Babich Winery has been family-owned and operated since 1916! Fermented at controlled and cool temperatures in stainless steel tanks to keep the varietal flavours fresh, but a small portion of juice was fermented in old oak barrels to contribute to the weight and complexity of the wine. A zesty, spritely New Zealand Sauvignon Blanc with aromas of chives, lime zest, and lemongrass.

Pope Valley Sauvignon Blanc, Napa 32

Textured, round and yet steely, this wine offers a straightforward approach and subdued ripeness. A touch of peach sparks the midpalate with lovely flavor. Aromas of honeysuckle and lemon curd, the flavors are imbued with freshness, most notable are fresh monk fruit and green grass leading to lime zest and crisp minerality.

Leitz Feinherb Riesling, Rheingau, Germany 35

Under the direction of Johannes Leitz, Weingut Josef Leitz has earned the reputation of being one of Rheingau’s top growers and moreover, one of the finest producers in Germany. This is a super-delicious, entry-level feinherb style riesling that has crisp acidity, juicy aromatics, and is dangerously drinkable.

Enkidu Sauvignon Blanc, Sonoma County, CA 39

Unbelievable, this one. Casaba melon and green mango aromas collide with flavors of coriander and herbs. High acidity with a rich, lush mouthfeel and long finish. Barrel fermentation frames the high acidity in a lush, rich mouthfeel. All this is further enhanced by the leesy (aging) character of brioche. Simply put, this is not your everyday sauvignon blanc and more resembles the Loire Valley, France.

Artnet Gruner Vetliner, Austria 39

“Gruner” as the locals call it, used to be nothing but a jug wine grape. Now, fine-winemaking has changed that! The primary fruit flavors in Grüner Veltliner are lime, lemon, and grapefruit. There is also a green and herbaceous flavor that is often described as white pepper. However, what makes Grüner Veltliner wine so unique is its signature vein of acidity that explodes in your mouth.

Pozzan Chardonnay, Russian River Valley, CA 42

Expressive and extroverted from the start, with copious aromas of lemon curd, yellow peach, and crème caramel, with subtle spicy notes of cinnamon and vanilla bean. In the mouth, the well-integrated oak creates a broad, weighty palate with ample space for voluminous flavors of fresh Meyer lemon, mandarins, and toasted almonds, with a lengthy draw of cinnamon and nutmeg.

Zinke “Besos” White Blend, Central Coast, CA 49

This Rhone inspired white blend showcases the softer side of Marsanne, Viognier, and Grenache Blanc. Subtle white flowers and straw tease your nose while the silky palate fills your mouth with notes of grilled pineapple, freshly baked brioche buns, Fuji Apples, cantaloupe melon, and herbs. This is an excellent wine for someone who wants a full-bodied white, but doesn't go for Chardonnay.

Au Bon Climat “Pinot Gris & Blanc”, Santa Barbara County . . . 49

Au Bon Climat is a Burgundy-centric winery, meaning if the grapes aren't grown in Burgundy, then they don't make that type of wine. This is a refreshing, dry, blended white with citrus notes, and a crisp finish. Richer than most light whites, yet so easy drinking! The aromas are salty, mineral with a lemon-lime note. In the mouth the wine is rich and textural, from the time on lees in the barrel.

Kokomo “Peter’s Vineyard” Chardonnay, Russian River 63

Reminiscent of a classic white Burgundy but with a California twist, this Chardonnay displays flavors of ripe pineapple and vibrant minerality accompanied by mouth-watering natural acidity typically found in Peters Vineyard. This Chardonnay is elegant enough to pair with delicate foods and delicious enough to drink by itself after a long day.

DeSante “The Old Vines” White Field Blend, Napa Valley 80

This is my favorite white right now, and I think it's an amazing story. I would suggest drinking this pool side out of the bottle. -PK

Most vineyards in Napa Valley are neat rows of trellised vines. Not this one. This is a meandering time capsule of a vineyard. And the wine that it creates is truly unusual.

“Beyond organic,” this collection of head-trained heritage grape varieties has been dry-farmed without conventional agrichemicals of any type since the mid-1940's. The only fertilizers applied are dried sea kelp. The only fungicides are made from lavender soap, olive oil and garlic extracts.

The youngest vines are 70+ years old with many of the vines exceeding 90 years of age. The varieties include Green Hungarian, Semillon, Sauvignon Vert, Golden Chasselas, Pinot Blanc and others. All of the vines are either planted to the St. George rootstock or on their original vinifera roots. Yields are approximately 1 ton / acre or 16 hL/hectare in a productive year.

This intriguing white field blend has exotic aromas of apple tarte tatin and star anise. The palate is round, full and bright – a delicious combination of traits. Roasted pear and succulent green gage plum buoy the deeper honeycomb-like waxy traits that arise on the finish.

Bottled unfinned and unfiltered with yeast lees retained in the bottle for complexity, this wine is unlike anything else produced in California. What an unusual wine – a real rarity.

SPARKLING // ROSÉ

Bellafina Pink Moscato, Veneto, Italy 25

Frizzante. Bellafina is a toast to Italian lifestyle. Produced in a lightly sparkling (Frizzante) and easy drinking style, the Bellafina wines are a perfect accompaniment to any cuisine, celebration or occasion. The name “Bellafina” is a union between two Italian words – bella/beautiful and fina/delicate. Pale rose color, notes of red berries, but especially strawberry and raspberry.

Cielo Prosecco, Italy 28

Sparkling. A crisp, fruity sparkling wine with aromas and flavors of apple & peach. But the question comes in... how sweet is it? This Prosecco is much drier than the leading blue-label brand. And we think that's a good thing! With the wine being drier, there's a bit more alcohol (which isn't that bad either) instead of added sugar and flavorings, so the true flavors of the grape can shine though.

L’Avoiron Rose of Gamay Noir, Columbia Valley, Washington 39

Still. Super pretty in the glass, a rose-tinged, pale copper hue. The primary aromatics are quite elegant with white floral tones, white peach skin, and secondary notes of pale strawberry and watermelon flesh close to the rind. The wine has excellent length and balance, near perfect acid/alcohol/ weight, and structure. Hints of strawberries, crushed flowers, and chalky minerality.

Red Car Rose of Pinot Noir, Sonoma Coast 46

Still. Harvested at a cool 21° Brix and immediately whole cluster pressed, crafted in true vin gris style, fermented like a white wine without skin or seed contact. This enticingly aromatic wine is bone dry, delicate in structure, with racy acidity, and 12.9% alcohol. Red Car blended two cool-climate appellations: Sonoma Coast (38%) and Mendocino Ridge (62%) for an intense, acid-driven wine.

Turbulent Sparkling Gamay Rosé, France 53

A house favorite! Fun, fresh, and fruity sparkling rosé, and deliciously drinkable at just 9% ABV. Made from Gamay using the traditional method in Côte Roannaise near Beaujolais, the nose is immediate and inviting with aromas of rose petals, cinnamon, strawberry tart, and apple strudel. A touch of sugar on the palate gives the wine some weight and body, balanced by refreshingly high acidity.

Camille Saves Premier Cru Champagne, A Bouzy, France 75

This is a game changer of a Champagne. 70% Pinot Noir 30% Chardonnay and all from 1er Cru villages. This is a doughy, plump, deeply apple fruited wine tucked in pie crust. Just so giving and generous. The Saves family has lived in Bouzy since 1894. No herbicides or pesticides are used here and winemaking is meticulous. You can taste the results.

Vazart Coquart & Fils Champagne, Chouilly, France 75

The Cuvee Brut Reserve is made only from Chardonnay: this is a “Blanc de Blancs. This is a blend of several years, whose 25% are from a perpetual reserve implemented by Jacques Vazart in 1982. It delivers aromas of lemon, chalk, grapefruit and acacia, giving a fruity and delicate floral and mineral balance. Basically, you're getting a lot of wine here for the money.