

White Wines

Rosé

Domaine Joncier, Lirac France (organic) 2013 44.00

This wine is produced by Marine Roussel and she has achieved organic and biodynamic certification. A blend of Cinsault and Grenache with a delightful mild strawberry taste and a refreshing underlay of minerality. Delicious.

Château Beaulieu, Coteaux d'Aix-en-Provence, France 2018 44.00

The rosé is brilliantly clear salmon pink in colour. Abound with redcurrant and wild strawberry perfumes that develop into juicy white peach and pear notes. On the palate, fresh acidity is balanced beautifully with the alcohol and gives an elegant mouth feel and refreshing length.

Light and crisp

Simone Joseph, Chardonnay, Montpellier, France 2018 30.00

This un-oaked Chardonnay is medium-bodied with aromas of honey, white flowers citrus fruit and is deliciously fresh.

Domaine Felines Jourdan, Picpoul de Pinet, Languedoc, France 2017/18 36.00

Spicy and floral nose, distinctive with echoes of gunflint, fennel, oyster shell, pebbles and a hint of honey. Unbeatable match with shellfish, grilled fish and asparagus. Stunning.

Pinot Grigio, Cantina San Simone, Friuli Venezia-Giulia, Italy 2018 34.00

Delicious crisp acidity with lime and pear flavours. The fruit intensity balanced with freshness make this an outstanding example of Friuli.

Cantina Mesa, Mesa 'Primo Bianco' Vermentino de Sardegna, Sardinia, Italy 2016 41.00

Clear pale straw in colour. Intense and delicate bouquet with emphatic fragrances of citrus and bergamot, floral essences of roses and pungent rosemary. The palate is crisp, dry and savoury with a lovely delicacy and a finesse that continues throughout the long finish.

Albarino, Bodega Castro Martin, Valle de Salnés, Rias Baixas, Spain 2015/16 42.00

This wine is sleek, racy and thrilling to drink. This Albarino comes from northwest Spain and is zippy, delicious and so easy to drink.

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Vinum, Famille Duffour, Colombar/Gros Manseng, Côtes de Gascogne, France 2018 30.00

Bright pale yellow with green glints. Very aromatic with citrus notes. On the palate the wine is crisp with bright fruit flavours, good weight and a lasting, clean aromatic finish.

Duque de Viseu, Dao Branco, Carvalhais, Portugal 2016 36.00

This Portuguese wine shows elegant and intense aromas of fresh citrus and stone fruits and some minerality, which gives it great freshness and complexity. The palate is elegant and balanced, with fresh fruit flavours and crisp acidity lasting for a long time on the finish.

Dry and smooth

Domaine de Bel Air, Pouilly-Fumé, Loire, France 2018 52.00

The nose is clean with crisp citrus fruit notes and subtle white flowers. The firm, mineral palate has excellent balance of fine, almost salty acidity with intense lemon, flint and pear flavours and a long finish.

Domaine des Brosses, Sancerre, Loire, France 2017/18 55.00

A fresh, citrus palate with herbaceous notes of hay and nettle. Richly textured but crisp acidity and textbook minerality. This finish is elegant with the typical purity and refreshment of excellent Sancerre.

Château de Chainré, Pouilly-Fuissé, Burgundy, France 2018 72.00

Bright gold in colour with aromas of ripe, tropical fruit and notes of brioches. The palate is smooth and balanced with hints of fresh pear and lemon.

Montagny, Bouchard Père & Fils, Premier Cru, Cote-D'Or, France 2014/17 48.00

Delicate aromas of fruit and honey. Lively and aromatic on the palate, the wine reveals an appealing personality.

Pieropan, Soave Classico, Veneto, Italy 2016/17 48.00

A fresh and expressive Soave with classic white flower, almond blossom and a touch of citrus. Rounded, ripe fruit is perfectly balanced by a fresh, clean acidity. Long and fragrant. It has a note of almond pastry on the finish.

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Dr. Loosen, Riesling, Mosel-Saar-Ruwer, Germany 2016 36.50

Floral nose and palate with just the right harmony of fruit and acidity. Great finish.

Gasper, Chardonnay/Rebula, Goriška Bdra, Slovenia 2015/16 39.00

Light straw in colour, this is a fresh and fruity wine that displays hints of peach and citrus. A vibrant acidity and lovely roundness, from 5% of the wine being fermented in oak, combine on the palate in a compelling Slovenian blend.

Greywacke, Sauvignon Blanc, Marlborough, New Zealand 2018 55.00

Made by legendary winemaker Kevin Judd of Cloudy Bay fame, this is a really great Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc.

Greywacke, Wild Sauvignon, Marlborough, New Zealand 2013/15 56.50

This is an alternative of the Sauvignon Blanc that is both intricate and textural. Grapes were lightly pressed and the juice was allowed to undergo spontaneous indigenous yeast fermentation in French oak barriques. A fusion of homemade apricot jam and lime marmalade is layered with dried tarragon and a doughy, flinty complexity. Succulent fruit, pithy citrus rind and minerality on the palate.

Ripe and full

Jean-Claude Boisset, Bourgogne Chardonnay 'Les Ursalines', France 2014 59.00

A fresh bouquet with notes of citrus, pear, blossom, honey dew melon and white peach. This palate is well balanced, with good acidity and a silky texture.

Viognier de Rosine, M & S Ogier D'Ampuis, Northern Rhone, France 2015/17 53.00

A beautiful, restrained version of this wonderful individual grape variety. Medium-bodied with dramatic aromas of pineapple, apricot and citrus fruits. Wonderful refreshing acidity and it's great drunk on it's own or with roast Ballyvolane saddleback pork.

Roussanne, Domaine de Sainte Rose, Languedoc, France 2011 49.00

This grape variety is not as celebrated as it should be. Rich and complex with a luxuriously smooth palate and enormous length. This Roussanne is outstanding.

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Domaine Bergerie de L'Hortus, Val de Montferrand, Languedoc, France 2019 44.00

Chardonnay, Viognier and Sauvignon Blanc combine to produce something quite magical. There is ripe fruit coming through from the Chardonnay, a crisp backbone of acidity from the Sauvignon and a peachy delicacy from the notoriously difficult Viognier. Vegan friendly.

Grüner Veltliner, Kabinett, Karl Steininger, Kamptal Valley, Austria 2017/18 41.00

Distinctive minerality and freshness coupled with effusive aromas of candied citrus, honeydew melon and sweet herbs. Extra lees contact yields an unusually rich, smooth texture.

Gasper, Malvazija, Goriška Brda, Slovenia 2015 46.00

The Malvasija is the same grape variety as Malvasia Istriana, native to the Croatian and Slovenian coastal areas that used to belong to Italy. Intense aromas of tropical fruit and ground almonds give way to floral notes of acacia. Fruity and pleasantly soft on the palate, with distinct almond flavours that continue on the finish. Unique, taut and zesty but also slightly honeyed in character. Stunning.

Madfish Underwooded Chardonnay, Denmark, Western Australia 2010 39.00

Freshly cut pears, green apples, honeydew melons, unadulterated pure Chardonnay – lively, lingering, dry finish.

Ridge Chardonnay, Santa Cruz Mountains, California, USA 2013/16 88.00

Classic and stylish cool-climate Californian Chardonnay. Plenty of rich, deep, sweet fruit flavours balanced by firm zesty acidity and a good layer of American oak. Stunning.

Half Bottles

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Dr. Loosen, Riesling, Mosel-Saar-Ruwer, Germany 2016 19.50

Floral nose and palate with just the right harmony of fruit and acidity. Great finish.

Sweet/Pudding Wines

The Royal Tokaji Wine Company,

Royal Tokaji Aszu 5 Puttonyos, Mád, Hungary (500mls) 2004 85.00

Lovely complexity, showing orange, smoke & black tea notes, matched to a light lovely structure. Well balanced, with lingering accents of caramel & marmalade.

Beerenauslese, Kracher, Neusiedlerse, Austria (375mls) 2007/17 54.00

An equal blend of Chardonnay and Welschriesling. The grapes must be frozen at the time of harvest and they are pressed in their frozen state. Frost causes water to crystallize in the berries thus naturally concentrating the juice. It is quite mind-blowing.

Elysium Black Muscat, Andrew Quady Winery, CA, USA (375mls) 2009 30.00

Provocative rose & lychee aroma of Elysium resonate from the Black Muscat grape variety. Excellent with chocolate.

Essencia Orange Muscat, Andrew Quady Winery, CA, USA (375mls) 2008/9 30.00

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Chateau Roumieu, Haut Barsac, Sauternes, Bordeaux, France (375mls) 2006 48.50

Beautiful mix of flavours of honey, peach, spice and ginger with a long lasting finish.

Cyprès de Climens, Barsac, Sauternes, Bordeaux, France (375mls) 2014 48.50

Yellow-gold colour, quite light. Nose has some peach, a hint of botrytis. Very light and thin wine with a slight bitter finish.

Vin Doux Naturel Rasteau, Domaine Beurenard (500mls) 2003 63.00

An excellent Banyuls style wine: rich and intense with ripe fruity flavours with subtle sweetness and perfect balance of spicy fruit.

Rare Apple Ice Wine, Killahora Orchards, Cork, Ireland (375mls) 2017 43.50

Starts with an explosion of candy floss aroma and with toffee apple flavours before the green apple acidity peers through. Soft tannins, leaving a hint of dryness on the tongue as the freshness of the apple and hints of caramel fade into the background.

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Champagne/Sparkling Wine

Forget-Brimont, Brut, Premier Cru, Champagne, France NV 65.00

Champagne Forget-Brimont is a small producer of Champagne located in Craon de Ludes. 6th generation Champenoise Michel Forget is the current owner/winemaker. It is a pretty wine laced with expressive notes of citrus, lemon, white peaches and flowers. Beautifully balanced with plenty of Chardonnay character.

Charles Heidsieck, Brut Réserve, Rheims, Champagne, France NV 98.00

One of the most balanced, delicious Champagnes with wonderful depth and length. Mid-palate has nice depth with nutty, biscuity flavours.

Nyetimber, Classic Cuvée, West Sussex, UK NV 98.00

Lovely pale gold and gentle, fine bubbles. Toasty, spicy and complex aromas showing wonderful development after more than three years on lees. Honey, almond, pastry and baked apple flavours. Very fine and elegant with a great combination of intensity, delicacy and length.

Botter Prosecco DOC Spumante, Veneto, Italy NV 39.50

Typical crisp and delicate perlage - tiny, refined bubbles! Pale light yellow colour, delicate and fragrant bouquet, with fruity notes of banana and apple and notes of acacia flowers. Fresh and light on the palate, with balanced acidity and body; harmonic with a pleasant dry aftertaste.

Stonewell Esterre Sparkling Prestige, Novohal, Co. Cork, Ireland NV 36.50

Made exclusively from the Elstar apple varietal grown in the counties of Tipperary and Waterford. Effervescent cider with reflections of a sparkling wine. Crisp on the palate with citrus notes and a very smooth finish. Esterre is from the makers of Stonewell Irish cider in Co. Cork.

Half Forget-Brimont, Brut, Premier Cru, Champagne, France (375mls) NV 42.50

Wines available by the glass

White

Simone Joseph, Chardonnay, Montpellier, France	Glass 2018	175mls 8.00
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Vinum, Famille Duffour, Colombard/Gros Manseng, Côtes de Gascogne, France	2018	8.00
Bright pale yellow with green glints. Very aromatic with citrus notes. On the palate the wine is crisp with bright fruit flavours, good weight and a lasting, clean aromatic finish.		

Red

Sangiovese Di Puglia, San Giorgio, Italy	2018	8.00
A well-made fruity red from southern Italy with ripe cherry aromas. Very smooth plum and strawberry flavours. Lovely silky tannins.		
Candidato, Tempranillo, Vino de la Tierra de Castilla, Spain	2017	8.00
Rich, full-bodied and seductive. Cherry red in colour with fruity and spicy aromas. 100% Tempranillo grapes aged for three years in American oak barrels. A good rounded character and smooth finish.		

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