

## SIX REDS

- **2007 Château Gigault Cuvee Viva** (\$12)  
85% Merlot, 15% Cabernet Sauvignon  
Côtes de Blaye  
The Cuvee Viva is lush, seductive, ripe, dark and full-bodied - scented with black olive and dried herbs, notes of coffee and cacao; silky soft with an iron and mineral finish. 2007 was a cooler vintage, but the wine is tasting great right now. Buy a case and get the box. 13% by volume  
**Was \$25 now \$12**
  
- **2012 Gifford Hirlinger Stateline Red** (\$15)  
49% Merlot, 43% Cabernet Sauvignon, 8% Malbec  
Estate Grown from Walla Walla, the Stateline Red "jumps out of the glass with tones of ripe cherry, cassis, and even a touch of raspberry. The mouth continues with ripe red fruits, notes ripe plum, and a hint of toasted oak. The tannins are young and firm, and the acidity is lively." A great deal in Washington wine.
  
- **2010 Colterenzio Lagrein** (\$10)  
A smooth and supple dark fruity red wine from the Alto Adige. Easy to drink and great with food.  
**Was \$15 now \$10**
  
- **2012 Torre D'orti Ripasso** (\$15)  
Corvina, Molinara, Rondinella  
60% of the grapes for this fantastic ripasso style are freshly pressed and 40% were kept until December, making them passito style and then crushed. Rich on the nose with plenty of fruit. On the palate it has a good dense character with bags of length on the finish.  
**Was \$22 now \$15**
  
- **2011 Aubai Mema L'Insoumise** (\$12)  
Old Vine Carignan  
L'Insoumise in the French feminine form means: the rebel, the indomitable one. The carignan comes from 60-year-old vines and has a soft velvety texture with floral notes and spicy flavors.  
**Was \$16 now \$12**
  
- **2011 Menhir Quota 31** (\$13)  
Primativo  
An oaked Primativo from Sicily. The wine is dark and smooth and rich with flavors of blackberry, Kirsch, cassis, chocolate, a hint of tar, a little leather, caramel, stewed raspberry, and baked figs.

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- **2012 Domaine Tabordet Pouilly Fumé** (\$14)  
Sauvignon Blanc  
From a small family farm, this Fumé has good fruit and flinty, mineral notes. 13% by volume  
**Was \$22 now \$14**
  
- **2013 Statti Lamezia** (\$14)  
Gagliopo, Grecco Nero, and Nerello Cappuccio  
A light and fruity red from the toe of the boot. Black cherry, cocoa, tobacco, plum and spice notes are structured with excellent integration of the fruit, tannins and acidity. 13% by volume
  
- **2013 Château Virgile Costières-de-Nîmes Rosé** (\$10)  
90% Grenache, 10% Syrah  
Chateau Virgile is a family-owned domaine in the Costières de Nîmes (which starting in 2004, is now part of the Cotes du Rhone). The grapes are harvested overnight and then fermented in stainless steel tanks. That brings out bright, refreshing, crisp fruit flavors of strawberry, cherry and raspberry. Organic  
**Was \$13, Now \$10**
  
- **2014 La Motte Savignon Blanc** (\$13)  
92% Sauvignon Blanc, 8% Semillion  
La Motte is located in Franschhoek but pulls grapes for this blend from several of South Africa's wine growing regions. The touch of Semillon gives a nod to Bordeaux. The wine has crisp, herbaceous, citrus aromas, along with gooseberry and Granny Smith apple notes and steely finish. 12.5% by volume
  
- **2013 il Palagione Hydra** (\$13)  
Vernaccia  
San Gimignano  
Notes of citrus, particularly oranges and grapefruit, balanced with acacia and green apples and pears. Mineral notes with almonds on the finish. Organic  
13% by volume
  
- **2011 Herdade do Esporão Arco de Esporão Branco** (\$11)  
Antão Vaz, Roupeiro, Viosinho  
Esporão is one of the major wineries of the Alentejo making wines in a wide range of styles. The Arco Branco, made from 3 indigenous varieties, is fresh and elegant aromas with notes of lime and grapefruit, with rich and intense flavors on a crisp palate, and a persistent finish.

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- **2012 Valdecampaña Ribera del Duero Crainza** (\$15)  
Tempranillo  
A dark and chewy Tempranillo with notes of blackberry, tabacco and roasted vanilla bean.
  
- **2011 Lionello Marchese Chianti Superiore** (\$11)  
85% Sangiovese, 8% Merlot, 7% Cabernet Sauvignon  
A fresh tank made Chianti, with fresh cherry flavors, black tea notes and a dry finish.
  
- **2013 Dumarcher Vent du Sud** (\$13)  
60% Grenache, 40% Syrah  
From Ardeche (in the north of the Southern Rhone or the South of the Northern Rhone), the Dumarcher melds a meaty Crozes-Hermitage with a chewy, rustic Gigondas. "The wine's Syrah component dominates with notes of meat, game, violets and wintergreen. Spicy and fleshy on the palate, the Grenache's kirsch notes fuse with the gamy, tarry and floral notes from the Syrah. Hints of chocolate, leather, tobacco and licorice appear on the wine's long, savory finish."
  
- **2012 Baron Edmond de Rothschild Puntas de Flechas** (\$10)  
Malbec  
Flechas de los Andes' little Malbec has a "Lovely focus of red and black fruits on the nose with lifted floral notes with excellent precision on the palate, sweet, velvety, rich fruit with underlying savory leather hints and minerality keeping everything fresh."
  
- **2012 Kiona, Red Mountain Lemberger** (\$12)  
Kiona planted Lemberger on Red Mountain with its first plantings in 1975. 40 years later amidst all the hype and soaring prices for Red Mountain fruit, Kiona is still putting out this old vine, delicious stand by for just \$12. Rich and juicy with lots of blackberry, black pepper and a touch of earthiness.
  
- **2012 Cherubino Valsangiacomo, Bobal de Sanjuan** (\$12)  
Utiel Requena is a growing zone located within the province of Valencia where Bobal is the major native grape. The Cherubino comes from 60 to 80-year-old vines, and is aged four months in concrete, leaving just the fruit to show through. It shows blueberry and sweet and sour cherry fruit intermixed with notions of chalk and strawberries.

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