

- **2011 Il Conventino Vino Nobile de Montepulciano** (\$30)  
80% Sangiovese, 15% Colorino, Canaiolo, and Mammolo  
A quality Nobile this wine has a refined bouquet of violet, iris and baking spices. The palate delivers a core of dark cherry and raspberry flavors with white pepper and a hint of herbs. It's elegant, with a bright, silky palate and nice length. Organic  
13% alcohol by volume
  
- **Organic 2011 Domaine Grand Veneur Lirac Clos de Sixte** (\$30)  
50% Grenache Noir, 35% Syrah, 15% Mourvèdre  
The vineyards of Lirac face those of Châteauneuf du Pape on the opposite side of the Rhône river, with similar soil on sides. Owned and farmed by Alain Jaume, the Clos de Sixte vineyard uses certified organic practices. On the nose, aromas of red and black ripe fruit (kirsch and wild Blackberry) are dominant. The mouth is full, with aromas of blackcurrant liquor and spice. Tannins are both harmonious and elegant thanks to the fleshy of the wine. The end display hints of licorice and vanilla, which give to the wine length and complexity.
  
- **2013 Locus Keller Vineyard Syrah** (\$35)  
From a cooler vineyard in Naches Heights, the Keller Syrah has good balance between its bright cherry fruit, its lively aromatics and spicy finish.

## April Saturday Night Selections