

SATURDAY NIGHT SELECTIONS

- **2014 Château les Barraillots Margaux** \$34
55% Cabernet Sauvignon, 30% Merlot, 15% Franc & Petit Verdot
From a family owned Estate, this has all of the classic notes of Margaux. It's elegant and pretty with high toned floral notes that dance over the top of the main body of dark cherries, spice and tobacco.
12% alcohol by volume

- **2016 Ogier Vacqueryas** \$26
80% Grenache, 15% Syrah, 5% Mourvèdre
A muscular Rhone that stays close to the source. Subtle flavors of thyme and rosemary (Provençal herbs) on a woody aromatic background with discreet notes of violet and black cherry. Full-bodied, well-balanced with spices and fresh fruits finishing with very elegant tannins.

- **2013 Vinosia Taurasi Santandrea** \$40
Aglianico
Taurasi is the Barolo fo Campagna. This Aglianico has very deep black and red fruits with hints of blackberries, plums, and cured olives; good acidity, ample smooth tannins and a long finish reminiscent of black cherries, tea, spices, figs, and plums.

- **2015 Château La Canorgue Luberon** \$20
60% Syrah, 30% Grenache, 10% old-vine Carignan and Mourvedre
A top organic and biodynamic estate in the heart of the Luberon region of France, Château la Canorgue produces both reds and whites. This red is initially quite powerful but over time opens and softens in the glass. Full of beautiful dark, spicy fruit, with aromas of thyme, rosemary, lavender, olive, and black pepper.
Organic & Biodynamic

- **2015 Pelissero Langhe Nebbiolo** \$23
A very serious wine at this level, as it has considerable tannic clout underpinning the fruit. Lifted aromatics, finely sculpted red fruits and firm tannins are front and center. Deceptively understated, the 2015 Langhe Nebbiolo packs a good bit of energy and intensity into its mid-weight frame. The Langhe Nebbiolo is a tank of Vie Erte Barbaresco juice given a shorter aging time of five months in tank and five months in cask.

- **2010 Mahi Pinot Noir** \$20
Slightly wild aromas of cherry, raspberry and strawberry. On the palate, there's a lovely light touch to the pungent red berry, mint and mineral elements: like a good Burgundy, this pinot offers intensity of flavor without undue weight. And its energetic finish stimulates the taste buds. **Was \$30 now \$20**

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