

SIX REDS

- **2016 Le Pianate Un Paio** \$15
50% Sagaratino, 30% Sangiovese, 20% Merlot
An Umbrian Red blend with lots of Sagratino. The Un Paio opens with a good bit of funk, but give it a minute or decant it and it opens up into a big muscular but smooth red. Organic. 13.5% alcohol by volume
Was \$17 now \$15

- **2015 Vavaglione 12 e Messo** \$12
Negroamaro
This Puglian red has a rich, red fruits bouquet. On the palate, persistent notes of vanilla enhance its velvety and soft flavor. 12.5% alcohol by volume

- **2015 Laura Hartwig Single Vineyard** \$15
95% Cabernet Sauvignon, 5% Petit Verdot
Colchagua Valley, Chile
Red fruit and cassis, elegant spicy notes, accompanied by tobacco and dark chocolate. The palate is elegant and complex with an enveloping, silky and persistent structure, with balanced acidity. **Was \$20 now \$15**

- **2015 Cecchi Storia di Famiglia Chianti Classico** \$15
90% Sangiovese, 5% Cabernet Sauvignon, 5% Colorino
Aroma of raspberry, ripe red and black cherry, leather and spice. Tart and juicy berry fruit leads the way when tasting this medium-bodied wine. The leather and spice notes from the nose make an appearance as well. Slightly chewy tannins lead into the dry and very long lasting finish where touches of tobacco and vanilla linger under all the tart fruit.

- **2018 Baracchi O' Lillo!** \$15
25% Merlot, 25% Sangiovese, 25% Cabernet Sauvignon, 25% Syrah
Toscana
Fruity nose of cherry and blackcurrant. Pleasant and light notes of black pepper, tobacco and forest floor. Easy to drink, fresh, full body and soft tannins. Fruity aftertaste. A very fresh and drinkable blend of Sangiovese, Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot and Syrah. The grapes are vinified separately in stainless steel vats to preserve all their fruity notes and drinkability. Their union gives different characteristics to the final wine.
Was \$20 now \$15

- **2017 Château de Costis Bordeaux Rouge** \$11
55% Merlot, 25% Cabernet Franc, 20% Cabernet Sauvignon
Fine, dusty tannins give this wine a warm feel. Its rich structure is matched by the ripe blackberry fruits and given a lift by acidity. 13% alcohol by volume

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SIX WHITES

- **2017 La Battistina Gavi** **\$15**
100% Estate Grown Cortese
Lively straw color with slight greenish tint. Rich pear and peach flavors complimented by ziny acidity. Well-balanced with weight on the palate and a nutty finish. 12.5% alcohol by volume

- **2017 Livon Pinot Grigio** **\$15**
Collio
Grown in the Collio area, near the Italian- Slovenian border, The Livon has a fragrant bouquet recalling vanilla and lime flowers. On the palate it is strong with a long finish. 12.5% alcohol by volume

- **2019 Château de Costis Bordeaux Blanc** **\$11**
100% Sauvignon Blanc
This is a zesty staple everyday wine for gulping with gusto through the Fall!. It has a bright nose, with citrus aromas, typical for the Sauvignon Blanc varietal. Well-balanced on the palate with a lot of freshness.

- **2019 Scala Ciro Bianco** **\$15**
Greco Bianco
An organic, southern Italian white. The aromatics are exotic and entrancing: a combination of floral, tropical fruit, and a mineral quality that resists description (bicycle tire?) Medium-bodied with fine acidity woven into the finish. Organic. 12% alcohol by volume

- **2018 Colle Stefano Verdicchio di Metalica** **\$15**
A Marche white that has nothing to do with Heavy Metal and all about crisp acidity and minerality. Apricots, peaches, minerals, mint, almonds and flowers all make an appearance in this captivating wine. Organic. 12% alcohol by volume

- **2019 De Stefano Sauvignon Blanc** **\$10**
A grassy Washington Sauv Blanc with notes of warm pineapple and white peach fruits, flint and stone, lime peel and hints of white pepper, finishing with lemon zest. 12.6% alcohol by volume. **Was \$15 now \$10**

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SIX MORE REDS

- ☐ **2016 Saint-Jacques de Siran Bordeaux Supérieur** \$15
Château Siran dates back to 1428. At one point in time, it was owned the grandparents of the famous French painter, Toulouse Lautrec. Their Saint-Jacques cuvée is sourced from a plot adjacent to their Margaux holdings, but outside that appellation and hence much more affordable. This wine is smooth, rich, and beautifully structured.
- ☐ **2014 Vina Cerrada Rioja Crianza** \$12
95% Tempranillo, 5% Graciano
CrianzaA good introduction to Rioja, the Cerrada Crianza has attractive varietal aromas of red berries, fresh strawberry leaf and some hints of spice. It is rounded and soft in the mouth, with a medium bodied palate stacked with crunchy red berry and hedgerow fruit leading into an elegantly smooth, caressing finish.
Was \$15 now \$12
- ☐ **2016 Domaine de Mayol Luberon Rouge** \$14
Syrah, Grenache, Old-vine Carrignan
Set slightly apart from the Rhône Valley, the Luberon region enjoys a mild mediterranean climate. This red Luberon is smooth and fruity on the palate, hints of ripe berries, such as strawberries and blackberries. The complexity and the power of Syrah and Grenache add a sensual texture and good length.
- ☐ **2019 Xiloca Garnacha** \$12
D.O. Calatayud
Intense blackberry color and aroma are captivating. Freshness and integrated tannins invite a second sip. The intensity continues in a mouth filling palate and a lingering fruit/mineral finish.
- ☐ **2018 Franck Decrenisse Coteaux du Lyonnais** \$15
Gamay
Fruity, savory and expressive wines from Gamay vines that are over 60-years-old. Bright youthful aromas of red berries such a cherry and fruit compote continue on the palate with quite some depth.
13% alcohol by volume
- ☐ **2017 Funckenhausen Malbec Blend** \$15
65% Malbec, 20% Bonarda, 15% Syrah
A juicy, intense, well balanced and vibrant wine. *Malbec: plums and berries, soft and silky tannins, roundness – elegant! *Bonarda: color, red fruit, structure and volume - juicy! *Syrah: mint and spices, good acidity fresh finish – turns the blend more alive!

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SIX PINKS

- ☐ **2019 Scala Ciro Rosato** \$15
Gaglioppo
A dry, yet fruity rosé, full of sun-dappled cherry and strawberry, with hints of damask rose and rain on hot terracotta emerging with aeration. On the palate it's smooth and succulent, offering medium-bodied red fruit flavors and a touch of white pepper. Organic
- ☐ **2019 Saint Nabor Cotes du Rhone Rosé Tradition** \$10
Grenache, Syrah, Carignan, Cinsault
The nose expresses small ripe red fruits, raspberries and blackberries dominate the aromas and flavors with a fresh intensity. The palate is rich with prune aromas and spicy flavors. Elegant and fresh acidity adds complexity giving this wine a very well-structured body.
- ☐ **2019 Domaine Gayda Flying Solo Rosé** \$10
50% Grenache, 50% Cinsault
The perfect wine to drink alone? Aromas of strawberries and cream. Summer fruits, fresh lively style with crisp acidity, creaminess and a well balanced finish. 12.5% alcohol by volume
- ☐ **2019 Lauribert Cuvée de Lisa** \$12
Grenache
Expressive nose of summer fruits (redcurrant, raspberry, strawberry). Harmonious in the mouth, fresh with a pleasant persistence and very long on the fruit aromas found in the nose. 13% alcohol by volume
- ☐ **2019 Blanville Solal Rosé** \$12
50% Grenache Gris, 50% Cinsault
This Languedoc rosé opens with soft aromas of white cherry, peach, cantaloupe and cranberry. The melony flavors continue through to the palate, while the finish offers a refreshing astringent citrus-pith flavor.
12% alcohol by volume
- ☐ **2019 Licence IV Rosé** \$20
80% Grenache and 20% Merlot.
The pale salmon hue belies a beckoning bouquet of pink grapefruit and strawberry blossoms. Classic flavors of tangy watermelon and all spice showcase delightful freshness. With a vivacity that features a racy acid profile, this rosé graces the palate with blood orange zest and saline minerality on the finish. ONE LITER

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FOUR BUBBLES

- **Charles Méras Blanc de Blancs Brut** \$12
Chardonnay
Broad and expressive with its white stone fruit and citrus aromas. Lively bubbles, with good balance of acidity and flavor. 12% alcohol by volume

- **Rive Della Chiesa Rosè Spumante** \$12
Merlot 50%, Pinot Noir 30%, Glera 20%
With a refined pink colour, its extremely elegant and persistent perlage emphasizes all the freshness of this sparkling wine. Optimum for carrying out the retro-nasal passage that leaves a retro-nasal taste pleasantly soft, fresh and fruity. 11% alcohol by volume

- **2019 Il Negrese Gutturino Frizzante** \$15
60% Barbera, 40% Bonarda
A Piedmont fizzy red, ruby red color with light garnet hues; fruity notes of plum and red fruits and jam, make up a classic and characteristic nose. The taste is sweet, enveloping and pleasant. Excellent persistence on the palate. 13% alcohol by volume

- **Townshend Cellars Brut** \$14
60% Chardonnay, 40% Pinot Noir
A finely balanced blend of Chardonnay and Pinot Noir from the best grapes of Washington State. Crafted in the traditional French Méthode Champenoise style with a minimum of 24 months spent “en Tirage”, Good local fizz. 12% alcohol by volume

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