

SPAIN

Bodega del Abad '06 "BIERZO" Los Bayos, Mencia. Aromatic and fruity with intense color & a velvety mouth-feel. **6⁹⁹**

Viña Clavador '08 "RUEDA" Verdejo, A crisp, Summer Sipper full of juicy citrus, green apple, and almond flavors. ~Thomas' Top Pick~ **9⁹⁵**

Wrongo Dongo '07 "JUMILLA" Monastrell, "87" Robert Parker From the makers of JUAN GIL, this crowd-pleaser serves up a healthy dose of blackberry, mineral, and cocoa. **6⁹⁹**

Viña Herminia '05 "RIOJA" Excelsus, This 50% Tempranillo and 50% Garnacha blend has clean and attractive aromas of cherry and blackberry. **15⁹⁵**

Abadia Retuerta Rivola '06 "SARDON DE DUERO" A blend of Tempranillo and Cabernet that works well together to produce delicious flavors of strawberries, raspberries and chocolate cherries. **11⁹⁵**

El Arte de Vivir '07 "RIBERA DEL DUERO" "91" Robert Parker Don't miss this **SESATIONAL VALUE** made of 100% Tempranillo with layers of fleshy fruit, excellent concentration and 1-2 years of aging potential. **13⁹⁵**

BORDEAUX

Chateau D'Aurilhac '05 "HAUT MEDOC" "90" Robert Parker, From Parker: "Deep, medium to full bodied with great richness, this wine has more in common with a classified growth than a cru bourgeois." **16⁹⁵**

Chateau Tour Seran '05 "MEDOC" "89-91" Robert Parker, From Parker: "This beautiful 2005 is one of the finest cuvees yet produced by this Northern Medoc estate." **25⁹⁵**

Chateau de Pressac '05 "ST. EMILION" "92" Wine Spectator, From Wine Spectator: "Full bodied with velvety tannins, a soft texture and loads of black licorice, berry and sweet tobacco character." **29⁹⁵**

AUSTRALIA

Robert Oatley '08 "Mudgee" Rose of Sangiovese, The New York Times recently reviewed this wine & revealed it as their **BEST UNDER \$20** Dry Rose in their blind tasting! **11⁹⁵**

Yalumba '08 "South Australia" Y SERIES, Viognier, "88" Wine Spectator, Recently featured as a "Best Value" in Wine Spectator, The wine shows bright citrus & floral notes with a crisp, refreshing finish. **8⁹⁹**

Marquis Philips '08 "Mc Laren Vale" Shiraz, This **CROWD FAVORITE** is back, mingling dense blackberry and mocha flavors with hints of cedar and vanilla. **ANOTHER WINNER!!!** **11⁹⁵**

ITALY

Sartori '07 "VENETO" Pinot Grigio, thirst quenching is the first thing that comes to mind. The taste is well balanced & impeccably fresh & fruity. **A DELIGHT!** **7⁹⁹**

La Mozza '07 "MORELINO DI SCANSANO" This is the third release of this project from Iron Chef, Mario Batali. Last vintage received 90 points from Wine Spectator, this new release is the **BEST TO DATE!** Get it before it disappears! **11⁹⁵**

Mormoraia '07 "CHIANTI COLLI SENESI" The perfect match for rustic Tuscan food. Cherries and strawberry flavors with a distinctive, earthy finish. **11⁹⁵**

Arceno '05 "TOSCANA" Prima Voce, Named for the leading voice in an opera, this Tuscan blend expresses the richness of the Terroir. A seamless blend of Merlot, Cabernet and Cab Franc. **14⁹⁵**

Agostina Pieri '07 "ROSSO DI MONTALCINO" "91" Robert Parker From the Wine Advocate: "Silky, refined tannins frame the long, sensual finish as the wine continues to gain richness in the glass." **18⁹⁵**

Tornesi '07 "ROSSO DI MONTALCINO" This "Baby" Brunello is intense with ruby red fruits, violets and velvety tannins. **23⁹⁵**

FRANCE

Chateau Saint Pierre '08 "COTES DE PROVENCE" Rose Tradition, A blend of Grenache and Cinsault, this elegant dry Rose refreshes with hints of white peach, guava and orange zest. **Perfect for Picnics!** **11⁹⁵**

Moillard '07 "BOURGOGNE" Pinot Noir Tradition, **A GREAT FIND FROM BURGUNDY!** Classic scents of raspberry, rose petals & sandalwood. Who knew a \$15 Burgundy could be this good? **14⁹⁵**

Leon Barral '06 "FAUGERES" "92-93" Robert Parker, From the Wine Advocate: "Mostly Grenache and Carignan, it offers an essence of chocolate covered cherries dusted with grated nutmeg and tonka bean." Imported by Kermit Lynch. **15⁹⁵**

Roger Sabon '07 "CHATEAUNEUF DU PAPE" Cuvee Prestige "92-95" Robert Parker, From Parker: "... a lovely bouquet of crème de cassis, kirsch, licorice, smoke... Full, deep and exceptionally pure, it is a superb effort that should drink well for 20-25 years." **42⁹⁵**

Dom. de Saint Prefert '07 "CHATEAUNEUF DU PAPE" Auguste Favier "93-95" Robert Parker, From Parker: "...the wine is broad, full bodied, superb purity, good freshness, and stunning length and texture." **49⁹⁵**

CHILE

Casillero del Diablo '08 "MAIPO VALLEY" Sauvignon Blanc, Elegant, mouth-filling & round, yet balanced by a crisp acidity. Flavors of citrus, peaches & gooseberries. **7⁹⁹**

Montes Alpha '07 "COLCHAGUA VALLEY" Marchique Vineyard, Carmenère, "91" R. Parker "A saturated purple in color, it has superb aromatic array of spice, lavender, incense, smoke, and blueberry...it has excellent depth and grip to evolve for several years..." ~Kevin's Top Pick~ **15⁹⁵**

Cono Sur '08 "COLCHAGUA VALLEY" Carmenère, Very juicy with forward tasty flavors of plum, tobacco, blackberry and roasted vanilla. **6⁹⁹**

NEW ZEALAND

CHASING VENUS '08 "Marlborough" PINOT GRIS, Full of lime and kiwi flavors with a hint of honeyed banana. The kiss of sweetness is balanced by a crisp, mineral finish. **12⁹⁵**

MOUNT NELSON '08 "Marlborough" Sauvignon Blanc, This is Marchesi Antinori's property in New Zealand. His quest for quality is evident in this bottling. Intense flavors of lime, grapefruit and apple are balanced with a creaminess, crisp acidity and concentration. **12⁹⁵**

Omaka Springs '07 "Marlborough" Pinot Noir, **GREAT VALUE HERE!** Supple with very good depth to spicy black plum, wild berry & root beer flavors. **13⁹⁵**

August Wine-of-the-Month '09

JRE '07 "California" Zinfandel

Mr. John Robert Eppler's early days in the wine business included assistant wine making at ROBERT MONDAVI and ROSENBLUM CELLARS. It was at ROSENBLUM where he got the Zinfandel bug and he has not looked back since! His ability to make an affordable, delicious, flavorful wine highlights his experience and passion for the Zinfandel grape.

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CABERNET SAUVIGNON

TARRICA '06 "Paso Robles" Cabernet Sauvignon, A rich, complex nose of black cherry, plum, cedar & spice-cake nuance. Exceptional fruit with excellent tannins to match! Enjoy with a hard cheese plate. **8⁹⁹**

MARCO FIORI '06 "Napa Valley" Cabernet Sauvignon, This **DAZZLING CABERNET** has concentrated aromas of blackberry and sweet toasty vanilla. Berry and plum flavors are framed by sweet oak. Enjoy now or lay down for 3 years. **15⁹⁵**

BLACKSMITH '05 "Alexander Valley" Cabernet Sauvignon, Only in their sixth year, this producer is putting some **IMPRESSIVE** wines together while maintaining a fair price point. Intensely rich fruit with velvety tannins. **23⁹⁵**

TASTE every wine in this flyer marked with these "flip-flops." Saturday August 1st 11-4:00 pm **JUST \$10⁰⁰**

European Tasting (Spain, Italy & France) Saturday August 8th 11-4:30 pm **JUST \$10⁰⁰**

Southern Hemisphere Tasting (Chile, Argentina, New Zealand & Australia) Saturday August 15th 11-4:30 pm **JUST \$10⁰⁰**

California Reds & Whites Tasting Saturday August 22nd 11-4:30 pm **JUST \$10⁰⁰**

Zinfandel Tasting Saturday August 29th 11-4:30 pm **JUST \$10⁰⁰**

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NEW CHARDONNAY

MADDALENA '07 "Monterey" Chardonnay. Mouth pleasing flavors of guava and orange peel are complemented by creamy, spicy oak on the long finish.  **8⁹⁵**

FORT ROSS '06 "Sonoma Coast" Chardonnay. **WOW!** What a terrific deal we are bringing you with this tasty white! **It's \$27 everywhere else!** Delicious with its complex palate of full and succulent fruit. **WOW!**  **14⁹⁵**

ALYSIAN '07 "Russian River Valley" CRESTA RIDGE VINEYARD, Chardonnay. **Mr. Gary Farrell is back** in the winemaking business after selling his winery over 5 years ago, he has re-surfaced and is making this **OUTSTANDING**, rich and complex Chardonnay.  **29⁹⁵**

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STARRY NIGHT '07 "Russian River" Chardonnay. A very impressive Chardonnay that could easily sell for twice the price!! Flavors of apples, pears and vanilla with a creamy, toasty finish.  **12⁹⁵**


STARRY NIGHT '07 "Lodi" Zinfandel. Not your typical intensely extracted Zin. from Lodi. It shows jammy like fruit but retains good acidity to make it food friendly.  **11⁹⁵**


STARRY NIGHT '06 "Russian River" TOM FEENY RANCH, Zinfandel. This wine comes from five different vineyards that were planted between 1908 and 1946. You are not only tasting incredibly delicious Zin. flavors, you're tasting a bit of history. **~Matt's Top Pick~**  **19⁹⁵**


NEW PINOT NOIR

SAN SIMEON '07 "Monterey" Pinot Noir. Rich and fruit driven with ripe flavors of black cherry and raspberry with hints of oak and spice on the vibrant finish.  **13⁹⁵**

CÔTE D MÔR by **Tori Mor** '07 "Columbia Gorge" WHITE SALMON VNYD, Pinot Noir. Bright cherry fruit with mineral and forest floor on the finish. **Only 215 cases** of this boutique Washington State Pinot Noir were produced. **Get it while you can!** **~Mark's Top Pick~**  **14⁹⁵**

LAETITIA '07 "Arroyo Grande Valley" Estate Pinot Noir. **AN AMAZING VALUE AT UNDER \$20!** This winery's Estate Pinot is both elegant and rich with concentrated dark berry, violet, earth, & dark chocolate aromas.  **17⁹⁵**

MON TROIS '07 "Santa Lucia Highlands" Pinot Noir. We featured this label's Napa Valley Pinot bottling earlier in the year, now comes their Santa Lucia Highlands edition. Another **TERRIFIC VALUE** you should not pass up!  **14⁹⁵**

ANDREW RICH '06 "Willamette Valley" Pinot Noir. Aromas are bright and lifted with hints of violet and bright red berry, while the intense flavors are deep and satisfying.  **23⁹⁵**


NEW ZINFANDEL


MINASSIAN YOUNG


'07 "Paso Robles"
Estate Zinfandel


Another **FULL-THROTTLE EFFORT** from this outstanding Paso producer! Crème de cassis, chocolate covered cherries and toasty oak!



BIANCHI '06 "Paso Robles" ZEN RANCH, Zinfandel. Exactly what you want from a Paso Zin! Layers of cherry pie a la mode, cinnamon & milk chocolate. **WOW!**  **11⁹⁵**

RANCHO ZABACO '07 "Sonoma County" HERITAGE VINES, Zinfandel. The soft, plummy & jammy flavor and texture make this wine not only very approachable, but also versatile, allowing it to be paired with a wide range of food.  **10⁹⁵**

RANCHO ZABACO '07 "Dry Creek Valley" Reserve Zinfandel. The wine shows classic black pepper spice with impressive structure that carries to a full bodied finish.  **12⁹⁵**

TOBIN JAMES '07 "Paso Robles" BALLISTIC, Zinfandel. Tobin has done it again with another **BIG, RIPE, CROWD PLEASING ZIN!** Flavors of ripe Bing cherries, blackberry, with a hint of spice and pepper.  **12⁹⁵**

TRINITAS


'06 "Contra Costa County"
Old Vine Zinfandel


These historic "old vines" produce low yields with concentrated flavors. This Zinfandel displays bright red fruit, spice and hints of smoke on the finish.





CALIFORNIA REDS & WHITES


BLACKSMITH '08 "North Coast" Sauvignon Blanc. This is the winery's inaugural release of Sauv. Blanc & **THEY HAVE HIT IT OUT OF THE PARK!** Bright intense flavors with a crisp, smooth, textured finish.  **9⁹⁵**

JOHN ALAN '06 "Paso Robles" Meritage. A true Bordeaux blend from the Templeton Bench located just south of Paso Robles. Rich, expressive fruit that is well balanced and incredibly complex. **~Sharon's Top Pick~**  **19⁹⁵**

TRINITAS '06 "Contra Costa County" Old Vine Cuvée. A field blend of Zinfandel, Carignane and Mataro. Robust and aromatic with dark fruit and a complex finish.  **10⁹⁵**

HAWLEY '07 "Sonoma County" Viognier. **CERTIFIED ORGANIC** since 2006, this Sonoma Vineyard produces **A SPECTACULAR VIOGNIER!** Intense, tropical fruit mingle with honeysuckle, apricot and a balanced acidity.  **14⁹⁵**

3 JACKS '06 "Sonoma County" Merlot. A juicy, grapey mid-palate leads to lingering blackberry, black cherry and toast notes. Dangerously quaffable, **THIS IS A GREAT VALUE!**  **10⁹⁵**

INCOGNITO '05 "Lodi" Red. From the makers of EARTHQUAKE and 7 DEADLY ZINS comes this savory Rhone blend offering smoky blackberry, blueberry, and spice aromas with a smooth, round texture.  **10⁹⁵**

JUSTIN

'07 "Paso Robles"
Justification

Here you go **JUSTIN** fans, the new **JUSTIFICATION** release! 65% Cab Franc and 35% Merlot. **AS** always, very limited.

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'07 "Salman Vineyard"
Petite Sirah

One of the most richly decadent Petite Sirah's (or wines for that matter) produced. Inky purple with blueberry, boysenberry, milk chocolate and vanilla. Once it sells out, the waiting game begins again!

19⁹⁵

We warned you... Don't Miss Out!

BRICCO BUON NATALE

'05 "Santa Barbara"
Barbera

Perfect for Summer B-B-Q's, this **CROWD PLEASING RED** from the makers of AU BON CLIMAT offers pure red cherry and raspberry fruit and a refreshing finish.

 **10⁹⁵**

MURPHY'S LAW

'06 "Columbia Valley"
Red

YOU CAN'T GO WRONG with this delicious blend from the makers of OWEN ROE and O'REILLY'S. A blend of Merlot, Cab Franc & Malbec. A delicious wine, assuming the delivery truck doesn't break down ...

 **10⁹⁵**

CORVIDAE

'07 "Columbia Valley" THE KEEPER
Cabernet Franc

By the makers of OWEN ROE, this Cab Franc is plush and velvety with layers of blackberry, cassis, tea and tobacco. A definite **DON'T MISS.**

14⁹⁵

VIÑA COBOS FELINO

'08 "Mendoza"
Chardonnay

This is **PAUL HOBBS** value project in Argentina. Looking for that **BIG, FAT, RICH & CREAMY** Chardonnay?? Look no further!

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