

ITALY

Tiziano '06 "CHIANTI RISERVA" A Chianti Riserva at this price point (and this good) is almost unheard of! Give one a try with your next casual meal! **8⁹⁵**

Setti Ponti '08 "TOSCANA" Crognolo, '92 Wine Spectator, The follow-up to last year's 93 POINT, WINE SPECTATOR TOP 100 EFFORT! Earthy and well-structured with excellent fruit-tannin balance. **23⁹⁵**

Avignonesi '01 "VINO NOBILE DI MONTEPULCIANO" From Wine Advocate: "The wine offers up red cherries, flowers and spices all of which come together in the exotic, ripe style of the vintage." -Mark's Top Pick- **19⁹⁵**

Planeta '08 "CERASUOLO DI VITTORIA" Sicily A tasty blend of 60% Nero d'Avola and 40% Frappato. **15⁹⁵**

Masi '01 "ROSSO DI VERONESE" Campofiorin Rich and full-bodied with flavors of baked cherry, spice and vanilla. A benchmark bottling from a great vintage! **11⁹⁵**

Vignatta '06 "COLLI EUGANEI ROSSO" Venda, Don't miss this Super Tuscan-style blend from the Veneto! Big, bold and well-structured, it will be a perfect match with any full-flavored dishes. **8⁹⁵**

Scarpetta '09 "DELLE VENEZIE" Pinot Grigio, A project of Master Sommelier Bobby Stuckey (French Laundry, Little Nell). He has fashioned a tantalizing Pinot Grigio that is rich but lean and crisp enough to cut through pasta with a rich cream sauce. **12⁹⁵**

BORDEAUX

Clos Rene '05 "POMEROL" '90 Wine Spectator, From Wine Spectator: "Delivers complex aromas of tobacco, espresso bean and ripe, dark fruit." Hard to find Pomerols at this low price! **35⁹⁵**

Epicurea de Chateau Martinat '05 "COTES DE BOURG" '90 Robert Parker, An outstanding effort from the Cotes de Bourg. Big, smoky nose of charcoal, black cherries and spice. **24⁹⁵**

FREEMARK ABBEY

'01 "Napa Valley" Merlot

WOW! One of the better Merlots we have tasted under \$20 in some time! Big, rich, smooth and delicious. **18⁹⁵**

FRANCE

Domaine de la Batardiere '07 "SEVRE ET MAINE" Muscadet *What a value!* Crisp & refreshing, great with chilled shellfish. **8⁹⁵**

Meyer-Fonné '09 "ALSACE" Pinot Blanc, Vieilles Vignes, Flavors of ripe, golden apple, honey, apricot, and mineral. Imported by Kermit Lynch. **12⁹⁵**

The best value, one-two punch we've seen from France in quite some time!

La Vieille Ferme '09 "COTES DU LIBERON" Blanc Fresh and easy with notes of citrus, almond, and honeysuckle. Wine Spectator calls it a "textbook introduction to Southern Rhone Whites." **5⁹⁵**

La Vieille Ferme '09 "VENTOUX" Rouge, WOW-NEE! Just trust us and buy this by the case! **5⁹⁵**

BURGUNDY

Domaine Olivier Fichet '08 "MACON-VILLAGES, Burgundy Aromas of apple and honeysuckle with a highly satisfying finish featuring citrus peel and vanilla. **9⁹⁵**

Blain-Gagnard '01 "CHASSAGNE-MONTRACHET" Premier Cru Rouge Clean, elegant and perfumed, this Premier Cru Red is showing well now & is AN ABSOLUTE BURGUNDY BARGAIN! **26⁹⁵**

Jean Pierre & Michel Auvigue '01 "POUILLY-FUISSÉ" Solutré A fantastic Pouilly-Fuissé that clearly justifies the price! From one of Burgundy's better white vintages of the past decade. **21⁹⁵**

Domaine Pierre Matrot '01 "MEURSAULT" A beautiful Meursault that reveals a perfect tension between its pure, clean fruit and a wonderful acidity. Drink now or over the next 3-5 years. **29⁹⁵**

INCREDIBLE AUSSIE DEAL!

HEWITSON

'06 "McLaren Vale" THE MAD HATTER Shiraz
'90+ Robert Parker

Was \$38, we have it an incredible 65% OFF! The importer told us they are no longer in the Hewitson business. As a result, you reap the benefits of this terrific single vineyard Shiraz that is drinking beautifully right now! Don't pass this one up! **16⁹⁵**

SPAIN

MOLINO DE VIENTO '08 "Cariñena" Tempranillo, Yet another example of the incredible value presented by Spain's modern reds. **STOCK UP!** **4⁹⁵**

LANGA '07 "Calatayud" PASION, Garnacha Supple, savory and easy-going on the palate. It has good depth, succulent fruit & a flavorful finish. *What a value!* **5⁹⁵**

BODEGAS IZADI '05 "Rioja" Crianza, 100% Tempranillo from Rioja Alavesa. This traditional style Rioja combines rich black cherry fruit with aged characters of saddle leather and cigar box. -Kevin's Top Pick- **13⁹⁵**

CELLERS BARONIA DEL MONTSANT '06 "Montsant" Flor D'Englora Negra Jove '92 Wine Advocate, The Montsant appellation is turning out to be one of Spain's hotbeds for value reds! Smooth and elegant, the wine exhibits a deep purple color with notes of black fruit and mineral. **9⁹⁵**

October Wine-of-the-Month '10

SILVER

'05 "Santa Barbara" Syrah

Talk about a coincidence! The second month in a row we have featured a Wine of the Month with SILVER in the name and Syrah as the primary varietal. There is absolutely no relation between the two producers. The only thing they have in common is **OUTSTANDING VALUE!** This Syrah is rich and full of fruit.

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ZENAIDA CELLARS

ZENAIDA CELLARS '07 "Paso Robles" ZC Red A savory blend of Cab, Syrah and Petite Sirah. Plush and palate saturating without coming across as heavy or too fruity. *Good Stuff!* **12⁹⁵**

ZENAIDA CELLARS '07 "Paso Robles" Zinfandel Wonderfully done with plenty of raspberry and black currant fruit as well as a deep, seductive personality. **13⁹⁵**

ZENAIDA CELLARS '09 "Paso Robles" ZC White A flavorsome blend of Rousanne, Grenache Blanc and Marsanne. Medium-bodied white with a silky texture that is fresh and fragrant. **12⁹⁵**

Taste every wine in this flyer marked with this "witch hat." Saturday October 2nd 11-4:30pm **JUST \$10⁰⁰**

Cabernet Tasting

Saturday October 9th 11-4:30pm **JUST \$15⁰⁰**

Argentina Tasting

Saturday October 16th 11-4:30pm **JUST \$10⁰⁰**

"90" points & Higher Tasting (Nine Spectator and Robert Parker only) Saturday October 23rd 11-4:30pm **JUST \$15⁰⁰**

All California Tasting (Reds & Whites from our great state!) Saturday October 30th 11-4:30pm **JUST \$10⁰⁰**

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NEW CABERNET SAUVIGNON

LAYER CAKE '09 "California" Cabernet Sauvignon

Big, rich chocolate flavors with a creamy finish. 12⁹⁵

CHATEAU STE. MICHELLE '08 "Columbia Valley" INDIAN WELLS

Cabernet Sauvignon, "90" Wine Spectator, "Polished, round and generous offering a plush mouthful of blackberry, cherry and mint flavor that rides easily over fine tannins through a long and expressive finish." 12⁹⁵

LAIRD '07 "Napa Valley" JILLIANS BLEND Cabernet Sauvignon

"91" Wine Spectator, "Espresso, ripe dark berries and mocha are focused and tapered, full-bodied and complex." Cabernet, Syrah and Merlot. 24⁹⁵

LAIRD '07 "Napa Valley" Cabernet Sauvignon, A BEAUTY! Red fruit flavors are complemented by dark chocolate, cherry & a touch of leather. 31⁹⁵

FISTICUFFS '07 "Napa Valley" Cabernet Sauvignon, A project between the owner of HOURGLASS and the winemaker of GHOST BLOCK, two heavy weights in Napa Valley. Rich black cherry, spice and notes of chocolate on the long finish. 22⁹⁵

REGUSCI '07 "Stag's Leap District" Cabernet Sauvignon, One of the few remaining "ghost Wineries" the name given to Napa wineries that were in existence between 1860 and 1900. After all those years they certainly know how to put a fantastic Cabernet Sauvignon together! AWESOME! 38⁹⁵

JOSEPH PHELPS '06 "Napa Valley" Cabernet Sauvignon Full and chewy with savory blackcurrant and black cherry fruit, hints of herbs and earth. Pair with prime steak or stick it in the cellar for a few years. 35⁹⁵

CAYMUS '08 "Napa Valley" SPECIAL SELECTION, Cabernet Sauvignon New release September 2010. Very limited as usual. 99⁹⁵

BOGLE

'07 "California" Phantom

A perennial favorite, this blend of Petite Sirah, Old Vine Zinfandel and Old Vine Mourvedre serve up lush, dark fruit with backbone and complexity. ~Sharon's Top Pick~ 13⁹⁵

MORGAN

'07 "Monterey" Syrah

Cool climate Syrah offers dense, dark fruit flavors with peppery spice and balanced acidity. 13⁹⁵

NEW ARGENTINA

COLOME

'09 "Salta" Torrontes

Complex and graceful, this is a wonderful match for delicate fish and shellfish. 11⁹⁵

LA MADRID

'08 "Mendoza" Bonarda

Don't miss this up-and-coming varietal from Argentina. Pair this with meats on the grill. B-B-Q and BONARDA!! 12⁹⁵

ALTOCEDRO '07 "Mendoza" La Consulta, Gran Reserva, Malbec, "93" Wine Spectator, Very dark, but juicy and driven with a mouthwatering streak of briar and licorice. Only 250 cases made for the world and WE HAVE IT! 38⁹⁵

KSANA '07 "Mendoza" RESERVA, Malbec, The 2006 version of this wine was beautiful. This 2007 version is EVEN BETTER with its rich blackberry fruit and melted licorice flavors. ~Matt's Top Pick~ 26⁹⁵

TEMPUS ALBA '07 "Mendoza" Tempranillo, Tempranillo may be the red grape of Spain, but Argentina is showing some promising results from this varietal! Dark fruit flavors, a soft mid-palate and balanced tannins typical of this varietal. 11⁹⁵

TEMPUS ALBA '08 "Mendoza" Malbec, What a value this is! Intense plum and red fruit aromas with a hint of vanilla, chocolate and coffee. VERY TASTY! 11⁹⁵

NEW ZEALAND

BABICH

'08 "Hawkes Bay" Unoaked Chardonnay "90" Wine Spectator

ATTENTION ALL UNOAKED CHARDONNAY FANS- give this beauty a try! From Wine Spectator: "Supple, silky and refined, showing lovely pear and honey character." 9⁹⁵

THE CROSSINGS

'08 "Marlborough" Pinot Noir "88" Robert Parker

From the Wine Advocate: "A nose of blackberry, brambly fruit and a touch of blueberry. The palate has good balance, lively floral, red berries with a cherry tinged finish." 15⁹⁵

SOUTH AFRICA

NEIL ELLIS

'09 "South Africa" SINCERELY Sauvignon Blanc

A pure, crisp expression of Sauvignon Blanc. Lively and racy with tangy lime and thyme notes. 7⁹⁵

BOEKENHOUTSKLOOF

'09 "South Africa" The Wolftrap (Syrah, Mourvedre, Viognier)

Full of black fruits, red and black berries with some violet flavors. Fresh aromas of wild strawberries and cherries. 7⁹⁵

SAN SIMEON

'06 "Paso Robles" Petite Sirah

Do not miss this if you are a Petite Sirah lover! Big, bold and juicy with a ripe, silky finish. 15⁹⁵

LAYER CAKE

'09 "Mendoza" Malbec

Pure, rich and very elegant; A POWER-HOUSE OF LUSH BLACK FRUIT. Born at the foot of the Andes and fed by the purest mountain spring water. 12⁹⁵

NEW PINOT NOIR

LEESE-FITCH

'08 "California" Pinot Noir

Sourced almost entirely from Monterey, this value-driven Pinot combines clean red fruit flavors with a sense of elegance and refinement. A GREAT VALUE PINOT! 8⁹⁵

MELVILLE '09 "Santa Barbara" VERNAS, Pinot Noir, Earth and spice hints toward sage, gingerbread and cherry blossom. The palate is plush and textured. DELICIOUS! 18⁹⁵

CHATEAU BIANCA '08 "Willamette Valley" Pinot Noir, One of the best values we have tasted in Oregon Pinot Noir! Soft & round with a touch of spice & stone fruits. 13⁹⁵

TALBOTT '08 "Monterey" SLEEPY HOLLOW VVND, Pinot Noir, "90+" Robert Parker, Silky texture, luscious black cherry, cedar and soothing spice with a beautifully balanced finish. 27⁹⁵

PATTON VALLEY '08 "Willamette Valley" Pinot Noir, "92" Wine Spectator, From Wine Spectator: "...red cherry, caramel and mineral flavors in a wispy blanket of fine tannins." 27⁹⁵

CARDWELL HILL

'08 "Willamette Valley" Pinot Noir

"91" Wine Spectator, From an outstanding vintage in Oregon, CARDWELL HILL continues it's run of fantastic offerings! From Wine Spec: "Silky and refined... on a graceful frame" 21⁹⁵

CHARDONNAY

INDEPENDENT PRODUCERS '09 "Columbia Valley" DIONYSUS VVND, Chardonnay

Last year's version of the is UNOAKED, single vineyard, white Burgundy look-a-like from Washington was a SMASHING SUCCESS! This new release will undoubtedly continue the trend. 8⁹⁵

FOXGLOVE '09 "Central Coast" Chardonnay, "90" Robert Parker, Once again, this UNOAKED Chardonnay is a winner! 10⁹⁵

PEZZI KING '09 "Russian River" Chardonnay, Where has this winery been the last 5 years? Apparently re-tooling what it has to offer. By far, their best Chardonnay offering we have ever tasted! 19⁹⁵

ZINFANDEL

ROSENBLUM '07 "Alexander Valley" HARRIS KRATKA VVND, Zinfandel

A field blend of Zinfandel, Carignane and Petite Sirah, this wine possesses both lush upfront berry fruit & a firm underlying structure. One serious Zin for the money! 19⁹⁵

RIDGE '08 "Paganini Ranch" Zinfandel, The best Ridge Zinfandel we have tasted in some time. Don't miss this wonderful full-bodied, rich and spicy Zinfandel. 29⁹⁵

CHRONIC CELLARS

'09 "Paso Robles" SOFA KING BUEND Red Blend

Juicy fruits, Bing cherries and ripe blackberries followed up by notes of toasted vanilla. Petite Sirah, Syrah and Tempranillo. 15⁹⁵

LINE 39

'09 "North Coast" Petite Sirah

Another fantastic value from LINE 39! You love their Sauvignon Blanc and Cabernet - wait till you try their equally terrific Petite Sirah! 6⁹⁵