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Tascante Ceragia Chardonnay Sicilia 2018

Okay, no word of a lie, we're salivating just writing about them so let's dive into some wines. Tascante is the estate we're visiting today, a subsidiary of mother estate Tenuta Regaleali. As eighth generation winemakers, with holdings all over the island, you can be sure they've got that true Sicilian flavour

running through their blood. Made in miniscule amounts (the vineyard is only one hectare large and they only produced 5000 bottles a year), this is Tascante's take on Chardonnay. A fascinating experiment for Chardonnay lovers which will reveal just how versatile the grape can be.

Tasting Notes

Aromas of French oak, white stone fruit, and citrus form the nose. Racy and lean, the palate suggests Meyer lemon, coffee bean, and saline alongside crisp acidity.

Region Etna, Italy

Cellar Up to 2030

Alcohol 13.0%

Food Match Chicken Risotto

Code ITM102228



\$64.99
per bottle

Domaine Robert Denogent Pouilly-Fuisse La Croix 2017

Based out of Pouilly-Fuisse, to be precise, where Chardonnay reigns supreme, brothers Nicolas and Antoine Robert craft clean, natural wines of stunning precision and clarity. They farm organically and have been making their first steps in

biodynamics but unusually for the Mâconnais, matured the wines in oak for an extended period - anywhere up to 18 months - adding great complexity and sound structure.

Tasting Notes

A mineral and rich wine, with heavy yellow and orange citrus and floral notes. The palate has weight and texture with creamy sweet nutty elements and dried intense fruit characteristics, while still being uber-fresh and balanced.

Region Burgundy, France

Cellar Up to 2027

Alcohol 14.0%

Food Match Mushroom Soup

Code ITM96560



\$69.99
per bottle

Orin Swift Mannequin Chardonnay 2018

The history of Orin Swift Cellars dates back to 1995 when on a lark, David Swift Phinney took a friend up on an offer and went to Florence, Italy to spend a semester "studying". During that time, he was introduced to wine, how it was made, and got hooked. A few more years of university led to graduation and eventually a job at Robert Mondavi Winery in 1997 as a temporary harvest worker. Deciding that if he was going to

work this hard, it would eventually have to be for himself, so in 1998 he founded Orin Swift Cellars; Orin is his father's middle name and Swift is his mother's maiden name. With two tons of zinfandel and not much else, he spent the next decade making wine for others as well as himself and grew the brand to what it is today.

Tasting Notes

2018 Chardonnay Mannequin offers spiced apples and poached pears notions with nuances of baking bread, toasted almonds and honeycomb. Full-bodied, the palate reveals expressive apple and pears flavors with a satiny texture and plenty of baking spices coming through on the finish.

Region Hunter Valley, NSW

Cellar Up to 2030

Alcohol 15.2%

Food Match Falafel, Roast Veggies and Yogurt Dip

Code ITM44945



\$74.99
per bottle

Serafino Terremoto Syrah 2010

The Serafino story began in 1964 when Steve (Serafino) Maglieri arrived in Australia from Italy as a passionate teenager full of dreams. Two years later, with the assistance of his father Giovanni, he planted his first vines in McLaren Vale that now extends to 350 acres, laying the foundation of

a winemaking dynasty that today is known as Serafino Wines and overseen by his daughter, Maria. From the beginning, Steve and his father worked from dawn to dusk seven days a week to produce wines of such outstanding quality that it wasn't long before the accolades began to flow.

Tasting Notes

Vibrant rich dark fruit intertwined with French and American oak characters of chocolate and spice harmonise with fine subtle tannins. The generosity of fruit character and the seamless integration of oak and tannin ensures the finish is fine, long and elegant.

Region McLaren Vale, SA

Cellar Up to 2028

Alcohol 14.5%

Food Match Lamb Rack w/ Roast Vegetables

Code ITM125516



\$151.99
per bottle

Tenuta Scersce Infinito 2018

Tenuta Scersce started out as a passion project for lawyer Cristina Scarpellini, and soon turned into a full blown obsession, seeing her leave her law firm and set to winemaking full time. Scarpellini now makes 3 wines out Valtellina in the region of Lombardy, all from 100% Nebbiolo, or Chiavennesca

as it is locally known in the region. She has become very successful, in fact, the most well regarded improper of Italian wines in the USA (their portfolio including the likes of Vietti, Selvapiana and Inama to name only a few) recently added Tenuta Scersce to their very impressive portfolio.

Tasting Notes

Garnet-red color. A wine of great elegance, structure and character. Very fine and detailed scents, warm and spicy, rich with notes of berries, fruit in alcohol, cinnamon and pepper. Classic scents of violets and withered roses. Great softness and persistence.

Region Valtellina, Italy

Cellar Up to 2029

Alcohol 15.0%

Food Match Roast Duck w/ Buttered Turnip Puree

Code ITM113128



\$69.99
per bottle

Grant Burge Corryton Estate Cabernet Merlot 2012

Sitting alongside the likes of Meshach, Shadrach & Abednego, this rare, cellar-door and members exclusive release is a poignant reminder of just how good Burge's top-class wines can be. The Corryton Estate (not to be confused with the Corryton Park release) is only ever rolled out in the best vintages. It takes fruit from the Eden Valley single-vineyard that sits on the old Burge homestead. Planted to Cabernet

& Merlot, with some vines dating back over a century, it's an elegant, refined and Bordeauxesque release that will last for a decade or two in the cellar. This special 2012 vintage, comes directly from the Burge cellars, with its stately flagship bottle and timber presentation case representing the class of wine it truly is. Expect fireworks. Expect decadence.

Tasting Notes

The 2012 Corryton Estate Cabernet Merlot has a lively aroma of blackberry, hot chocolate, coffee bean, mocha, vanilla & earth. The dense and textural palate is lined with soft fine long tannin & excellent persistence, along with flavours of cocoa butter & red berries.

Region Barossa, SA

Cellar Up to 2045

Alcohol 14.5%

Food Match Thick Sausages w/ Red Wine Jus

Code ITM113884



\$64.99
per bottle