August 2023

Vintage 38 Wine Club

WHITE WINES.

BUIL & GINE RUEDA "NOSIS", 2021

15.99

Buil & Giné heart lies in creating wines that are true representations of the region in which the wine is made, bursting with genuine character. Tropical fruits of pineapple, pear, mango, kiwi, passion-fruit balanced with distinct citrus flavors. Jovial yet expressive on the palate make this a playful yet serious wine. Joan Giné founded Buil & Giné in 1996 making Priorat wine, but later also purchased vineyards in Rueda to make a single DO wine, expressive of its unique wind-swept terroir. 100% Verdejo from 35+ year old vines. RUEDA | CASTILLA Y LEON, SPAIN

FORIS PINOT BLANC, 2022

17.99

Bright yellow lemon, hints of honeysuckle, tangerine. Palate is light and refreshing with complexity as it opens, laced with orange citrus and delicate white flowers with streaks of minerality. Stephanie Pao is the winemaker for the Gerber family, who first bought land in southern Oregon's remote Illinois Valley to create what is now Foris Winery in 1971. Foris' estate vineyards are surrounded by the Siskiyou Mountains, an Alpine-esque climate that drives their wine stylistically.

ROGUE VALLEY | OREGON

RED WINES

LA ZORRA TINTO, 2018

17.99

This is a unique wine of Sierra de la Salamanca's native Rufete grape along with Tinto Aragones, the local name for Tempranillo, from 60+ year old vines. Soft fruit balanced with minerality. Fermented with indigenous yeasts in Stainless Steel; aged ten months in French and American oak, unfined + unfiltered. A unique option for wine explorers to try something different from Spain. Siera de Salamanca is a tiny viticultural area and one of the youngest Spanish DOs, located in the Sierra de Francia mountains. Practicing Organic. SIERRA DE SALAMANCA | SPAIN

VIOLET HILL SANTA BARBARA COUNTY PINOT NOIR, 2021

18.99

Raspberry, brush, cream, strawberry pie, star anise, vibrant purple flowers. The palate is supple, with concentrated raspberry, tea, vanilla + herbaceous notes. 100% Pinot Noir from Santa Barbara County, half of which are from the unique Santa Maria Valley sub-appellation. Being an east-west valley, the cooling winds and fog from the Pacific Ocean flow freely, extending the growing season - which provides depth and character to the grapes. Hand harvested, aging in both French oak and tank.

SANTA BARBARA COUNTY | CALIFORNIA

PREMIUM SELECTIONS.

LA MAREA KRISTY VINEYARD ALBARIÑO, 2022

23.99

Candied lemon, lemonade, fresh white flowers. Lively, layered + crisp with ginger, ripe pineapple, lemon, white peach. From one of our favorite winemakers Ian Brand, this is his homage to traditional Spanish wine. Albariño's home is in Galicia, where the wine has abundant salinity and freshness and is often paired with seafood. The Kristy Vineyard is on an ancient sea bed, exposed to the cooling breezes of the Monterey Bay, perfect for his rendition of Albariño. Ian Brand was named winemaker of the year in 2018 by the San Francisco Chronicle; his dedication to terroir and delivering wine with distinct character makes us swoon.

MONTEREY COUNTY | CALIFORNIA

CRAVEN CINSAUT STELLENBOSCH, 2022

25.99

Cherry, strawberries, cream, red + purple flowers, rocky minerality. Palate is fresh with bramble, boysenberry, bright red cherry, hints of eucalyptus. We chose this bright beauty for the summer months, due to its light bodied character and thirst quenching power. Fermented and aged in concrete, this vinification process of utilizing concrete preserves the essence of the organic 34+ year old bush vines resting 3 miles from the ocean in the 'Rustenhof' vineyard. Craven Wines is a husband-and-wife team, Mick (from Australia) and Jeanine (from South Africa) met during harvest in Sonoma then returned to South Africa to create site-specific wine. STELLENBOSCH | SOUTH AFRICA

DOMAINE PIERRE USSEGLIO LIRAC, 2021

29.99

Savory blackberries, cassis, baked pie. Palate is rich and deep layered with cedar, crushed dried flowers, plum, clove. Domaine Pierre Usseglio is a Chateauneuf de Pape producer, this is their bottling from the Lirac AVA in the Southern Rhone. Ready to drink but recommended to hold on to for a few years for flavors to continue to develop. Mostly Grenache, rounded with Syrah, Mourvedre, Cinsault. Hand harvested, aged in concrete + oak for 12 months. A family run enterprise, founded in 1948 by Françis USSEGLIO from Italy, over half the vines are 65+ years old, with the grandsons currently leading the Domaine. LIRAC | RHONE VALLEY, FRANCE

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