

— September 30, 2017 —



Silver, Mundus Vini Wine Awards

Trerose Santa Caterina Vino Nobile di Montepulciano DCG 2013, Tuscany, Italy

LCBO #: 515510 | PRICE: \$24.95 | ORDER SIZE: 300 (12 PACK) CASES | CASES REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE: 26 | **New at Vintages**

This 100% Sangiovese has aromas and flavours of red fruits such as cherries, redcurrants, blackberries and myrtle. The palate is medium-bodied with fine tannins and a long, light and elegant finish.

— October 14, 2017 —



90pts, Decanter Gold, Vitis Vinifera Awards '16 Gold, Gold Wine Awards '16

De Grendel Sauvignon Blanc 2016, Cape Town, South Africa

LCBO #: 512921 | PRICE: \$19.95 | ORDER SIZE: 220 (12 PACK) CASES | CASES REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE: 42

Aromas of green melon, ripe gooseberry and hints of passion fruit are gently underscored by subtle nuances of grassy nettles with a dusty minerality. A crisp, dry entry with hints of green apple develops into luscious lemon and lime on the palate which lingers persistently in the presence of green fig, gooseberry and citrus.

— November 25, 2017 —



91pts, The Globe and Mail, Nov 2017 Gold, China Wine & Spirits Awards 90pts Wine Front 4 Stars, Hunan Hook Silver, San Francisco Int'l Wine Show

Howard Park Miamup Cabernet Sauvignon 2014, Margaret River, Australia

LCBO #: 410019 | PRICE: \$22.95 | ORDER SIZE: 640 (12 PACK) CASES | CASES REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE: 61

Look for aromas of crushed blackberries, black plums and fresh blackcurrants with underlying earth and dried herbs hints. Soft vanilla and luscious forest fruits give way to a savoury, meaty weight and a cocoa, coffee-like finish with lovely tannins coating the palate.



94pts, James Halliday AWC 92pts, Gary Walsh, The Wine Front Gold, Berlin Wine Trophy

Château Tanunda Newcastle 2014 Red Blend, Barossa Valley, Australia

LCBO #: 522334 | PRICE: \$22.95 | ORDER SIZE: 468 (12 PACK) CASES | CASES REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE: 57

Château Tanunda, icon of the Barossa, was established in 1890 and is the site of some of the first vines planted in the Barossa in the 1840s as well as the Valley's first winery. This blend of Shiraz, Grenache, Mourvèdre, and Cinsault is medium-bodied with aromas of strawberry and cherry and subtle spice notes. The palate is well balanced with notes of vanilla, cinnamon, black olives and pepper.



90pts, Beppi Crosariol, Globe & Mail

d'Arenberg The Hermit Crab Viognier Marsanne 2016, McLaren Vale, Australia

LCBO #: 662775 | PRICE: \$17.95 | ORDER SIZE: 256 (12 PACK) CASES | CASES REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE: 24

The nose of this wine displays a mix of white stonefruits and pineapple with an underlying hint of ginger. The palate is luscious and flavoursome with notes of nectarine and peach with a twist of candied citrus rind. These sweet flavours evolve through the palate into more savoury flavours reminiscent of raw almonds and spice.

— December 7, 2017 —



97pts James Halliday AWC 95pts, Decanter World Wines Awards '17

Angove Medhyk Shiraz 2014, McLaren Vale, Australia

LCBO #: 437749 | PRICE: \$69.95 | ORDER SIZE: 18 (6 PACK) CASES | CASES REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE: 16 | **Classics**

There are aromas of dark black cherry, bitter chocolate and licorice with a touch of French oak. The palate is fresh and vibrant with cherry and cranberry flavours which lead to accents of wilted rose petal and white pepper. It is a rich and full-bodied wine with a long lingering finish.



Michael David Winery Lust Zinfandel 2015, Lodi, California, USA

LCBO #: 471631 | PRICE: \$99.00 | ORDER SIZE: 24 (6 PACK) CASES | CASES REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE: 23 | **Classics**

Lust is a deliciously smooth, showy, and seductive Zinfandel that lives up to its name. Velvety and full of jam, this wine shows lots of dark fruit with some savoury qualities. Pair this delicious zin with any rich dark chocolate for a decadent treat.

— December 9, 2017 —



Michael David Winery Petite Petit 2015, Lodi, California, USA

LCBO #: 213017 | PRICE: \$27.95 | ORDER SIZE: 500 (12 PACK) CASES | CASES REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE: 254

This soft, opaque, purple-coloured wine exhibits impressive density as well as lots of blueberry and blackberry fruit intermixed with violet and plum. Offering a joyous explosion of colour and fun, it is a substantial, dense, full-bodied, whopper style of wine loaded with pure black fruit and vanilla flavours that coat the palate.



88pts, Wine Spectator 88pts, Robert Parker 88pts, James Suckling

Barone Ricasoli Brolio Chianti Classico DCG 2015, Tuscany, Italy

LCBO #: 3962 | PRICE: \$23.95 | ORDER SIZE: 1300 (12 PACK) CASES | CASES REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE: 35 | **Arrive in Style**

The bouquet is fresh with floral notes followed by notes of blackberries, passion fruit and mint leaves. This is a vibrant wine filled with flowers, sweet spices and raspberry jam flavours that flesh out on the supple finish.



Altano Red 2015, Douro Valley DOC, Portugal

LCBO #: 579862 | PRICE: \$13.95 | ORDER SIZE: 420 (12 PACK) CASES | CASES REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE: 38

A blend of Touriga Franca, Tinta Roriz and Tinta Barroca. This medium-bodied wine reveals scented floral aromas and focused, fresh fruit, reflecting the very good year in which Touriga Franca shone. Simultaneously full and silky on the palate, there are well defined red fruit flavours with ripe tannins and spicy notes.

— January 6, 2018 —



91pts, Beppi Crosariol, Globe & Mail 91pts, Natalie MacLean

d'Arenberg The Footbolt Shiraz 2014, McLaren Vale, Australia

LCBO #: 984021 | PRICE: \$17.00 | ORDER SIZE: 2500 (12 PACK) CASES | CASES REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE: 2500 | **Food and Drink Discovery**

On the nose there are dark, earthy aromas such as mulberry, black plum and baking spice. The palate is pleasantly bright with lively acidity and elegant fruit weight. A generous dose of mineral fruit tannin ensures the wine is structured and wonderfully long.



Caliterra Tributo Carmenere 2015, Colchagua Valley, Chile

LCBO #: 56630 | PRICE: \$17.95 | ORDER SIZE: 550 (12 PACK) CASES | CASES REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE: 550 | **Smart Buys**

On the nose it exhibits aromas of black fruits complemented by soft hints of black pepper, licorice, red pepper and tarragon. The palate features smooth, delicate tannins, along with vibrant acidity and remarkable volume, all of which foretell good aging potential.

Vintages Releases

— January 20, 2018 —



92pts, James Suckling

Caliterra Tributo Cabernet Sauvignon 2015, Colchagua Valley, Chile

LCBO #: 205567 | PRICE: \$17.95 | ORDER SIZE: 420 (12 PACK) CASES | CASES REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE: 420

On the nose there are aromas of blackberries, currants and cassis giving way to spicy notes of cinnamon, black pepper and tobacco leaves. On the palate there are slight hints of caramel, complemented by sour cherries with soft tannins and crisp acidity.



Michael David Winery Freakshow Cabernet Sauvignon 2015, Lodi, California, USA

LCBO #: 405175 | PRICE: \$29.95 | ORDER SIZE: 800 (12 PACK) CASES | CASES REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE: 800

This wine is FREAKing amazing! Over each vintage, the intensity has been kicked up exponentially. This fourth incarnation has more of everything...more depth, more ripe fruit, more pizzazz! Nicely balanced with cherry, dark ripe plum, mission figs and toasted oak flavours. Warning-it's gulpable!



Gold, San Fran Int'l Wine Comp
 Gold, Beverage Tasting Institute '16

Secret Cellars Pinot Noir 2014 Santa Lucia Highlands, California, USA

LCBO #: 539189 | PRICE: \$24.95 | ORDER SIZE: 280 (12 PACK) CASES | CASES REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE: 280

Secret Cellars is a muscular Pinot Noir with notes of lush dark fruit and earth on the nose. Black cherry, pomegranate and cola flavours follow along with an attractive hint of sage. Fine grain tannins lead to a smooth and graceful finish.

— February 3, 2018 —



Barone Ricasoli Rocca Guicciarda Chianti Classico Riserva DOCG 2014, Tuscany, Italy

LCBO #: 943613 | PRICE: \$24.95 | ORDER SIZE: 800 (12 PACK) CASES | CASES REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE: 800

90% Sangiovese, 5% Merlot and 5% Canaiolo. The highly perfumed bouquet is redolent with red fruity aromas and floral tones. The palate consists of berry fruit flavours, cherry, black currant and seductive cinnamon. This elegant wine reveals a clean, fragrant taste and many Chianti Classico characteristics such as violet and mixed berries flavours.



Rocca del Dragone Aglianico IGP Campania Red 2013, Tuscany, Italy

LCBO #: 538462 | PRICE: \$16.95 | ORDER SIZE: 300 (12 PACK) CASES | CASES REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE: 300

Deep ruby-red colour, with aromas and flavours of black cherry, blackberry, dark chocolate, coffee, pepper and mineral. Full-bodied yet amazingly smooth and elegant. Best when served with meats, game and strong cheeses.



Moutai Prince Chiew, Guizhou Province, China

LCBO #: 455956 | PRICE: \$91.95 | ORDER SIZE: 144 (500ml x 6 PACK) CASES | CASES REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE: 144

Made from the same water source and quality grain as the legendary "Kweichow Moutai Chiew", though with a shorter distillation period. The Moutai Prince Chiew is fresh, light and delicate with sweet aromas of apple and pear and a hint of soy sauce. It is mild and mellow in flavour while still retaining complexity.



Fancy Farm Girl Flamboyant Red 2013, VQA Niagara Peninsula, Ontario Canada

LCBO #: 394080 | PRICE: \$14.95 | ORDER SIZE: 328 (12 PACK) CASES | CASES REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE: 328

Very approachable tannins with black pepper, roasted nuts, mint, cherry and other red fruits keep the wine elegant and drinking very well. A pleasant round finish persists.



Fancy Farm Girl Frivolous White 2014, VQA Niagara Peninsula, Ontario Canada

LCBO #: 394072 | PRICE: \$14.95 | ORDER SIZE: 600 (12 PACK) CASES | CASES REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE: 600

Aromatic with nuances of citrus fruit such as lemon juice, lime zest and white grapefruit with subtle mineral and steely tones.

— February 17, 2018 —



Kruger-Rumpf Münsterer Im Pitterberg Riesling Kabinett 2016, Prädikatswein, Nahe, Germany

LCBO #: 523969 | PRICE: \$24.95 | ORDER SIZE: 168 (12 PACK) CASES | CASES REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE: 168

This drier style Kabinett has a pure gray-slate fragrance and a serious palate with densely mineral flavours along with apple, lilac, nut and slate nuances. This Riesling is of the old style as it is drier but with concentration and intensity and can lay down for decades.



Vale do Bomfim 2015, Douro DOC, Portugal

LCBO #: 167676 | PRICE: \$15.95 | ORDER SIZE: 280 (12 PACK) CASES | CASES REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE: 280

A blend of Touriga Franca, Touriga Nacional and other varietals. On the palate there are notes of fresh fruits and blackberries, along with floral and spicy notes. It is medium to full-bodied with excellent balance and a long finish.



d'Arenberg The Money Spider Roussanne 2016, McLaren Vale, Australia

LCBO #: 656710 | PRICE: \$19.95 | ORDER SIZE: 256 (6 PACK) CASES | CASES REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE: 256

It has aromas of citrus, pineapple and honeydew melon. The palate is textural and exotic and tastes of vibrant mango, papaya and green melon. Tangy acidity rounds out the wine beautifully and contributes to a long, spicy finish.

— March 1, 2018 —



94pts, James Halliday
 90pts, Wine Advocate
 Silver, Decanter
 Silver, IWSC

Angove Warboys Vineyard Grenache 2014, McLaren Vale, Australia

LCBO #: 537209 | PRICE: \$46.00 | ORDER SIZE: 25 (6 PACK) CASES | CASES REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE: 25 | Classics

Sourced from two acres of organic and biodynamic certified Grenache vines planted in 1964. On the nose there are floral notes such as violet with some sandalwood hints. The palate has flavours of redcurrant and cherry that intermingle with spice and subtle oak undertones.



96pts James Halliday
 95pts, The Wine Front
 95pts, huonhooke.com

Howard Park Scotsdale Shiraz 2014, Frankland River, Australia

LCBO #: 923557 | PRICE: \$40.00 | ORDER SIZE: 128 (6 PACK) CASES | CASES REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE: 128 | Classics

From the Frankland sub region, where Shiraz reigns, the intense dark cherry fruit, black pepper spice, opulent fleshy sweet fruit and fine tannins herald the region's Shiraz signature. This wine has a focused core of dark fruits wrapped in the warmth and comfort of oak's vanilla with dark chocolate, liquorice and black pepper spice. The palate has a densely knit structure, loaded with fruit and finished with fine mouth coating tannins.

— March 3, 2018 —



Domaine du Bois Malinge 2016, Muscadet Sèvre et Maine Sur Lie AC, Loire Valley, France

LCBO #: 224246 | PRICE: \$13.95 | ORDER SIZE: 650 (12 PACK) CASES | CASES REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE: 650

This Muscadet has a pale golden colour and is rich in almond and white citrus aromas. The palate is fresh with notes of citrus, peach and mineral undertones and finishes with a nice spritz. This Muscadet sur Lie is perfect with fish and seafood dishes.