

WINE LIST

ALPANA'S FAVORITE BOTTLES OF THE MOMENT

111 GRUNER VELTLINER Rainer Wess 2016 Austria \$42

Rainer Wess is producing some of Austria's most distinctive and successful wines, and this grüner veltliner from the excellent 2015 vintage sports bright aromas of Williams pear and white pepper spice. Made in a dry and refreshing style, with citrus-fruit flavours and a mouthwatering, almost saline finish.

110 SANCERRE Domaine Fouassier 'Paradis' 2016 Loire Valley, France \$55

Sancerre "Clos Paradis" is a white wine from the grape Sauvignon by the historical winery Doamine Fouassier in Loire valley. Aromas of pear, honey, acacia flower, wet stone, and a little touch of grapefruit. Full and round in the mouth, stretched by a fine acidity.

327 TANNAT BLEND Domaine Arretxea 2015 Iroleguy, France \$50

Welcome to Basque country, where Michel and Thérèse Riouspeyrous of Domaine Arretxea biodynamically farm Irouléguy's steep mountain slopes just miles from the Spanish border. There is a lot of wine here: Tannat and a touch of Cabernet Sauvignon give a powerful beast built for the long haul, yet delightfully balanced at only 12.5% alcohol.

412 RUCHE Cascina Tavijn 2013 Castagnole Monferrato, Italy \$45

If you've never heard of Ruche (pronounced roo kay), you're in good company. The Ruche is a relatively scarce red grape varietal grown almost exclusively in the hills northwest of Asti around the commune of Castagnole Monferrato in the Piedmont region in northern Italy. It is a fruity, approachable and, yes, friendly wine that lacks the pretense of a big Barbera that reminds me in some ways of a Dolcetto. It has good acidity but little tannin so it is a wine meant to be drunk young.

420 TEMPRANILLO BLEND Dominio Pingus 'PSI' 2015 Ribera del Duero, Spain \$80

PSI is an outstanding offering from Peter Sisseck in Ribera del Duero. He is best known for his top tier wine Pingus (\$949) and the Flor de Pingus (\$95) but the PSI is for the rest of us. He works closely with a cadre of grape growers to help protect various plots of various very old vine Tempranillo. Fresh and classy nose of cherries, currants and raspberries with hints of pepper. Full body, beautiful and fine-grained tannins and a long, flavorful finish.

323 BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO Silvio Nardi 2012 Tuscany, Italy \$140

Emilia Nardi knows she can depend on Casale's special and distinctive territory to produce a contemporary and elegant Brunello. She has invested single-mindedly in the vineyards in this harmonious natural setting - as any tasting of her fine wines will attest. Each of her signature wines expresses the differing character of Sangiovese when it is grown at Montalcino. Intense red ruby color with garnet highlights. Clean, sophisticated, intense and complex aromas. Rich in evolved overtones, with hints of anise, ripe wild berries and a light touch of vanilla. Warm with supple tannins, great structure.

SPARKLING WINE + CHAMPAGNE

50 PROSECCO La Dolci Colline NV Veneto, Italy \$10/38

52 PROSECCO Bisol, Crede NV Veneto, Italy \$50

54 CREMANT D'ALSACE Dopff Au Moulin, Cuvee Julien NV Alsace, France \$45

56 CHAMPAGNE Dom Perignon 2004 Champagne, France \$240

WHITE WINE

128 PINOT GRIGIO Tiefenbrunner 2016 Sudtirol, Alto Adige, Italy \$35

129 PINOT GRIS Solena Cellars 2015 Willamette Valley, Oregon \$45

115 ORVIETO Bigi Amabile (off-dry) 2015 Umbria, Italy \$9/12/36

143 PECORINO Poggio Anima 'Gabriel' 2015 Terre di Chieti, Aburzzo, Italy \$35

130 GRECO DI TUFO Terredora di Paolo 2016 Campani, Italy \$40

139 GRILLO Tami 2015 Sicily, Italy \$35

113 SAUVIGNON BLANC Natale Verga 2015 Veneto, Italy \$10/13/39

125 SAUVIGNON BLANC Morgan 2015 Monterey, California \$40

131 SAUVIGNON BLANC Mohua 2016 Marlborough, New Zealand \$45

126 SAUVIGNON BLANC Palliser 2015 Marlborough, New Zealand \$45

112 CHARDONNAY Les Terres Cortal 2015 France \$9/12/36

114 CHARDONNAY Fox Glove 2014 Central Coast, California \$12/15/45

117 CHARDONNAY Long Meadow Ranch 'Farmstead' 2016 Napa Valley \$45

127 CHARDONNAY Chateau Thivin 'Clos de Rochebonne' 2016 Beaujolais, France \$55

122 CHARDONNAY Miner Family Winery 2014 Napa Valley \$65

123 CHARDONNAY Kistler 'Les Noisetiers' 2015 Sonoma \$95

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118 CHARDONNAY Pahlmeyer 'Jayson' 2013 Napa Valley \$120

ROSE WINE

- 200 **ROSATO Librandi 2016** *Ciro, Italy* \$10/13/39
204 GRENACHE-SYRAH L'Ostal Cazes 2016 *Pays d'Oc, France* \$38
205 GRENACHE-SYRAH Domaine La Solitude 2016 *Rhone Valley, France* \$40
206 TEMPRANILLO Ontanon, 'Clarete' Rioja 2016 *Rioja, Spain* \$35

RED WINE FROM THE AMERICAS

- 300 **PINOT NOIR Block Nine, Caiden's Vineyards 2015** *California* \$12/15/45
304 PINOT NOIR Au Bon Climat 2016 *Santa Barbara County* \$45
301 PINOT NOIR Brooks 2015 *Willamette Valley, Oregon* \$55
303 PINOT NOIR Robert Sinskey 2013 *Carneros* \$60
305 PINOT NOIR Bethel Heights, Willamette Valley 2014 \$65
302 PINOT NOIR Talley 'Estate' 2014 *Arroyo Grande, California* \$70
308 PINOT NOIR Le Cadeau 'Cote Est' 2015 *Willamette Valley, Oregon* \$85
310 PINOT NOIR Belle Glos 'Clark & Telephone' 2015 *Santa Maria Valley* \$90
311 PINOT NOIR Pisoni Vineyards, Lucia, Santa Lucia Highlands 2015 *Monterey* \$95
306 PINOT NOIR Hirsch Vineyards 'San Andreas Fault' 2015 *Sonoma Coast* \$120
320 MALBEC La Posta 'Pizzella' 2015 *Mendoza, Argentina* \$35
317 **CABERNET SAUVIGNON Resolute 2015** *Red Hills, Lake County* \$14/17/51
313 CABERNET SAUVIGNON Beckmen Vineyards 2015 *Santa Ynez Valley, California* \$50
321 BORDEAUX BLEND Browne Family Vineyards 'Tribute' 2014 *Columbia Valley* \$55
319 BORDEAUX BLEND Duckhorn 'Decoy' 2015 *Sonoma County* \$60
312 CABERNET SAUVIGNON Paul Hobbs 'Crossbarn' 2014 *Napa Valley* \$78
314 MERLOT-CABERNET FRANC+ Robert Sinskey 'POV' 2012 *Carneros* \$80
318 CABERNET SAUVIGNON Darioush 'Caravan' 2014 *Napa Valley* \$90

RED WINE FROM EUROPE

- 329 COTES DU RHONE Le Sang de Cailloux 'Doucinello' 2015 *Vacqueyras, France* \$65
406 DOLCETTO D'ALBA Elvio Cagno 'Mandorlo' 2014 *Piedmont, Italy* \$50
411 BARBERA D'ASTI Vietti 'Tre Vigne' 2015 *Piedmont, Italy* \$45
426 NEBBIOLO Ar. Pe. Pe., 2015 *Valtellina, Italy* \$60
401 GATTINARA Antoniolo 2012 *Piedmont, Italy* \$85
330 BAROLO Parusso 2013 *Piedmont, Italy* \$100
418 BARBARESCO Moccagatta 2012 *Piedmont, Italy* \$85
409 FRAPPATO Valle dell'Acate 2015 *Vittoria, Sicily* \$45
424 ETNA ROSSO Tenuta delle Terre Nere 2015 *Sicily* \$50
430 AGLIANICO Bisceglia, Aglianico del Vulture Gudarra 2012 *Campania, Italy* \$50
402 **PRIMITIVO Li Veli Orion 2015** *Salento, Italy* \$11/14/42
415 VALPOLICELLA RIPASSO Tommaso Bussola 'Ca' del Laito' 2013 *Veneto, Italy* \$50
416 AMARONE DELLA VAPOLICELLA Tenuta Sant'Antonio 2013 *Veneto, Italy* \$95
326 CHIANTI Badia Coltibuono, Cetamura 2015 *Tuscany, Italy* \$39
405 CHIANTI CLASSICO Castellare di Castellina 2016 *Tuscany, Italy* \$50
410 CHIANTI CLASSICO RISERVA Felsina 'Berardenga' 2013 *Tuscany, Italy* \$65
408 ROSSO DI MONTALCINO Voliero, Rosso di Montalcino 2014 *Tuscany, Italy* \$55
419 MONTEFALCO ROSSO Fratelli Pardi 2014 *Umbria, Italy* \$45
322 BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO Villa Poggio Salvi 2012 *Tuscany, Italy* \$75
324 BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO Voliero 2011 *Tuscany, Italy* \$95
325 BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO Altesino 2012 *Tuscany, Italy* \$120
316 CABERNET SAUVIGNON-MERLOT Tenuta Sette Cieli 'Yantra' 2016 *Tuscany, Italy* \$60
520 **TOSCANA ROSSO Maialina 'Getrude' 2014** *Tuscany, Italy* \$12/15/45
403 TOSCANA ROSSO Tenuta di Trinoro 'Le Cupole' 2015 *Tuscany, Italy* \$75 03/23/2018
315 CABERNET SAUVIGNON Mas Rodo 2011 *Penedes, Spain* \$60