

**IF THE WINEMAKER**

Wants a very delicate,  
grapey wine, he will  
take every precaution to  
keep oxygen away from  
it at every stage. In  
ancient Rome, air was  
kept from wine in a  
bottle by a layer of oil  
on the top.

**THOMAS JEFFERSON,**  
wine connoisseur and  
would-be wine grower,  
promoted wine as the  
best means of  
combating  
Intemperance.

**WHEN STORING**  
Wine, the ideal  
temperature is 50°F. At  
this degree, white wines  
will stay cool enough for  
serving, while reds will  
mature slowly but  
steadily.

**RED WINES**

Extract all their color  
from a period of contact  
between the juice and  
skins after crushing. In  
general, white wines  
are removed quickly  
from their skins to avoid  
any coloration.

**EVER WONDER**  
what those big  
display bottles are  
called?  
Magnum: 2 btl's

**Meritage / Blends**

bottle

'18 19 Crimes, Southeastern Australia.....	29
'18 Caymus "Conundrum" ( 1 Liter ), California .....	39
'17 J. LOHR "Proprietary Red Blend", Paso Robles .....	46
'14/16 Estancia "Vintners Reserve", Paso Robles .....	49
'17 Stag's Leap Wine Cellars "Hands of Time", Napa .....	58
'15 Stag's Leap Winery "The Investor", Napa.....	66
'16 "Bin 389" by Penfolds, Southern Australia .....	89

**Pinot Noir**

'17 Château St. Jean, California .....	29
'17 Duck Pond "Willamette Valley", Oregon .....	36
'17 Meiomi, Santa Barbara, Monterrey, & Sonoma .....	41
'16 Acacia, Carneros.....	43
'16 Rodney Strong, "Russian River Valley", Sonoma .....	43
'17 Duckhorn Migration, "Russian River", Sonoma.....	66
'18 Belle Glos, "Alturas", Santa Lucia Highlands .....	73
'18 Belle Glos, "Dairyman", Russian River .....	73
'16 Duckhorn Goldeneye, "Anderson Valley" .....	85
'13 Macphail, "Mardikian Estate", Sonoma Coast .....	99

**Syrah/Shiraz**

'16 Francis Coppola "Diamond Collection", Geyserville.....	30
'17 Layer Cake Shiraz, South Australia.....	33
'13 "The Pundit" Syrah by Tenet Winery Columbia Valley, OR.....	47
'17 Caymus Suisun Petite Syrah "Grand Durif", Suisun Valley CA.....	65
'16 Stags' Leap Winery Petite Syrah, Napa .....	65
'16 "Bin 389" Cabernet Shiraz by Penfolds, South Australia.....	89

**Merlot**

'15 Stone Cellars, California.....	23
'16 Chateau St. Jean, California .....	29
'14 Kendall Jackson "Vintners Reserve", California .....	33
'16 Markham, Napa .....	43
'16 Duckhorn, Napa .....	79

**"Wine improves with age. The older I get, the better I like it." -**  
Anonymous

**"God in His goodness sent the grapes, to cheer both great and small, little fools will drink too much, and great fools not at all."**  
-Anonymous

**"Wine is the drink of the gods, milk the drink of babes, tea the drink of women, and water the drink of beasts."**  
- John Stuart Blackie

**"I have enjoyed great health at a great age because everyday since I can remember I have consumed a bottle of wine except when I have not felt well.**

**Then I have consumed two bottles."**  
-A Bishop of Seville

**"To take wine into your mouth is to savor a droplet of the river of human history."**  
- Clifton Fadiman

**"What contemptible scoundrel stole the cork from my lunch."**  
-W.C. Fields

**"Drinking good wine with good food in good company is one of life's most civilized pleasures."**  
- Michael Broad

## Chardonnay

bottle

<b>'18 Woodbridge by Robert Mondavi, California .....</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>'17 Kendall Jackson "Vintners Reserve", California .....</b>	<b>35</b>
<b>'15 Rodney Strong, Sonoma .....</b>	<b>35</b>
<b>'17 Ferrari-Carano, Alexander Valley .....</b>	<b>42</b>
<b>'17 Hess Collection, Napa .....</b>	<b>42</b>
<b>'17 Stags' Leap Winery, Napa .....</b>	<b>47</b>
<b>'18 Hess Collection "Allomi", Napa .....</b>	<b>54</b>
<b>'18 Rombauer, Carneros.....</b>	<b>68</b>
<b>'17 Cakebread, Napa .....</b>	<b>72</b>

## Sauvignon Blanc

<b>'18 Oyster Bay, Marlborough - New Zealand .....</b>	<b>30</b>
<b>'18 DAOU, Paso Robles .....</b>	<b>35</b>
<b>'18 Kim Crawford, Marlborough - New Zealand .....</b>	<b>38</b>

## Riesling

<b>'17 Chateau Ste. Michelle Riesling, Washington .....</b>	<b>28</b>
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## Other White and Rose'

<b>'18 Beringer White Zinfandel, California .....</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>'18 Anterra Pinot Grigio, Italy .....</b>	<b>25</b>
<b>'17 Chateau Ste. Michelle Reisling, Washington .....</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>'16 Willamette Valley Whole Cluster Rose', Willamette Valley, OR..</b>	<b>38</b>

## Champagne

<b>Mumm, Napa .....</b>	<b>39</b>
<b>NV Piper Heidsieck "Brut", France .....</b>	<b>72</b>

**"Come quickly, I am tasting the stars!" ~ Dom Perignon, the moment he discovered champagne.**

## Italian

<b>'18 Anterra Pinot Grigio, Italy .....</b>	<b>25</b>
<b>'15 Gabbiano "Chianti Classico Riserva" .....</b>	<b>41</b>
<b>'14 Capital de Roari "Amarone Della Valpolicella" .....</b>	<b>59</b>

## Cabernet Sauvignon

bottle

'17 Woodbridge by Robert Mondavi, California .....	23
'15 Columbia Crest H3 - "Horse Heaven Hills", Washington.....	34
'16 J. Lohr "Seven Oaks", Paso Robles .....	35
'16 Kendall Jackson "Vintners Reserve", California .....	37
'17 Rodney Strong, Sonoma.....	43
'17 Franciscan, Napa, Monterey.....	45
'17 DAOU, Paso Robles .....	49
'17 Beringer "Knights Valley", Napa .....	51
'17 Justin, Paso Robles .....	54
'16 BV, Napa .....	54
'16 Napa Cellars, Napa .....	55
'16 Raymond "Reserve", Napa .....	68
'17 DAOU "Reserve", Paso Robles .....	68
'16 Stags' Leap Wine Cellars, Napa .....	76
'15 Clos Du Val, Napa .....	76
'14 Groth, Napa .....	79
'16 Château Montelena, Napa .....	85
'16 Faust, Napa.....	85
'14 Jordan "Alexander Valley", Sonoma .....	85
'15 Duckhorn, Napa .....	95
'16 Joseph Phelps, Napa .....	98
'15 Silver Oak, Alexander Valley .....	98
'18 Caymus (1 Liter), Napa .....	120
'16 Chimney Rock "Stags Leap District", Napa .....	125
'15 Silver Oak, Napa .....	150

## WHY CORK

for a wine plug? It's light, clean and almost impermeable. It's smooth, yet stays firmly in position in the neck. It doesn't expand or contract with changes in temperature, rarely rots and doesn't burn easily.

## CORK IS

the outer bark of the cork oak tree, which grows most abundantly in Spain and Portugal. Before it is harvested, a cork tree must grow for 20 years; then the bark can be stripped about once every decade.

**ONCE IN POSITION**, a good cork will last at least 25 years and sometimes as long as 50 years, although the best cellars will re-cork their old vintages at 25-year intervals.

"The soft extractive note of an aged cork being withdrawn has the true sound of a man opening his heart."

- William S. Benwell

"Wine ... offers a greater range for enjoyment and appreciation than possibly any other purely sensory thing which may be purchased."

-Ernest Highway

## Zinfandel

'17 Cline, California.....	27
'15 DeLoach, "Russian River Valley", Sonoma.....	34
'17 Dry Creek, Sonoma County .....	39

## Malbec

'17 Layer Cake, Mendoza - Argentina .....	33
'17 Frances Coppola "Diamond Collection", Geyserville.....	35

*Wine is a living liquid containing no preservatives. Its life cycle comprises youth, maturity, old age, and death. When not treated with reasonable respect, it will sicken and die.*

- Julia Child

## Wines by the Glass

<b>White Zinfandel</b>	<b>'18 Beringer, California .....</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>"A Bottle of wine contains more Philosophy than all of the books in the world"</b>
<b>Riesling</b>	<b>'17 Chateau Ste. Michelle, Washington .....</b>	<b>7.5</b>	
<b>Pinot Grigio</b>	<b>'18 Anterra, Italy... .....</b>	<b>6.75</b>	
<b>Sauvignon Blanc</b>	<b>'18 Oyster Bay, Marlborough- New Zealand.....</b>	<b>7.75</b>	
<b>Chardonnay</b>	<b>'17 Robert Mondavi "Woodbridge", California ...</b>	<b>6</b>	
	<b>'17 Kendall Jackson, California .....</b>	<b>8.95</b>	
	<b>'17 Ferrari-Carano, Alexander Valley .....</b>	<b>10.95</b>	
<b>Pinot Noir</b>	<b>'17 Château St. Jean, California.....</b>	<b>7.95</b>	
	<b>'17 Meomi, Santa Barbara, Monterrey, Sonoma..</b>	<b>10.5</b>	
<b>Syrah-Shiraz</b>	<b>'16 Coppola "Diamond Collection", Geyserville</b>	<b>7.75</b>	
<b>Zinfandel</b>	<b>'17 Cline, California .....</b>	<b>7</b>	
<b>Merlot</b>	<b>'15 Stone Cellars, California .....</b>	<b>6</b>	
<b>Malbec</b>	<b>'16 Coppola "Diamond Collection", Geyserville</b>	<b>8.95</b>	
<b>Meritage/Blend</b>	<b>'18 19 Crimes, Southeastern Australia .....</b>	<b>7.95</b>	
<b>Cabernet</b>	<b>'17 Robert Mondavi "Woodbridge", California..</b>	<b>6</b>	
	<b>'16 J. Lohr "Seven Oaks", Paso Robles .....</b>	<b>8.95</b>	
	<b>'17 Rodney Strong, Sonoma .....</b>	<b>10.95</b>	
	<b>'17 Franciscan, Napa, Monterey .....</b>	<b>11.25</b>	
	<b>'17 Beringer "Knights Valley", Napa.....</b>	<b>12.95</b>	
<b>Champagne</b>	<b>NV Mumm, Napa .....</b>	<b>7.5</b>	
<b>Port</b>	<b>Sandeman, Ruby .....</b>	<b>5</b>	
	<b>Fonseca Bin 27, Tawny .....</b>	<b>7</b>	
	<b>Dows 20 Year, Tawny .....</b>	<b>13</b>	

### Imports

<b>France</b>	<b>NV Piper Heidsieck "Brut", France .....</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>"Most of the confidence which I appear to feel, especially when influenced by noon wine, is only a pretense."</b>
<b>Italy</b>	<b>'18 Anterra Pinot Grigio, Italy.....</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>-Tennessee Williams</b>
	<b>'15 Gabbiano "Chianti Classico Riserva", Italy</b>	<b>41</b>	
	<b>'15 Capital de Roari "Amarone Della Valpolicella", Italy</b>		
<b>Australia</b>	<b>'18 19 Crimes Red Blend, Southeastern Australia</b>	<b>29</b>	
	<b>'17 Layer Cake Shiraz, South Australia .....</b>	<b>33</b>	
	<b>'16 Penfolds "Bin 389" Cabernet Shiraz, South Australia</b>		
<b>New Zealand</b>	<b>'18 Oyster Bay Sauvignon Blanc, Marlborough - New Zealand</b>		
	<b>'18 Kim Crawford, Marlborough - New Zealand..</b>	<b>38</b>	

**"A Bottle of wine contains more Philosophy than all of the books in the world"**

**-Louis Pasteur**

**"Of all things known to mortals, wine is the most powerful and effectual for exciting and inflaming the passions of mankind, being common fuel to them all."**

**-Francis Bacon**

**"Boys should abstain from all use of wine until their eighteenth year, for it is wrong to add fire to fire."**

**-Plato**

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**-Tennessee Williams**

**"Maybe it's because I'm getting older, I'm finding enjoyment in things that stop time. Just the simple act of tasting a glass of wine is its own event. You're not downing a glass of wine in the midst of doing something else."**

**-David M Reese**