

Meritage/Blends

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 58F. 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 btls
Jeroboam 4 btls
Rehoboam 6 btls
Imperiale 8 btls
Balthazar: 16 btls
Nebuchadnezzar: 20 btls

Vintages are subject to change due to product availability.

'21 19 Crimes, Southeastern Australia.....	34
'21 Conundrum Caymus Properties, California.....	38
'22 "Pessimist" by DAOU Vineyards, Paso Robles.....	41
'21 Caymus "The Walking Fool", Suisun Valley.....	64
'19 Harvey & Harriet, San Luis Obispo County.....	65
'22 BV "Tapestry", Napa.....	81
'21 "Bin 389" by Penfolds, Southern Australia.....	99
'19 Opus One "Overture", Napa.....	195
'21 Pahlmeyer, Napa.....	285

Pinot Noir

'21 Joel Gott, California.....	35
'22 Duck Pond "Willamette Valley", Oregon.....	40
'21 Meiomi, California.....	46
'21 Bianchi, Paso Robles.....	45
'22 8 Years in the Desert by Orin Swift, St Helena.....	66
'21 Duckhorn Migration, "Russian River Valley".....	69
'21 Duckhorn Goldeneye, Anderson Valley.....	81
'21 Sea Smoke "Ten", Santa Rita Hills.....	225

Zinfandel

'21 Cline, California.....	27
'22 Predator, Lodi.....	35
'19 Joel Gott, California.....	40
'21 Bianchi, Paso Robles.....	45
'21 Dry Creek "100 Year Vines", Sonoma County.....	55
'20 Rombauer, California.....	65

Merlot

'21 Leese-Fitch, California.....	29
'21 14 Hands, Columbia Valley.....	30
'20 Kendall Jackson "Vintners Reserve", California.....	38
'19 Markham, Napa.....	45
'20 Emmolo by Caymus, Napa.....	67
'20 Duckhorn, Napa.....	79

Malbec

'22 Layer Cake, Mendoza - Argentina.....	35
'22 Norton Reserva, Mendoza - Argentina.....	39
'21 Terrazas Reserva, Mendoza - Argentina.....	48

*"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."
- DM Reese*

*"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 Broadbent*

Chardonnay

'22 Woodbridge by Robert Mondavi, California.....	26
'21 McManis Estate, California.....	30
'21 Bonterra "Organic", California.....	31
'22 Kendall Jackson "Vintners Reserve", California.....	38
'22 Ferrari-Carano, Alexander Valley.....	42
'21 DAOU Paso Robles.....	45
'22 Stags' Leap Winery, Napa.....	47
'22 Rombauer, Carneros.....	68
'22 Cakebread, Napa.....	71
'23 Far Nente, Napa.....	82

Sauvignon Blanc

'22 Oyster Bay, Marlborough - New Zealand.....	34
'22 Kim Crawford, Marlborough - New Zealand.....	38
'22 1000 Stories, California.....	40
'22 Black Stallion, Napa.....	49
'23 Cloudy Bay, New Zealand.....	79

Other Whites

'22 Beringer White Zinfandel, California.....	26
'22 Anterra Pinot Grigio, Italy.....	30
'22 Chateau Ste. Michelle Riesling, Washington.....	33
'22 Diadora Rose, Monterey.....	49

Champagne/Prosecco

NV Gambino Prosecco "Extra Dry", Italy.....	36
NV Mumm Cuvée, Napa.....	39
NV Nicolas Feuillate Reserve "Brut", France.....	69

Italian Reds

'22 Gabbiano Cavaliere d' Oro Chianti, Italy.....	29
'21 Centine Toscana, by Banfi, Italy.....	36
'19 Capital de Roari "Amarone Della Valpolicella," Italy.....	72
'18 Banfi Brunello di Montalcino, Italy.....	92

Cabernet Sauvignon

'21 Woodbridge by Robert Mondavi, California.....	26
'21 Sterling, California.....	30
'21 J. Lohr "Seven Oaks", Paso Robles.....	38
'21 Liberty School by Austin Hope, Paso Robles.....	41
'20 High Heaven, Columbia Valley, Washington.....	45
'22 DACU, Paso Robles.....	49
'21 Justin, Paso Robles.....	53
'21 Inception, Santa Barbara County.....	56
'22 DACU "Reserve", Paso Robles.....	68
'21 Hilltop Cuvée by J. Lohr, Paso Robles.....	74
'21 Allomi "Hess Collection", Napa.....	79
'22 Austin Hope (1 Liter), Paso Robles.....	79
'20 Stags' Leap Wine Cellars, Napa.....	82
'22 Faust, Napa.....	82
'21 Duckhorn, Napa.....	91
'21 Bella Union, by Far Nente, Napa.....	95
'21 Caymus California.....	98
'17 Lion Tamer – Lions Head Collection, Napa.....	105
'21 Iron Corral by Hess, Napa.....	115
'19 Château Montelena, Napa.....	115
'19 Silver Oak, Alexander Valley.....	125
'21 Chimney Rock, "Stags Leap District", Napa.....	145
'21 Jayson, by Pahlmeyer, Napa.....	145
'21 Caymus Napa (1 Liter).....	155
'14 Silver Oak, Library Edition, Alexander Valley.....	215
'18 Silver Oak, Napa.....	215

Syrah/Shiraz

'21 Layer Cake Shiraz, South Australia.....	35
'19 Bianchi Petite Sirah, Paso Robles.....	45
'18 Stags' Leap Winery Petite Syrah, Napa.....	72
'21 "Bn 389" Cabernet Shiraz by Penfolds, South Australia.....	99

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. Benbetter

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

- Ernest Hemingway

By The Glass

Chardonnay	'22 Robert Mondavi "Woodbridge", California.....	7	<i>"A Bottle of wine contains more Philosophy than all of the books in the world"</i> -Louis Pasteur	
	'22 Kendall Jackson, California.....	10		
	'22 Ferrari-Carano, Alexander Valley.....	11		
Sauvignon Blanc	'21 Oyster Bay, Marlborough- New Zealand.....	9		
Rose	'21 Diadora, Monterrey.....	9		
Pinot Grigio	'22 Anterra, Italy.....	8		<i>"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."</i> -Francis Bacon
White Zinfandel	'22 Beringer, California.....	7		
Riesling	'22 Chateau St. Michelle, Washington.....	9		
Pinot Noir	'21 Joel Gott, California.....	10		
	'21 Meomi, Santa Barbara, Monterrey, Sonoma.....	12		
Zinfandel	'21 Joel Gott, California.....	10		
Merlot	'21 14 Hands, Columbia Valley.....	8		
Malbec	'22 Layer Cake, Mendoza - Argentina.....	10		
Meritage/Blend	'21 19 Crimes, Southeastern Australia.....	9		
Cabernet	'21 Robert Mondavi "Woodbridge", California.....	7	<i>"Boys should abstain from all use of wine until their eighteenth year, for it is wrong to add fire to fire"</i> -Plato	
	'21 J. Lohr "Seven Oaks", Paso Robles.....	10		
	'21 Liberty School by Austin Hope", Paso Robles.....	12		
	'22 DACU Paso Robles.....	13		
	NV Gambino Prosecco "Extra Dry", Italy.....	8		
Sparkling	NV Mumm Cuvée, Napa.....	9	<i>"Most of the confidence which I appear to feel, especially when influenced by noon wine, is only a pretense."</i> -Tennessee Williams	
<u>Draft</u>	*<u>Dos Desperados Brewery - San Marcos, CA</u>		<i>"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."</i> -Anonymous	
		* Hazy Daisy IPA 6.5%		
		* Ruffian Red Ale 5.8%		
		* Magnificat Lager 4.7%		
		* Most Wanted IPA 6.2%		
		* Blood Orange Blonde 5.6%		
<u>Bottle</u>	Guinness Stout (Can)-Dublin, Ireland	4.2%	<i>"Wine makes daily living easier, less hurried, with fewer tensions and more tolerance; peaceful"</i> -DM Reese	
	Stella Artois-Leuven, Belgium	4.6%		
	Mdelo-Mexico	4.4%		
	Corona-Mexico	4.6%		
	Bud Light-USA	4.2%		
	Coors Light-USA	4.2%		
	Corona Non-Alcoholic, -Mexico	0.5%		
	Budweiser-USA	5.0%		