

Wine List

We have scoured the world of wine to find the very best from producers who tend to be smaller and family owned (like us). Most of them farm with great respect for the environment, using minimal chemicals, and a few are completely organic.

We believe that we need to do our utmost so that you end up with a wine that suits your personal palate perfectly, so we make sure our staff taste these frequently – please do ask for a description if you need it.

As a very special welcome, we also have an everchanging selection of extra fine wines at amazingly fine prices! You will not see their like again; so do take advantage of these while you can.

White

Patrice Rion Nuit-St-Georges 1er Cru Les Terres Blanches, Burgundy, France, 2009

Incredibly rare wine – a white made in a legendary red appellation. Patrice Rion farms organically and is one of our favourites Burgundians. This is extraordinarily good – complex, powerful fruit with just a dash of oak.

Francois D'Allaines Puligny-Montrachet, Burgundy, France, 2009

Francois D'Allaines founded his own Domaine in Burgundy in 1996, after a career working in hotels. His wines taste like he has been doing it for much longer. Elegant and assured with wonderfully crisp fruit and mineral flavours.

Was	Now
£95	£90

£80	£75
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Red

Chateau de Puy, Cotes de Francs, Bordeaux, 2007

From a 400 year old estate, this is made by a father and son team who farm organically and do not use any new oak. This allows the beautifully pure plum fruit, chocolate and underlying rusticity of the fruit to shine through. Very well made and a pleasure to drink.

Roagna Barolo Riserva 'La Rocca', Piedmont, Italy, 2004

Luca Roagna took over wine making from his father a few years ago and while still young, is already showing that he is more than capable of producing great, classic examples of Barolo. This has the taut, muscular, slightly floral red fruit you would expect with much more finesse than most.

Was	Now
£65	£60

£130	£100
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THE GLASSHOUSE

Champagne

	Glass	Bottle
Taittinger Brut Reserve NV Light bodied, fine and beautifully restrained.	(125ml) £14.00	£62.00
Louis Roederer Brut Premier NV Rich, complex and full bodied.	£16.00	£67.00
Louis Roederer Demi Sec Carte Blanche NV A sweeter style of Champagne with a rich, creamy texture.		£70.00
Larmandier Bernier Premier Cru Blanc de Blancs NV (150 ml) A biodynamic Champagne made exclusively from Chardonnay grapes.		£70.00
Pol Roger White Foil NV Medium bodied, classically austere and refined.		£75.00
Bollinger Special Cuvee NV Powerful, richly fruity and full bodied.		£95.00
Louis Roederer Brut Vintage, 2005 Opulent fruit and toasted, spicy brioche.		£110.00
Taittinger Brut Vintage, 2004 Light to medium bodied with refined, graceful citrus fruit and brioche flavours.		£95.00
Bollinger Grande Annee, 2002 Full bodied, robust fruit and rich toast flavours.		£130.00
Taittinger Comtes de Champagne Blanc de Blancs, 2000 Medium bodied, exquisitely fine and delicate with great complexity none the less.		£250.00
Louis Roederer Cristal, 2004 Full bodied, opulent fruit and rich biscuit flavours from a legendary fine vintage Champagne.		£300.00

Rosé

	Glass (125ml)	Bottle
Ayala Rose NV Delicate strawberry and raspberry perfume with a dry mineral finish.	£15.00	£70.00
Taittinger Prestige Rose NV Elegant and fine red and black berry fruit.		£82.00
Bollinger Rose NV Top quality, powerful rose with weight and spice to balance the fruit.		£88.00

Sparkling

	Glass	Bottle
Bellenda Prosecco, Veneto, Italy, 2010 Light bodied with red and green apple flavours and delicate bubbles.	£9.00	£40.00
Louis Roederer Quartet, Mendocino, California NV Full bodied, very ripe fruit and toasty spice.		£47.00

White

Light bodied, fresh and crisp

	Glass (175ml)	Bottle
Ponte Pietra Trebbiano/Gargenega, Veneto, Italy, 2011 Made by legendary New Zealand wine maker Matt Thompson from grape varieties traditionally blended in Soave, this is light, fresh and deliciously easy to drink.	£5.00	£21.00
Cantine Belisario Verdicchio di Matelica 'Terre di Valbona' Marche, Italy, 2011 From a zone slightly further inland which means a longer growing season and so more complexity in the grapes, this has fantastic lemon and grapefruit zestiness.		£28.00
Cortegaria Pinot Grigio della Venezie, Veneto, Italy, 2011 Made by the renowned house of Allegrini from grapes which they buy in (hence the different label), this has light red apple and pear flavours with a hint of rich honey.		£29.00
Claude Branger Muscadet de Sevre-et-Maine 'Les Gras Moutons', France, 2009 Claude Branger is a leading light in the Muscadet appellation where he farms 25 hectares. This is his top wine, from old vines, and is a top version of a classic. Lean green apple and citrus flavours fatten out to a spiced cream at the back. Complex and very good indeed!		£35.00
Domaine Colette Gros Chablis, Burgundy, France, 2009 The Gautheron family have been growing vines here for 5 generations, so they know a thing or two about it. Made from a blend of grapes from 19 different communes, this is a classic Chablis – crisp and elegant.	£10.50	£44.00
Pierre Riffault Sancerre, Loire Valley, France, 2011 Pierre Riffault is still only in his late 20's, but recently took over the family Domaine and is already garnering huge praise. This has smoky peach flavours with a fresh, zingy edge.		£50.00
Donhoff Riesling, Nahe, Germany, 2010 The Donnhoff family first came to this region 200 years ago now; winemakers from the beginning. Helmut is currently in charge and this is his basic Riesling from volcanic and slate vineyards. Clean, crisp, very pure fruit flavours.		£42.00

White

Medium bodied, fruity, slightly floral or spicy

Torre del Falasco Garganega, Veneto, Italy, 2011

Garganega is of course the variety used to make Soave, so this is a very well made, every day version of that. Light, crisp, very faintly scented fruit – wonderfully easy to drink.

Glass Bottle
£23.00

**Domaine de Menard 'Cuvee Marine',
Cotes de Gasogne, France, 2010**

The name of this delicious wine comes from the fossilised shells which stud the soils of the vineyard, imparting a clean, slightly smoky minerality to the fruit flavours. Made from very esoteric Gascony varietals (Gros Manseng and Ugni Blanc, among others), this is amazing value for money.

£23.00

**Liberty Fairtrade Chenin Blanc,
Stellenbosch, South Africa, 2011**

Crisp, citrus flavours balanced by richer honeyed pear. Not only are the growers paid a very fair price for the grapes in this, but a percentage of the profits are used to benefit the local community.

£27.00

Good Hope Chardonnay, Stellenbosch, South Africa, 2010

From vineyards on the banks of the Breede River (which helps to keep things cool), this is a fabulously fruit and fresh, completely unoaked Chardonnay.

£25.00

Vigneti del Vulture Bianco Pipoli, Italy, 2011

This deliciously soft and fruity white is from a small co-operative which was recently taken over by a very quality conscious Southern Italian producer who saw great potential in the volcanic vineyards on the slopes of Mt Vulture. Rich and smoky with beautiful balance

£29.00

Domaine Champalou Vouvray, Loire, France, 2010

Didier and Catherine Champalou have been farming in Vouvray for over 20 years now and their wines are now among the most renowned of the appellation. This is a case in point – quince, pear and apple flavours all bound up with acacia honey.

£36.00

**Bodegas Terras Gauda 'San Campio' Albarino,
Rias Baixas, Spain, 2010**

If you still don't know about how delicious Albarino from Spain's North Western corner is, you really should try this and if you are already a convert, this is a particularly fine example from one of the region's leading producers. Fresh pineapple, red apple and citrus flavours.

£40.00

White

Medium bodied, fruity, slightly floral or spicy

	Glass	Bottle
Wild Earth Riesling, Central Otago, New Zealand, 2009	£9.50	£38.00
From possibly the most beautiful wine region in the world, this wonderfully complex wine is a great example of what can be achieved here. It is off dry, with the dollop of honey providing the perfect balance to the intense grapefruit and lime flavours.		
Elgin Ridge Sauvignon Blanc, Elgin, South Africa, 2010	£9.00	£35.00
Elgin is a very new wine region in South Africa, currently producing some of the best Sauvignon coming out of this country. This is beautifully crisp and fresh with flavours of grapefruit, nettle and peach.		
Isabel Estate Sauvignon Blanc, Marlborough, New Zealand, 2011		£48.00
Abandon thoughts of Cloudy Bay – experts agree that this is where it is at. Ripe peach, guava and pineapple flavours with a crisp lime edge.		
Birichino Malvasia Bianco, Santa Cruz, California, USA, 2010		£48.00
A fabulous floral and delicately fruity wine from a rather unusual variety. This is made by the team who work with the legendary Randall Grahm at the Bonny Doon winery and is both different and delicious.		

White

Fuller bodied or stronger flavours, rich, creamy, spicy or aromatic & pungent

	Glass	Bottle
Amano Bianco Fiano/Greco, Puglia, Italy, 2011	£7.00	£25.00
American wine maker Mark Shannon has been doing amazing things with southern Italian grape varieties in his adopted home of Apulia for decades now and this delicious, richly fruity white is a case in point. Tropical and very more-ish.		
Domaine Rougie Viognier, Languedoc, France, 2010		£35.00
Good value Viognier is generally pretty hard to come by but this delicious example is full of the ripe peach, apricot blossom and spice flavours that the variety is famous for.		
Sokol Blosser Evolution Lucky Edition, Oregon, USA, NV		£40.00
The Blosser family were among the pioneers in Oregon's Willamette Valley, this is their fun 'n' fruity blend of 9 different organic grape varieties – a riotous fruit salad of flavours.		
Domaine Arnaud Commier St Veran, Burgundy, France, 2010		£42.00
Arnaud Commier has only a few hectares in Southern Burgundy and he works all of these by hand, farming bio-dynamically. He is also very hands off in the winery, preferring not to fiddle too much. The results are stunning – pure, complex Burgundian fruit and mineral at an extraordinary price for good Burgundy.		
Black Rock Chenin/Chardonnay, Swartland, South Africa, 2009		£39.00
The Swartland is one of South Africa's most exciting rediscovered wine regions thanks largely to that fact that it has some amazing old vines. This is a delicious case in point with rich, spiced honey flavours perfectly balanced by a citrus twist.		
Loimer 'Lois' Gruner Veltliner, Kamptal, Austria, 2011		£34.00
A somewhat lighter and fresher version of this intriguing variety. Fred Loimer now farms biodynamically (so no nasty chemicals!) and you can expect characteristically spicy fruit in a lighter, fresher body than is often seen.		

Red

Soft or light, sometimes slightly spicy

Glass Bottle

Osaado Shiraz, Mendoza, Argentina, 2010

£5.00 £21.00

A deliciously soft and juicy red with lots of savoury spice around the edges, made by the renowned Bodegas Salentein winery in Mendoza.

Domain Chapoton Cotes-du-Rhone, Rhone, France, 2010

£30.00

Serge and Anika Remusan make this deliciously scented, black fruit wine in the Rochegude area of the southern Rhone, where they do everything by hand in the vineyard and by traditional methods in the winery.

Crimson Pinot Noir, Marlborough, New Zealand, 2011

£45.00

Ata Rangi are of course producers of one of New Zealand's top Pinot (which we have in Colette's) and this is their 'baby' version. Some of the proceeds of this bottle go towards a tree preservation scheme in New Zealand – Project Crimson.

Decendientes Petalos, Bierzo, Spain, 2010

£48.00

Legendary Rioja producer (who makes the wonderful Montessa on this list) Alvaro Palacios is involved with this exciting, new-ish winery in Bierzo in the North West corner of the country. From bio-dynamically grown grapes, this wine is both elegant and earthy – an unusual but delicious combination.

Medium bodied with rustic spice or elegant fruit

Domaine Moulines Merlot, Languedoc, France, 2009

£6.00 £24.00

Made from completely organically grown grapes, this sensational Merlot is also unfiltered; which means that all the chunks are left in. Earthier than many, it also has much more complexity and is fantastic value for money.

Ponte del Diavolo Refosco, Italy, 2010

£7.00 £28.00

A fabulously crisp, modern example of a very traditional northern Italian varietal. This has crisp red fruit flavours and a slight hint of spice around the edges. Lighter and very easy to drink.

Red

Medium bodied with rustic spice or elegant fruit

**Poggio Argentera Morellino di Scansano 'Bellamarsilia',
Tuscany, Italy, 2010**

£32.00

Scansano is a coastal region of Tuscany where a softer, fruitier version of Chianti is produced. Tellingly, 'Morellino' is what they call the local cherries as well as the local grapes and this is full of sensational red cherry and spice flavours.

Meerlust Red, Stellenbosch, South Africa, 2010

£32.00

From the producer of one of South Africa's most iconic wines, namely Meerlust Rubicon, this is a fabulously well priced and delicious younger sibling. Full of rustic, earthy red fruit, this is incredibly well made and a pleasure to drink.

Tufarello Nero di Troia 'Vigneti Canonsini', Puglia, Italy, 2011

£33.00

Nero di Troia is a very ancient grape variety which is very traditional to the Puglia region. It makes typically southern red – sun ripened red fruit flavours with a rustic, spicy edge. It has good weight but is not too heavy and so easy and delicious to drink.

Black Rock Shiraz, Radford Dale, 2009

£8.50 £36.00

Swartland is currently one of South Africa's most promising regions and this wine gives some idea of the potential. Sweet red and black berry fruit with a leather/tobacco edge – complex and delicious.

Domaine de la Berangerie Cuvee Juline, Cahors, France, 2006

£38.00

This wine is a real family concern with siblings and spouses involved! From organically grown grapes, this is proper traditional Cahors with black cherry, damson and spice.

De Martino Cinsault, Maipo, Chile 2011

£33.00

De Martino winery is fairly unique in Chile in that they are a big producer who farm many of their vineyards organically. This wine in particular is something different, having been fermented in clay amphora! This gives the Cinsault an extra fresh, slightly perfumed edge which is delicious.

Red Wines

Medium bodied with rustic spice or elegant fruit

	Glass	Bottle
Fatoria di Rodano Chianti Classico, Tuscany, Italy, 2006 This farm dates back to the middle ages and the Pozzesi family has been here since the 1700's. They make great modern Chianti which is aged in French oak and which is full of raspberry, redcurrant and cinnamon flavours.		£45.00
Olivier Riviere Rioja Rayos 'Uva', Rioja, Spain, 2010 Another wine from biodynamically grown grapes (see Domaine Cazes above), this is fresher and finer than many Rioja's with a fantastic depth of fruit. Think red cherry and liquorice.		£40.00
Domaine Patrice Rion Bourgogne Rouge, Burgundy, France, 2008 A remarkably good example of Burgundian Pinot – scented, sweet red fruit with a crisp edge. From organically grown fruit.		£62.00

More full bodied with robust spice or opulent fruit

Gran Sasso Montepulciano d'Abruzzo, Italy, 2011 A deliciously supple, modern example of what the Montepulciano variety can do – rich, earthy black fruit and spice.		£25.00
Clonakilla Hilltops Shiraz, Canberra, Australia, 2011 Clonakilla is one of Australia's leading estates, particularly for Shiraz which is much fresher and more elegant here, in the cooler climate. Red and black berry fruit with an edge of white and black pepper.		£50.00
Chateau Moulin de Lagnet, St Emilion, Bordeaux, France, 2009 Very classic Claret made on a tiny, family owned property; from organically grown grapes. In a region dominated by global corporations who have snapped up properties as investments; this is a rare and wonderful thing and as a bonus; the wine is sensational too!	£11.00	£45.00

Red Wines

	Glass	Bottle
Alpha Zeta Amarone, Veneto, Italy, 2010		£62.00
<p>Amarone is of course Italy's famous wine made from dried grapes which give it rich and powerful velvety weight along with black cherry and bitter chocolate flavours. This is a supple, sleek and very modern version at a fantastic price.</p>		
Ridge Lytton Springs Zinfandel/Petite Sirah/Carignan, Sonoma, California, 2010		£88.00
<p>An American classic from the stable of Paul Draper – wine maker extraordinaire. This Zinfandel is blended with Petite Sirah and Carignan, giving a rich, earthy edge to the juicy, glossy fruit.</p>		
Qupe Hillside Syrah Select, Santa Barbara County, California, USA, 2005		£75.00
<p>Legendary wine from one of the first people to start to make wine from Rhone varietals in California. Bob Lindquist knows his Syrah and it shows. Intense, ripe blackberry fruit with an edge of black pepper and wood smoke.</p>		

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Rosé

	Glass	Bottle
Masciarelli Rosato, Abruzzo, Italy, 2010 Produced by Gianni Masciarelli and his wife Marina from organically grown grapes this easy drinking summer rose is packed full of gorgeously bright, refreshing, cherry fruit flavours.		£25.00
Chateaux Ollieux Romanis Corbieres Rosé, Languedoc, France, 2010 A delicate rose with floral flavours and hints of herbs and spices.	£7.00	£28.00
Amano Rose, Puglia, Italy, 2010 Californian Mark Shannon is now one of Puglia's leading lights, making wonderful wines like this. Rustic and earthy spice with a fabulously fresh edge and a hint of aromatics.		£30.00
Have a half... you can also choose from our list below of half bottles that are available		
Cantine Leonardo Chianti, Tuscany, Italy, 2009 - Red Deliciously earthy red fruit flavours with good grip and a slightly spicy edge.		£16.00
Franz Haas Pinot Grigio, Alto Adige, Italy, 2009 - White Splendidly, subtly spiced, honeyed fruit and bitter almond flavours.		£25.00
Colombier Chablis 1er Cru 'Fourchaume', Burgundy, France, 2008/2009 - White Classic and elegant with flavours of citrus and flint.		£35.00
Tattinger Brut 37.5cl Light bodied, fine and beautifully restrained.		£35.00

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Pudding Wines

	Glass (100ml)	Bottle
Les Clos de Paulilles Banyuls Rimage, Roussillon, France, 2008 - 50cl		£24.00
Chocolate, roasted hazelnuts and spicy, sweet raspberries – especially good with chocolate desserts.		
La Magendia de Lapeyre Jurançon Petit Manseng, Jurançon, France, 2007	£7.75	£29.00
Sublime mango, coconut, grapefruit and banana – superb with rich desserts or if Chef is feeling generous, foie gras! (Bottle 37.5cl)		
Chateau Dauphiné Rondillon Cuvée d'Or, Loupiac, France, 2005	£8.00	£30.00
Not quite Sauternes and so much cheaper, this none the less has fabulously concentrated tangerine and peach flavours with a crystalised grapefruit edge. Especially good with rich, creamy desserts. (Bottle 37.5cl)		
Oremus Noble Late Harvest Sweet Furmint, Tokaji, Hungary, 2007		£40.00
Not quite as rich and unctuous as most sweet wine from Tokaji, this has delicious honeyed mandarin and orange blossom flavours and is made by a top producer.		

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Port

	Glass (100ml)	Bottle
Ramos Pinto Late Bottled Vintage, 2005	£7.00	£40.00
Ramos Pinto 10 year old Tawny (Bottle 750ml)	£9.50	£55.00
Quinta do Infantado Vintage Port, 1997		£70.00

Sherry

	Glass (100ml)	Bottle
La Gitana Manzanilla (Bottle 37.5cl)	£6.00	£13.00
Lustau Almacenista Manzanilla Pasada, Jerez, Spain	£5.00	£23.00
Tio Pepe	£6.00	

Digestifs

	Glass (50ml)
Maxime Trijol VSOP Cognac	£10.50
Baron de Sigognac 10 year old Reserve Armagnac	£10.00
Delamain Pale & Dry XO Cognac	£14.00

Cigars

Guatanamera Minutos Quite a smooth cigar. Ideal for starters and really good with apéritifs.	£7.00 each
Upmann Coronas Junior An easy smoke, again perfect with apéritif.	£8.00 each
Bolivar N1 A powerful smoke with a hint of dried fruit tanginess, giving a certain edginess.	£14.50 each
Cohiba Siglo II Tubo An easy little cigar to smoke that provides a fine taste of wood and spice, climaxing with hints of caramel.	£16.50 each
Cohiba Siglo VI Certain to become a legend with some flavour of spice, sail wood and oranges for the cigar lover.	£36.00 each
Cohiba Minis	£9.50 per pack
Montecristo Petit Edmundo This may be a short cigar, but with a 52 ring gauge, it certainly packs a punch!	£16.50 each
Montecristo Petit Tubos Minis One the most famous tubos cigars smoked from Cuba...	£7.50 per pack
Romeo & Julieta Churchill Tubo The cigar that redefines the concept of creamy smoke. Robust and complex, its multitude of flavours include vanilla, coffee, tropical fruits, wood, cocoa nut, herbs and flowers.	£23.00 each
Romeo & Julieta Short Churchill Tubo Perfect for your coffee break or apéritif smoke, and goes quite well with a cider!	£18.50
Romeo & Julieta Minis	£7.50 per pack
Hoyo de Montgomery Epicure Especial Tubos A relatively young cigar that offers serious ageing potential.	£25.00 each

