
SAM'S CHOP
HOUSE

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Wine List

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White Wine By The Glass

125ml/175ml/250ml/Bottle

VIOGNIER, AUBERT AND MATHIEU, 'PALOOZA' IGP OC, FRANCE, (VG / VN) £5.25/£7.90/£10.45/£31.00

Feel the warm glow of southern France upon your face with this refreshing Viognier. Deliciously light but with an abundance of ripe peach, citrus fruit and lychee with a light floral touch

ZIBIBBO (MUSCAT), COLOMBA BIANCA, SICILY (VG / VN) £4.65/£6.85/£9.15/£27.00

Mediterranean holiday in a glass. Mandarin, melon, jasmine, orange blossom, ginger and blood grapefruit. Crisp and refreshing. Muscat, or Zibibbo (Arabic for Za'bib – "raisin") as it is known from Sicily is one of the world's most ancient varieties

PICPOUL DE PINET, ROQUEMOLIERE, LANGUEDOC-ROUSSILLON, FRANCE (VG / VN) £5.10/£7.65/£10.10/£30.00

The classic southern French seafood wine. Fresh, bone-dry, lemon, citrus blossom, tangy grapefruit and minerality

PINOT GRIGIO, SARTORI, 'LOVE STORY', VENEZIE, ITALY (VG / VN) £4.20/£6.50/£8.40/£25.00

Classic style. Bags of orchard fruits, nice acidity, citrus, apple and orange peel

CHENIN BLANC, STORMY CAPE, SOUTH AFRICA – (VG) £4.20/£6.50/£8.40/£24.50

South Africa – the new home of quality Chenin. Pear, quince, passionfruit, candied ginger and rich

HUXELREBE / PINOT BLANC, NEW HALL WINE ESTATE, 'BARONS LANE WHITE', ESSEX, ENGLAND (VG) £5.90/£8.85/£11.80/£35.00

Fantastic, old vine dry English. Fruit driven with pear, candied grapefruit and lemon, honeysuckle and hint of English hedgerow on the nose. Scummy

SAUVIGNON BLANC, FROST POCKET, MARLBOROUGH, NEW ZEALAND (VG / VN) £5.60/£8.35/£11.10/£33.00

If it isn't broken....bags of grapefruit citrus, passionfruit, pineapple, flint, lemon grass, green pepper and deliciously mouth-watering

WYNNS ESTATE, CHARDONNAY, COONAWARRA, AUSTRALIA, 2021 (VG / VN) £5.75/£8.60/£11.50/£34.00

Great Aussie Chardonnay. Tropical fruit, pear, melon and peach with touches of vanilla honey, butter and almond.

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Red Wine By The Glass

125ml/175ml/250ml/Bottle

SYRAH / VIOGNIER, AUBERT & MATHIEU, PALOOZA ROUGE,
PAYS D'OC, FRANCE £5.25/£7.85/£10.50/£31.00

Fresh, bright and spicy blend from southern France. You can feel the sunshine in every sip. Dark cherries, strawberries, violet, wild herbs and refreshing acidity

TEMPRANILLO, RAMON BILBAO CRIANZA, 'JOURNEY COLLECTION',
RIOJA, SPAIN (VG / VN) £5.60/£8.35/£11.10/£33.00

Classic Rioja Crianza. Cherry, raspberry and dried fig. Perfumed, coconut oak, sweet tobacco and wild herbs

MERLOT / CABERNET FRANC, CHATEAU DUBARD BEL-AIR,
PUISSENGUIN-ST EMILION, BORDEAUX, FRANCE (VG / VN) £7.75/£11.40/£15.20/£45.00

Wow, what a wine. Powerful and opulent. Dense black cherry, hint of earthiness, toffee caramel, liquorice, dark chocolate and with a great structure. Great value Bordeaux. Treat yourself

PRIMITIVO, BOHEME, PUGLIA, ITALY (VG / VN) £4.50/£6.65/£8.75/£26.00

Southern Italian bursting with sunshine. Plum sauce, bramble, milk chocolate, violet and pepper

PINOT NOIR, VINA ECHEVERRIA, GRAN RESERVA, VALLE DE BIO
BIO, CHILE (VG / VN) £5.20/£7.85/£10.45/£31.00

A richer style of Pinot Noir, with a rounded palate. All of the berries, hint of stewed plum with a hint of herbaceous undergrowth. Yum

MALBEC, HUMBERTO CANALE, PATAGONIA, ARGENTINA (VG) £6.10/£9.10/£12.10/£36.00

From the end of the world. And who doesn't love a good Malbec. Plum, cassis, oaky notes, leather, aromatic and balanced. Pass the steak

CABERNET SAUVIGNON, DE MARTINO, ESTATE RED, MAIPO VALLEY,
CHILE (VG / VN) £4.70/£6.15/£9.20/£27.50

Brilliant Chilean Cabernet from a superb producer. Ripe blackcurrant, cassis and red berries. Rich and intense with crisp acidity and soft tannins

MONTEPULCIANO D'ABRUZZO, BOVE, ABRUZZO, ITALY (VG / VN) £4.25/£6.35/£8.50/£25.00

Great value Italian. Deep ruby red, red berries, black cherry, liquorice, thyme and baking spices. Soft, warm and with great length

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Rose By The Glass / Bottle

125ml/175ml/250ml/Bottle

NERO D'AVOLA BLUSH, COLOMBA BIANCA, 'LUMARI' ROSATO,
SICILY (VG / VN)

£4.50/£6.65/£8.75/£25.00

*Summer in a glass. Bags of light red berries, rosewater, lovely and dry
and hint of wild herbs*

ZINFANDEL, WEST COAST SWING, USA

£4.00/£5.85/£7.75/£23.00

*Apple and blackcurrant cordial. Watermelon, citrus zest and with a lick of
nice acidity*

TOURIGA NACIONAL / TINA RORIZ, QUINTA DO CRASTO, DOURO
VALLEY, PORTUGAL (VG)

£6.10/£8.10/£12.10/£36.00

*Another example of brilliant Portuguese winemaking. Bags of strawberry,
cantaloupe melon, violet perfume, lemon and lovely minerality*

GRENADE / SYRAH, CHATEAU SAINTE MARGUERITE,
COTE DU PROVENCE, FRANCE, 2021 (VG)

£40.00

*Limited availability - One of the world's great rose's, from the world's
greatest rose region. Pure finesse and generosity. Strawberries, juicy
pomelo, Mediterranean herbs, beautiful acidity and sunshine*

Sparkling Wine By The Glass / Bottle

THE QUINTESSENTIAL WAY TO CELEBRATE SUCH SPECIAL OCCASIONS AS CLOCKING OFF FOR THE WEEKEND (OR BIRTHDAY / ANNIVERSARIES) . FROM YOUR FRESH ITALIAN APERITIVO BUBBLES, VIA ENGLISH AND HUNGARIAN WONDERS TO YOUR RICH, BRIOCHE-LADEN CHAMPAGNES WHY NOT INDULGE IN A BOTTLE OF THE GOOD STUFF. SALUT!

125ml/Bottle

BOLE, SPUMANTE, EMILIA ROMAGNA, ITALY, NV (VG)

£5.15 / £30.00

Great quality Italian bubbles. Delicate jasmine, elderflower, green apple and pear

BOLE, ROSATO SPUMANTE, EMILIA ROMAGANA, ITALY, NV

£5.50/£32.00

Intense and stylish. Rose petals, wild red berries, zesty grapefruit and a hint of freshly baked bread

GUSBOURNE ESTATE BRUT, KENT, 2019

£50.00

Champagne quality from our very own shores. Pinot Noir, Chardonnay and Pinot Meunier combine bringing juicy peach, cherry, baked brioche, cinnamon and sweet spice. Scrumptious

SAUSKA, METHODE TRADATIONNELLE, BRUT, TOKAJI, HUNGARY, NV (VG)

£42.00

Award-winning and absolutely fantastic sparkling, from the oldest classified wine region in the world. Ripe orchard fruits, honey, lemon curd, juicy pineapple and with exceptional length on the palate

G.H MUMM, CORDON ROUGE, REIMS, NV

£65.00

One of the flag carriers of Champagne. Fresh lemon, grapefruit, white peach, apple tart, caramel, vanilla and honey. Yummy

PERRIER-JOUET, GRAND BRUT, EPERNAY, NV (VG / VN)

£75.00

C'est magnifique. Attractive, youthful and with delicate floral aromatics followed by buttery brioche, vanilla and rich fruit.

PLEASE FEEL FREE TO ASK OUR SOMMELIER GEORGE FOR ANY SPECIALS THAT HE MAY HAVE IN STOCK

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Port & Dessert Wines

SWEET WINES ARE DIFFICULT TO MAKE. THE YIELDS TEND TO BE MINISCULE, HENCE THE PRICE TENDS TO BE HIGHER. BUT THEIR RICHNESS AND INDEED THEIR SWEETNESS MEANS THAT WE CRAVE ONLY A SMALL DROP OF THIS PLEASURE.

FROM THE ACACIA HONEY AND APRICOT OF TOKAJI TO THE ANCIENT MONEMVASIA WITH ITS TOFFEE CARAMEL AND FIG PALATE, WE'VE GOT YOUR CRAVINGS COVERED. AND DON'T FORGET THE PORT.

50ml/100ml/Bottle

SAUSKA, 5 PUTTONYOS, TOKAJI, HUNGARY, 50CL (VG / VN) - £4.75/£10.25/£45.00
PLATINUM MEDAL DECANter WWA | 97 / 100

A winery that always produces great wines and this is no different. The classic style of Tokaji made from the lovely Furmint grape variety. Lusciously sweet and loaded with orchard fruits, pear aromas, acacia honey and orange marmalade

MONEMVASIA WINERY, MALVASIA VIN LIASTOS, LACONIA, GREECE, 2012 (VG / VN) £50.00
37.5CL ~ SILVER MEDAL DWWA | 93 / 100 | GOLD BERLINER WINE AWARDS

As ancient as they come and up until the Middle-Ages Malvasia wines in this style were revered all across the Mediterranean and Europe. Made just inland from the Aegean sea at an altitude of 300m this sweet Malvasia is dark amber in colour with aromas and flavours of dried fruits, toffee caramel, nuts and coconut with a beautifully concentrated, long finish on the palate.

LUCIEN LURTON, 'LES GARONELLES' SAUTERNES, BORDEAUX, £4.25/£8.25/£30.00
FRANCE, 2020 (VG) 37.5CL

The classic Sauternes style made from a blend of Semillon and Sauvignon Blanc. Perfect with a slab of blue cheese or scrummy citrus desserts. Apricot, grilled pineapple, honey, orange zest and crème brulee. An elegant palate with lovely finesse

QUADY, 'ELYSIUM' BLACK MUSCAT, CALIFORNIA, 2021 (VG / VN) £4.70/£9.50/£35.00
37.5CL

A sweet wine list wouldn't be complete without a Muscat. Brilliant crimson in appearance with wonderful aromas of ripe berries, rose petals, strawberries and lychee. Vibrant and deliciously refreshing. Delicious over ice

BODEGAS MONOVAR, FONDILLON, ALICANTE, SPAIN, 1996 (VG / VN) 50CL ~ £90.00
17.5 / 20 JANCIS ROBINSON

Imagine a cross between a top Tawny Port and an Amontillado sherry and that is what we have here. Alongside Jerez, Bordeaux, Port and Champagne, this Fondillon from PDO Vinos Alicante is recognized by the E.U as a 'European Luxury Wine', unfortified and with its own natural alcohol, made from overripe 80 year old Monastrell vines and aged in oak barrels for 10 year (by law). "Powerful, classic and exhubert" – honeyed, smoky, salty, toffee, coffee, tobacco and fig, finished with almonds and mocha. This is quite the bottle of wine

GRAHAMS, LBV, PORTUGAL £39.00

GRAHAMS, 10 YEAR OLD TAWNY, £4.50/£7.00/£45.00
PORTUGAL

QUINTA DO CRASTO, LBV, £3.50/£6.00/£39.00
PORTUGAL

White Wine By The Bottle ~ Light & Zesty

HAPPY GO LUCKY BUT IN NO WAY INFERIOR THESE WINES LOVE THE LIGHTER DISHES ON THE MENU AND ARE THE PERFECT COMPLEMENT TO LIGHT SALADS, WHITE FISH DISHES, SANDWICHES BUT ALSO PERFECTLY SUITABLE TO DRINKING ON THEIR OWN.

WEINGUT RABL, 'LANGENLOIS', GRUNER VELTLINER, KAMPTAL, AUSTRIA, 2021, (VG / VN) - 91 / 100 - WEINGUIDE OSTERREICH	<i>Bottle</i> £40.00
<i>Super food friendly Gruner Veltliner. Green apple, honeydew melon, pear, grapefruit, minerals, honey, white pepper and capsicum with cascading acidity</i>	
NEW HALL WINE ESTATE, HUXELREBE / PINOT BLANC, 'BARONS LANE WHITE', ESSEX, ENGLAND, 2021 (VG)	£35.00
<i>Fantastic, old vine dry English. Fruit driven with pear, candied grapefruit and lemon, honeysuckle and hint of English hedgerow on the nose. Scrummy</i>	
SARTORI, PINOT GRIGIO, VENEZIE, ITALY, 2021 (VG / VN)	£25.00
<i>Classic style. Bags of orchard fruits, nice acidity, citrus, apple and orange peel</i>	
CASA A PASSARELLA, DESCOBERTA BRANCO, ENCRUZADO / MALVASIA / VERDELHO, DAO, PORTUGAL, 2021 (VG / VN)	£35.00
<i>Great seafood wine. Granny Smith, lime, hint of tropical fruits and with a stony minerality on the fish.</i>	
COLOMBA BIANCA, ZIBIBBO, SICILY, 2021 (VG / VN) - DWWA BRONZE 88/100 93 LUCA MARONI	£27.00
<i>Mediterranean holiday in a glass. Mandarin, melon, jasmine, orange blossom, ginger and blood grapefruit. Crisp and refreshing</i>	
MARTIN CODAX, 'ALBA MARTIN' ALBARINO, RIAS BIAXAS, SPAIN, 2021 (VG / VN)	£36.00
<i>Feel the seaside vibes with this delicious, seafood friendly wine from north-west Spain. Apricot and peach, candied lemon, smooth with crisp acidity, hint of salinity and a rich palate</i>	
SAUSKA, DRY FURMINT, TOKAJI, HUNGARY, 2020 (VG / VN) - DECANTER 91 PTS 16.5 / 20 JANCIS ROBINSON	£35.00
<i>Delightful. Elderflower and mint aromas with orchard fruits, ripe pear, gooseberry and mango and with a nutty finish.</i>	
STORMY CAPE, CHENIN BLANC, SOUTH AFRICA, 2021 (VG / VN)	£24.50
<i>South Africa – the new home of quality Chenin. Pear, quince, passionfruit, candied ginger and rich</i>	
VIIGNIER, AUBERT AND MATHIEU, 'PALOOZA' IGP OC, FRANCE, 2021 (VG / VN)	£31.00
<i>Feel the warm glow of southern France upon your face with this refreshing Viognier. Deliciously light but with an abundance of ripe peach, citrus fruit and lychee with a light floral touch</i>	

White Wine By The Bottle ~ Dry & Refreshing

WINES WITH FRUITY VIBRANCY, LUSCIOUSLY RIPE FLAVOURS, A TANGY BITE OF ACIDITY, TOUCH OF SPICE AND MAYBE EVEN A STRONG DOSE OF VITAMIN D. ADD ZING TO FISH AND SEAFOOD, VEGETARIAN CUISINE, PORK AND LIGHTER MEAT DISHES OR ON THEIR OWN FOR A HIT OF MUCH NEEDED SUNSHINE.

	<i>Bottle</i>
FROST POCKET, SAUVIGNON BLANC, MARLBOROUGH, NEW ZEALAND, 2021 (VG / VN) <i>If it isn't broken....bags of grapefruit citrus, passionfruit, pineapple, flint, lemon grass, green pepper and deliciously mouth-watering</i>	£33.00
ROQUEMOLIERE, PICPOUL DE PINET, LANGUEDOC-ROUSSILLON, FRANCE, 2021 (VG / VN) <i>The classic southern French seafood wine. Fresh, bone-dry, lemon, citrus blossom, tangy grapefruit and minerality</i>	£30.00
IDAIA 'OCEAN', THRAPSATHIRI, CRETE, GREECE, 2021 (VG / VN) - SILVER MEDAL 2020 TEXSOM IWA <i>Indigenous Cretan variety. Wild herbs and thyme with Kiwi fruit, ripe pear, apple and candied lemon followed by good intensity and with a salted almond finish. Greek wine is on the up</i>	£42.00
FONTANAFREDDA, GAVI DI GAVI, PIEMONTE, ITALY, 2021 (VG) <i>Classic Gavi. Yellow stone fruits, grapefruit zest, white flowers, hazelnut and honeysuckle with a rich and creamy palate balanced with lovely acidity</i>	£42.00
SIERRA CANTABRIA, RIOJA BLANCO, SPAIN, 2021 (VG / VN) <i>A blend of Viura, Malvasia and Sauvignon Blanc. Fresh and vibrant, crisp yet silky. Fresh citrus fruits, ripe apricots and a touch of vanilla</i>	£36.00
CHATEAU LAMOTHE-BOUSCAUT BLANC, BORDEAUX, 2020 (VG) <i>Seriously classy liquid from the blend of Sauvignon Blanc and Semillon. Peach, melon, gooseberry and apple with a buttery vanilla, almond and honey palate.</i>	£70.00
DOMAINE LAPORTE, 'LES DUCHESSES', POUILLY-FUME, LOIRE VALLEY, FRANCE, 2021 (VG / VN) <i>Authentic Loire Sauvignon Blanc from one of the regions most renowned producers. Typical sharp fruit flavours of grapefruit, lime and green apple underpinned with a superb flinty, almost smoky character. Fresh, laser-guided acidity but with a smooth finish on the palate</i>	£57.00
LOUIS MICHEL ET FILS, CHABLIS IER CRU 'MONTMAIN', FRANCE, 2018 (VG / VN) - 92 / 100 JAMIE GOODE <i>You can't beat a good Chardonnay. Green apple, quince, classic oyster shell, lime, white pepper and toasted almond with a long finish</i>	£80.00
JIM BARRY, MCKAYS SINGLE VINEYARD RIESLING, CLARE VALLEY, AUSTRALIA, 2020 - 94 POINTS HALLIDAY WINE COMPANION WINERY OF THE YEAR 2020 <i>Spot on Clare Valley Riesling. Crunchy green apple, Lime leaf, petroleum, wet slate and jasmine on the nose, with candied lemon, honeyed palate, and bone dry acidity</i>	£55.00
WYNNS ESTATE, CHARDONNAY, COONAWARRA, AUSTRALIA, 2021 (VG / VN) <i>Great Aussie Chardonnay. Tropical fruit, pear, melon and peach with touches of vanilla honey, butter and almond.</i>	£34.00

White Wine By The Bottle ~ Rich & Decadent

THESE WINES ARE TYPICALLY HEAVIER IN STYLE, MORE INTENSE AND WITH A GREATER DEPTH OF FLAVOUR. PERHAPS EVEN A TOUCH OF OAK OR SPICE. GREAT WITH EARTHIER TONES OF MUSHROOMS, RICH FLAVOURS, CREAMY SAUCES AND GREAT COMPANY.

	<i>Bottle</i>
KERSHAW, CHARDONNAY 'G.P.S SERIES', LOWER DUIVENHOKS RIVER, ELGIN, SOUTH AFRICA, 2017 (VG / VN) - 90 POINTS TIM ATKIN <i>Depth of flavour kept in check with tension and acidity. Pineapple tart, peach melba and passionfruit. Vanilla oak, buttery and with a touch of flint, almond and oat on the finish. Special wine</i>	£83.00
KEN FORRESTER WINES, 'THE FMC', CHENIN BLANC, WESTERN CAPE, SOUTH AFRICA, 2020 (VG / VN) - SWA COMMENDATION SILVER DWWA <i>The FMC – one of the world's great wines. Dried apricot, ripe peach, pineapple and buttery brioche. Lick of vanilla oak and minerality and with a super-long finish on the palate</i>	£100.00
CANNONBALL WINERY, CHARDONNAY, SONOMA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA, USA, 2020 <i>Brilliant value Sonoma Valley Chardonnay. Lemon cheesecake, pineapple and banana with fresh pear, honeycomb and vanilla. Rich body yet with good acidity and class</i>	£46.00
KTIMA GEROVASSILIOU, MALAGOUSIA, EPANOMI, GREECE, 2020 (VG / VN) - DWWA 94 POINTS SILVER / TOP 100 – WINE MERCHANT <i>Amazing, award-winning, and pioneering Malagousia from Northern Greece. Tinned peaches, tangy citrus, floral jasmine, honeysuckle and sunshine. Melon, mango and lime with a touch of white pepper spice, minerality and almond. Seriously good yet could be enjoyed on a beach</i>	£46.00
TRIMBACH, GEWURZTRAMINER, ALSACE, FRANCE, 2017 (VG / VN) - 92 / 100 WINE ENTHUSIAST <i>Arguably Alsace's greatest winery – and one of their best wines. Delightfully aromatic. Lychee, passionfruit, stone fruit, flowers and pineapple with a lovely touch of ginger, honey, elderflower and vanilla</i>	£55.00
TRIMBACH, CUVÉE FREDERIC EMILE RIESLING, ALSACE, FRANCE, 2013 (VG / VN) 92+ WINE ADVOCATE 95 JAMES SUCKLING <i>A very special wine. Deeply complex. Petroleum, honey, minerals, peach, candied lemon, mango, elderflower and almonds, finishing with a touch of smoky minerality and epic length</i>	£100.00
DOMAINE MICHEL JUILLOT, MERCUREY BLANC, PREMIER CRU, FRANCE, 2018 <i>Super Burgundy. White fruits, green apple and pear blended harmoniously with touches of butter, vanilla and lemongrass with a hint of minerality and with an oily texture</i>	£60.00
DOMAINE FERRET, CUVÉE CLOS DE PROUGES TÊTE DE CRU, POUILLY-FUISSE, FRANCE, 2018 (VG / VN) <i>Most excellent Chardonnay from Pouilly-Fuisse region. Powerful, indulgent and opulent. Lemon curd, pineapple, red apple and peach with brown butter, vanilla oak, hazelnut and with smoky minerality. Great body, racy acidity and long-lived finish</i>	£100.00
DOMAINE DE LA SOLITUDE, CHATEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE BLANC, RHONE VALLEY, FRANCE, 2021 (VG / VN) <i>Clairette, Roussanne, Bourboulenc and Grenache Blanc come together in perfect, elegant harmony. Baked apple, ripe stone fruits, wild and warm French herbs, bergamot, grapefruit, banana, lick of vanilla oak and honey and with a long and thoroughly pleasurable palate</i>	£68.00

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Red Wine By The Bottle ~ Bright & Fruity

IN THE SOUTHERN HEMISPHERE THESE WINES WOULD BE CALLED "BBQ" WINES. FEEL THE SUNSHINE. BRIGHT IN THE GLASS, CLEAN AND LIVELY AND PERFECTLY FOOD FRIENDLY, PAIRING WELL WITH BURGERS, SANDWICHES, CHICKEN DISHES OR JUST A PACKET OF CRISPS

VACHNADZIANI WINERY, SAPERAVI 'CLASSICAL', KHAKETI, GEORGIA, 2018	<i>Bottle</i> £33.00
<i>From the cradle of viticulture – Georgia, who've been making wine for over 8000 years. Wild berry, spice, toasty notes, earthy, rich crème de cassis, raspberry and black pepper lift</i>	
BOHEME, PRIMITIVO, PUGLIA, ITALY, 2020 (VG / VN)	£26.00
<i>Southern Italian bursting with sunshine. Plum sauce, bramble, milk chocolate, violet and pepper</i>	
BOVE, MONTEPULCIANO D'ABRUZZO, ABRUZZO, ITALY, 2020 (VG / VN)	£25.00
<i>Great value Italian. Deep ruby red, red berries, black cherry, liquorice, thyme and baking spices. Soft, warm and with great length</i>	
ASCHERI, DOLCETTO D'ALBA, PIEMONTE, ITALY, 2021 (VG / VN)	£42.00
<i>Vibrant purple with maraschino cherry, flowers, violets and herbs on the nose. Fresh, spicy and yet creamy on the palate with black cherry and blackcurrant jam</i>	
AUBERT & MATHIEU, PALOOZA ROUGE, PAYS D'OC, FRANCE, 2021	£31.00
<i>Fresh, bright and spicy blend from southern France. You can feel the sunshine in every sip. Dark cherries, strawberries, violet, wild herbs and refreshing acidity</i>	
MAILLARD PERE ET FILS, CHOREY LES BEAUNE, BURGUNDY, FRANCE, 2018	£70.00
<i>So technically this shouldn't be under this category but it is a slightly lighter style of Burgundy. However do not be deterred, it is still a fantastic example of bright, structured Pinot Noir. Intense aromas of wild red berries, leather and undergrowth with an acidic backbone making it a great accompaniment to some delicious food</i>	
LOUIS TETE, BROUILLY, BEAUJOLAIS, FRANCE, 2021 (VG / VN)	£40.00
<i>Gloriously fresh and bright Gamay but robust and fruit driven. Morello cherry, forest fruit with a touch of bruised banana and sweet cooking spices</i>	
FRANCK MASSARD, 'EL MAGO' GARNACHA, TERRA ALTA, SPAIN, 2020 EU WINEMAKER OF THE YEAR 2013	£38.00
<i>'The Wizard' produced by good friend of George's Franck Massard, an award-winning sommelier who has taken the leap into the viticultural side of the industry. Fresh, clean and unoaked with flavours of white pepper, wild strawberries, cherries, figs and mountain herbs with great balance on the finish.....a bit like David Silva</i>	

Red Wine By The Bottle ~ Bold & Textured

HERE WE ARE TALKING TANNINS AND ACIDITY, PAIRED WITH ANGULAR FLAVOURS THAT CUT THROUGH HEFTY MEATY PROTEIN. CLASSY AND WITH GRIP ("IRON FIST IN A VELVET GLOVE"), TRY THESE WITH A JUICY STEAK, WHOLESOME GAME FLAVOURS OR CREAMY, RICH SAUCES

CHATEAU SAINTE MARGUERITE, SYMPHONIE ROUGE, CRU CLASSE COTES DE PROVENCE, FRANCE, 2020 (VG / VN)	<i>Bottle</i> £53.00
<i>Delightful Syrah / Grenache blend. Subtle, soft and yet precise. Cassis, black cherry and plum intertwined with cinnamon, chocolate, liquorice, pepper and garrigue herbs</i>	
SAUSKA, CABERNET FRANC, SIKLOS, HUNGARY, 2017 (VG / VN) 16.5 / 20 JANCIS ROBINSON DWVA TROPHY	£50.00
<i>Absolute barnstormer of a wine. Grippy, powerful and concentrated. Plum, blackberry and cherry with violet, oak, clove, cinnamon, tobacco and smoky leather. A modern classic</i>	
LA SPINETTA 'VIGNETO GARRETTI' BAROLO, PIEMONTE, ITALY, 2018 (VG / VN)	£100.00
<i>Generous and immediately appealing. Elderberry, rose petals, leather and tar. Graceful and silky with the classic apple-skin tannins. A classic expression of the Nebbiolo variety. An absolute cracker</i>	
RAMON BILBAO CRIANZA, TEMPRANILLO, 'JOURNEY COLLECTION', RIOJA, SPAIN, 2019 (VG / VN)	£33.00
<i>Classic Rioja Crianza. Cherry, raspberry and dried fig. Perfumed, coconut oak, sweet tobacco and wild herbs</i>	
AKRATHOS, XINOMAVRO, HALKIDIKI, GREECE, 2017 (VG / VN)	£60.00
<i>Another wonderful example of how amazing Greek wine has become. From northern Greece, these Xinomavro grapes are grown at 500m above sea level yet still benefit from a cooling Aegean breeze. Opulent and refined. Cherry, bramble, sweet spices and with a touch of undergrowth and leather. Fresh with great tannins and acidity plus a super length on the palate</i>	
PININO, BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO, TUSCANY, ITALY, 2016 (VG / VN) 94 PTS JAMES SUCKLING 90 PTS WINE ENTHUSIAST	£85.00
<i>100% 'The Blood Of Jove' (Sangiovese). 100% superb. Cherry, raspberry and strawberry. Mushroom, leather, sweet tobacco and chocolate. Cracked black pepper, rose petal, tomato leaf, prune and toasted nut. A complex beast</i>	
CASA BRANCAIA, IL BLU, ROSSO DI TOSCANA, ITALY, 2018 (VG / VN) 97 POINTS JAMES SUCKLING	£110.00
<i>A fine example of the 'Super-Tuscan' category. 70% Merlot, 25% Sangiovese and 5% Cabernet Sauvignon aged for 20 months in French oak. Perfumed and elegant yet firm and structured. Morello cherry, currant and dried fruit with violet, cocoa, spices and with a savoury finish</i>	
SANFORD, PINOT NOIR, NAPA VALLEY, USA, 2019 (VG)	£86.00
<i>Bright, fresh cherry, wild strawberry and spice cake. Hints of white pepper and rose petals. Supple, serious and fresh with great length on the palate</i>	
QUINTA DO CRASTO, TINTA RORIZ, DOURO VALLEY, PORTUGAL, 2017 (VG / VN)	£80.00
<i>The Douro Valley is mostly know for it's Port wine production but behind the scenes producers like Quinta do Crasto are making some absolutely fabulous 'table' wines. We say 'table' loosely; this is a serious contender which puts Portugal firmly on the map of our favourite viticultural regions.</i>	

VINTAGE SUBJECT TO CHANGE / AVAILABILITY

Red Wine By The Bottle ~ Bold & Textured

HERE WE ARE TALKING TANNINS AND ACIDITY, PAIRED WITH ANGULAR FLAVOURS THAT CUT THROUGH HEFTY MEATY PROTEIN. CLASSY AND WITH GRIP ("IRON FIST IN A VELVET GLOVE"), TRY THESE WITH A JUICY STEAK, WHOLESOME GAME FLAVOURS OR CREAMY, RICH SAUCES

STAG'S LEAP WINE CELLARS, 'ARTEMIS' CABERNET SAUVIGNON, NAPA VALLEY, USA, 2019 ~ 93 POINTS JAMES SUCKLING	<i>Bottle</i> £120.00
<i>Bold, concentrated and archetypal Cali-Cabernet. Blackberry, plum and leather with earthy tones. Smokey with cracked black pepper, cinnamon, eucalyptus, star anise, dried herbs and tonka beans</i>	
D'ARENBERG, 'THE IRONSTONE PRESSINGS', MCLAREN VALE, AUSTRALIA, 2018 (VG / VN)	£80.00
<i>This is a Grenache / Syrah / Mourvedre blend from the legendary winery situated an hours drive north of Adelaide. That blend might sound familiar; those 3 varieties are the Holy Trinity of the Chateauneuf-Du-Pape appellation. An abundance of dark fruits, plums and mulberries with almost a peaty spice undertone. Quince, cinnamon, star anise and earthy graphite compliment the initial fruit. Great concentration and length</i>	
WYNN'S ESTATE, 'BLACK LABEL', CABERNET SAUVIGNON, COONAWARRA, AUSTRALIA, 2017 (VG / VN)	£65.00
<i>Stylish and structured, intense yet elegant this wine is one of Australia's benchmark Cabernet Sauvignons. Red cherry, plum, walnut and five spice with a wonderful kiss of eucalyptus, violet and bell pepper</i>	
ALBERT MOROT, BEAUNE 1ER CRU 'LES TEURONS', COTE D'OR, BURGUNDY, FRANCE, 2017 (VG / VN)	£85.00
<i>A velvety and succulent style of classic Burgundy with touches of game, layered, long and elegant. Deliciously perfumed. Rich, ripe black fruits, cherry a touch of spice, clove, smoky and with a hint of forest floor, liquorice. This wine is the sum of many fabulous parts</i>	
DOMAINE BRUSSET, 'LA BASTIDE', RASTEAU, RHONE VALLEY, FRANCE, 2021	£52.00
<i>Super Grenache / Mourvedre from the southern Rhone. Blackberries, cassis, wild herbs and spices. Powerful on the palate, backed up with smoky leather, pepper, liquorice and chocolate</i>	
VINA ECHEVERRIA, PINOT NOIR, GRAN RESERVA, VALLE DE BIO BIO, CHILE, 2020 (VG / VN)	£31.00
<i>A richer style of Pinot Noir, with a rounded palate. All of the berries, hint of stewed plum with a hint of herbaceous undergrowth. Yum</i>	
SIERRA CANTABRIA, RIOJA GRAN RESERVA, SPAIN, 2011 92 POINTS WINE ADVOCATE 91 POINTS WINE SPECTATOR	£60.00
<i>Intense and aromatic. Red cherry, plum and vanilla oak with balsamic hints, truffle, espresso, toast and spice. Delicious Gran Reserva</i>	

Red Wine By The Bottle ~ Strong & Opulent

IF YOU WANT POWER, YOU GOT IT! RIPE, MUSCULAR AND DENSE, THESE WINES ARE SURE TO GET PULSES RACING AND PUT COLOUR IN THOSE CHEEKS. FLAMBOYANT FLAVOURS, POWERFUL FRUIT AND SPOT ON WITH A STEAK AND KIDNEY PUDDING OR CORNED BEEF HASH

LA FLEUR HAUT-BAGES, PAUILLAC, BORDEAUX, FRANCE, 2016 (VG)	<i>Bottle</i> £80.00
<i>Fabulous second wine of Ch. Haut-Bages Liberal. Full-bodied yet supple and velvety. Concentrated blackcurrant and red berries with cedar, tobacco and liquorice. 80% Cabernet Sauvignon 20% Merlot</i>	
CHAFFEY BROS, 'SYNONYMOUS', SHIRAZ, BAROSSA VALLEY, AUSTRALIA, 2018	£43.00
<i>Brilliant value Aussie Shiraz that ticks all of the boxes. Big nose, rich and bold. Dark stewed berries, mint, bitter chocolate, tobacco and fresh espresso. Once it opens up look for the BBQ meat aroma. Dry and spicy palate with super structure</i>	
CHATEAU PUY GUILHEM, FRONSAC, BORDEAUX, FRANCE, 2009 (VG) 92 POINTS JAMES SUCKLING GOLD SWA 2018	£60.00
<i>Fronsac is routinely known for great value claret and this does not disappoint. 100% Merlot. Stewed black fruits, oak, tobacco, dark chocolate, leather, game, fig and raisin. Powerful yet balanced and with a long finish</i>	
SAN MARZANO, '62 ANNIVERSARIO', PRIMITIVO DI MANDURIA DOP RISERVA, PUGLIA, ITALY, 2018 (VG / VN) - GOLD MEDAL BERLINER AWARDS 98 POINTS LUCA MARONI	£59.00
<i>There's Primitivo and then there's the 62 Anniversario. Blackcurrant jam and blueberries, with lots going on behind. Dark chocolate, espresso, vanilla tobacco, baking spices, pepper, walnut and a hint of lavender. Soft and smooth yet strapping</i>	
TRAPICHE, FINCA AMBROSIA, TERROIR SERIES MALBEC, MENDOZA, ARGENTINA, 2018 (VG / VN) ~ 95 /100 DWWA	£78.00
<i>Their company motto "where there is soil, the sky is the limit" and this Malbec proves that point. Blackberry, blueberry, toasty vanilla oak, espresso, clove, cigar box, menthol, violet, rose petal, brown sugar and minerality</i>	
FEUDI DI SAN GREGORIO, 'SERPICO', AGLIANICO, CAMPANIA, ITALY, 2014 92 PTS JAMES SUCKLING 92 PTS ROBERT PARKER	£93.00
<i>A winery paving the way for southern Italian wine and its many ancient grape varieties, this "Barolo of the south" made from Aglianico will not leave you wanting. Plum, blackberry and dried fig, leather, cedar, vanilla, sweet tobacco and mocha. Star anise and almond and with graphite minerality</i>	

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HUMBERTO CANALE, MALBEC, PATAGONIA ARGENTINA, 2019(VG / VN)	<i>Bottle</i> £36.00
<i>From the end of the world. And who doesn't love a good Malbec. Plum, cassis, oaky notes, leather, aromatic and balanced. Pass the steak</i>	
CA'RUGATE, 'PUNTA 470, AMARONE DELLA VALPOLICELLA, VENETO, ITALY, 2018 (VG / VN)	£100.00
<i>A wine list is never complete without an Amarone. The grapes are dry aged for between 4-5 months to concentrate the flavours and enhance the power and then aged for 30 months in oak casks. Intensely flavoured yet elegant. Baked blueberries, raisins, blackberries and cherries complimented by dark chocolate, cedar, leather, spicy oak and cinnamon. Rich, full-bodied and complex</i>	
THELEMA, MERLOT, STELLENBOSCH, SOUTH AFRICA, 2019, (VG / VN) 92 POINTS TIM ATKIN 4.5 STARS PLATTERS WINE GUIDE	£45.00
<i>Great value Bordeaux-esq Merlot from arguably the most picturesque winery on planet Earth. Black and red fruits with dark chocolate, cedar, mint, dried herbs, smoky leather, nuts and molasses.</i>	
ANDREAS ESTATE, SYRAH, BOVLEI VALLEY, SOUTH AFRICA, 2019	£46.00
<i>Quite literally our George Bergier wrote the notes for this wine – "This Syrah is made exclusively from hand-picked grapes grown in the Bovlei Valley. Subtle and refined, but bursting with fruit, the wine has matured in French oak barrels for eighteen months and then benefitted from in excess of eighteen months maturation in bottle. It shows firm tannins, giving it great ageing potential and pairs perfectly with casseroles, steaks, lamb, game and duck".</i>	
ORIN SWIFT, 'ABSTRACT' SYRAH / GRENACHE, NAPA VALLEY, USA, 2019	£95.00
<i>Not for the faint-hearted. This wine is a bit of an animal. Classic Californian power yet. Black plum, blackberry, cherry and lavender then dark chocolate, cassis, sweet tobacco, mocha and cedar</i>	
CHATEAU DUBARD BEL-AIR, PUISSENGUIN-ST EMILION, BORDEAUX, FRANCE, 2020 (VG / VN)	£45.00
<i>Wow, what a wine. Powerful and opulent. Dense black cherry, hint of earthiness, toffee caramel, liquorice, dark chocolate and with a great structure. A great value Bordeaux. Treat yourself</i>	
FRANK MASSARD, 'HUMILTAT', PRIORAT, CATALUNYA, SPAIN, 2019	£50.00
<i>"Humilitat is the essence of Priorat, a humble, unpretentious wine that reflects the minerality so particular to this area". Spain's No.1 wine region, rugged and hard to harvest but so worth the effort. A blend of 60% Garnacha and 40% Carignan this wine is bursting with black fruits, savoury oak, leather, graphite minerality and violet with a sturdy backbone.</i>	