

## 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 btls*

*Jeroboam: 4 btls*

*Rehoboam: 6 btls*

*Imperiale: 8 btls*

*Balthazar: 16 btls*

*Nebuchadnezzar: 20btls*

*Vintages are subject to change due to product availability.*

## Meritage /Blends

bottle

'16 19 Crimes, Southeastern Australia .....	29
'12 Pepperjack "Barossa Red", Australia .....	38
'12 Juxtapoz, North Coast.....	44
'13 Estancia "Vintners Reserve", Paso Robles .....	55
'12 Beaulieu Vineyards "Tapestry Reserve", Napa .....	56
'12 Sterling "Platinum", Napa .....	56
'13 "The Investor" by Stags' Leap Winery, Napa.....	67
'13 "Quantum" by Beringer, Napa .....	67
'14 Robert Mondavi "Maestro", Napa .....	79
'14 "Bin 389" by Penfolds, South Australia .....	85
'12 "Elu" by St. Supery, Napa.....	99

## Pinot Noir

'15 Château St. Jean, California.....	29
'14 Beaulieu Vineyards, Carneros .....	32
'14 Lyric, by Etude, Santa Barbara County .....	32
'14 Unbridled, by Wild Horse, Santa Barbara County.....	33
'12 Sterling "Napa".....	35
'15 Duck Pond "Willamette Valley", Oregon .....	36
'16 Belle Glos "Meiomi", Santa Barbara, Monterrey, & Sonoma .....	39
'13 Elouan, Oregon.....	39
'14 Acacia, Carneros.....	39
'14 Beringer, Sonoma Coast.....	39
'13 Jackson Estate, "Anderson Valley", Mendocino .....	43
'14 Rodney Strong, "Russian River Valley", Sonoma.....	43
'13 Roth "Sonoma" .....	45
'14 Joseph Phelps, "Freestone Vineyards, Sonoma Coast.....	55
'13 Etude "Fiddlestix", Sonoma.....	59
'14 Duckhorn Migration, "Russian River", Sonoma .....	66
'13 Gary Farrell, "Russian River, Sonoma.....	77
'14 Duckhorn Goldeneye, "Anderson Valley" .....	85

## Malbec

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

## Italian

'12 Gabbiano "Chianti Classico Riserva" .....	47
'11 Capital de Roari "Amarone Della Valpolicella" .....	59

## Merlot

'15 Stone Cellars, .....	23
'14 Chateau St. Jean, California .....	29
'13 Kendall Jackson "Vintners Reserve", California.....	33
'14 Villa Ste. Juliette", Paso Robles .....	34
'13 Roth, Sonoma .....	41
'14 Markham, Napa .....	43
'13 Beaulieu Vineyards, Napa .....	50
'13 Duckhorn, Napa .....	90

## Chardonnay

<p><b>"Wine improves with age.</b> <i>The older I get, the better I like it.</i>" - Anonymous</p> <p><b>"God in His goodness</b> <i>sent the grapes, to cheer both great and small, little fools will drink too much, and great fools not at all.</i>" - Anonymous</p> <p><b>"Wine is the drink of the gods, milk the drink of babes, tea the drink of women, and water the drink of beasts."</b> - John Stuart Blackie</p> <p><b>"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."</b> - A Bishop of Seville</p> <p><b>"To take wine into your mouth is to savor a droplet of the river of human history."</b> - Clifton Fadiman</p> <p><b>"What contemptible scoundrel stole the cork from my lunch"</b> By W. C. Fields</p> <p><b>"Drinking good wine with good food in good company is one of life's most civilized pleasures."</b> - Michael Broadbent</p>	<p>'15 Woodbridge by Robert Mondavi, California..... 23</p> <p>'12 St. Francis, Sonoma..... 26</p> <p>'14 Beaulieu Vineyards, Napa ..... 28</p> <p>'13 Sterling, Napa..... 28</p> <p>'14 Angeline Reserve, Monterey County, CA ..... 28</p> <p>'14 Acacia, Carneros ..... 28</p> <p>'13 Bonterra "Organic Winemakers Reserve", Mendocino ..... 28</p> <p>'12 BV, Carneros ..... 28</p> <p>'15 Kendall Jackson "Vintners Reserve", California..... 33</p> <p>'12 Cuvaision "Carneros", Napa..... 35</p> <p>'12 Artesa, Carneros ..... 38</p> <p>'13 Jackson Estate "Santa Maria Valley", Santa Barbara County ..... 39</p> <p>'13 Roth, Sonoma ..... 40</p> <p>'12 Etude, Carneros-Napa ..... 42</p> <p>'14 La Crema, Sonoma..... 42</p> <p>'15 Ferrari-Carano, Alexander Valley..... 42</p> <p>'11 Chateau St. Jean, "Robert Young Vineyard", Alexander Valley ..... 43</p> <p>'12 Silverado, Carneros-Napa..... 47</p> <p>'14 Stags' Leap Winery, Napa..... 47</p> <p>'13 "Luminus" by Beringer, Oak Knoll District - Napa..... 48</p> <p>'12 Antica, by Antinori, Napa..... 49</p> <p>'13 Frank Family Vineyards, Carneros - Napa ..... 59</p> <p>'14 Beringer Private Reserve, Napa ..... 63</p> <p>'14 Cakebread, Napa ..... 69</p> <p>'13 Far Niente, Napa ..... 79</p>
	<h3>Sauvignon Blanc</h3>
	<p>'14 Bonterra "Organic Winemakers Reserve", Mendocino/Lake County. .... 28</p> <p>'13 Sterling, Napa ..... 28</p> <p>'16 Oyster Bay, Marlborough- New Zealand ..... 30</p> <p>'14 Provenance, Napa ..... 36</p> <p>'13 Trinchero "Mary's", Napa..... 37</p> <p>'12 Sbragia, Dry Creek - Sonoma County ..... 39</p> <p>'12 Cloudy Bay Sauvignon Blanc ..... 55</p>
	<h3>Other White and Rose'</h3>
	<p>'16 Beringer White Zinfandel, California ..... 23</p> <p>'16 Anterra Pinot Grigio, Italy ..... 25</p> <p>'14 Jekel Reisling, Monterey County ..... 28</p> <p>'15 Chateau Ste. Michelle Reisling, Washington ..... 28</p> <p>'14 Minuty "M" Rose', Napa ..... 33</p> <p>'15 Etude Pinot Gris, Napa ..... 35</p> <p>'15 Stags Leap Winery Viognier, Napa ..... 35</p>
	<h3>Champagne</h3>
	<p>Mumm, Napa ..... 39</p> <p>NV Piper Heidsieck "Brut", France ..... 72</p>
	<p><i>"Come quickly, I am tasting the stars!" ~ Dom Perignon, the moment he discovered champagne.</i></p>

## Cabernet Sauvignon

bottle

## QUOTES!

'14 Woodbridge by Robert Mondavi, California.....	23
'12 Dynamite, North Coast California.....	28
'15 Hahn, California.....	30
'14 J. Lohr "Seven Oaks", Paso Robles.....	34
'14 Columbia Crest "Horse Heaven Hills", Washington.....	34
'14 Villa Ste. Juliette", Paso Robles.....	34
'14 Kendall Jackson "Vintners Reserve", California.....	36
'14 Napa Cellars, Napa.....	42
'14 Franciscan "Oakville Estate", Napa.....	42
'13 Robert Mondavi, Napa.....	49
'14 Beringer "Knights Valley", Napa.....	49
'15 Justin, Paso Robles.....	54
'14 Hanna "Alexander Valley", Sonoma.....	54
'14 BV, Napa.....	54
'14 Sterling, Napa.....	54
'12 Beringer, Napa.....	55
'13 BV, Rutherford.....	56
'13 Hess "Allomi, Napa.....	56
'12 Jackson Estate, Alexander Valley.....	56
'13 Beringer Reserve "Knights Valley", Napa.....	62
'12 Raymond "Reserve", Napa.....	65
'14 Stags' Leap Winery, Napa.....	76
'14 Faust, Napa.....	79
'14 Château Montelena, Napa.....	79
'12 Groth, Napa.....	85
'12 Jordan "Alexander Valley", Sonoma.....	85
'12 Etude, "Alexander Valley", Sonoma.....	87
'13 Joseph Phelps, Napa.....	98
'12 Duckhorn, Napa.....	98
'14 Chimney Rock "Stags Leap District", Napa.....	98

## Zinfandel

'14 Cline, California.....	27
'15 Cosentino "Cigar", Lodi.....	30
'14 DeLoach, "Russian River Valley", Sonoma.....	34
'13 1000 Stories "Bourbon Barrel Aged", Mendocino County.....	38
'15 Dry Creek, Sonoma County.....	39

## Bordeaux

'13 Château De Costis, France.....	23
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## Syrah/Shiraz

'14 Francis Coppola "Diamond Collection", Geyserville.....	30
'14 Layer Cake Shiraz, South Australia.....	33
'14 Villa Ste. Juliette, Paso Robles.....	34
'12 Yangarra Shiraz, McLaren Vale, Australia.....	39
'12 "The Pundit" Syrah by Tenet Winery Columbia Valley, OR.....	47
'14 Stags Leap Winery Petite Syrah, Napa.....	65
'14 "Bin 389" Cabernet Shiraz by Penfolds, South Australia.....	85

### 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,

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## *Wines by the Glass*

<b>White Zinfandel</b>	‘16 Beringer, California.....	6
<b>Reisling</b>	‘15 Chateau Ste. Michelle, Washington .....	7.5
<b>Pinot Grigio</b>	‘16 Anterra, Italy... ..	6.75
<b>Sauvignon Blanc</b>	‘16 Oyster Bay, Marlborough- New Zealand .....	7.75
<b>Chardonnay</b>	‘15 Robert Mondavi "Woodbridge", California.....	6
	‘15 Kendall Jackson, California .....	8.95
	‘15 Ferrari-Carano, Alexander Valley .....	10.95
<b>Pinot Noir</b>	‘14 Château St. Jean, California.....	7.95
	‘16 Meomi, Santa Barbara, Monterrey, Sonoma .....	10.5
<b>Syrah-Shiraz</b>	‘14 Coppola "Diamond Collection", Geyserville .....	7.75
<b>Zinfandel</b>	‘14 Cline, California .....	7
<b>Merlot</b>	‘16 Stone Cellars, California.....	6
<b>Malbec</b>	‘14 Coppola "Diamond Collection", Geyserville .....	8.95
<b>Meritage/Blend</b>	‘16 19 Crimes, Southeastern Australia .....	7.75
<b>Cabernet Sauv.</b>	‘14 Robert Mondavi "Woodbridge", California.....	6
	‘14 Villa Ste. Juliette", Paso Robles .....	8.75
	‘14 J. Lohr "Seven Oaks", Paso Robles.....	8.75
	‘14 Franciscan "Oakville Estate", Napa .....	11.25
	‘14 Beringer "Knights Valley", Napa .....	12.75
<b>Champagne</b>	NV Mumm, Napa.....	7.5
<b>Port</b>	Sandeman.....	5
	Cockburns Anno 1998 LBV .....	7
	Fonseca Bin 27 .....	7
	Croft Distinction.....	7.5
	Taylor Fladgate.....	13
	Dows 20 Yr.....	13

### *Imports*

<b>France</b>	NV Piper Heidsieck "Brut", France .....	72
	‘13 Château De Costis Bordeaux.....	23
<b>Italy</b>	‘16 Anterra Pinot Grigio .....	25
	‘12 Gabbiano "Chianti Classico Riserva" .....	47
	‘11 Capital de Roari "Amarone Della Valpolicella" ....	59
<b>Australia</b>	‘16 19 Crimes Red Blend .....	29
	‘14 Layer Cake Shiraz.....	33
	‘12 Pepperjack "Barossa Red".....	38
	‘12 Yangarra Shiraz, McLaren Vale, Australia.....	39
	‘14 "Bin 389" Cabernet Shiraz by Penfolds .....	85
<b>New Zealand</b>	‘16 Oyster Bay Sauvignon Blanc.....	30
	‘12 Cloudy Bay Sauvignon Blanc.....	55

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