

* Special Holiday Wine Tasting Event *

Saturday, November 21st from 12pm-3pm

Try 9 wines in a flight for just \$15! Mix-and-match your own flight from the wines listed below.

All wines listed are available for retail purchase. Any customer who purchases wine valued over \$150, or any mix-and-match case of 12 bottles, will have their \$15 tasting fee waived.

1. LaLuca NV Prosecco Superiore

Valdobbiadene, Italy DOCG - 100% Glera. \$39 Bottle

Bright straw yellow wine with persistent bubbles and a fine perlage. Elegant scents of wild roses and jasmine. The wine exhibits fruity notes of golden apple and tropical fruits. Enjoy as an aperitif with appetizers and light fish dishes. This exceptional prosecco is the perfect complement to soft cheeses and desserts, like fruit tarts.

2. Llopert 2016 Cava Brut Reserva Rosé

Penedes, Spain DO - 60% Monastrell, 20% Garnacha, 20% Pinot Noir. \$24 Bottle

Very bright cherry-pink color. Fruity exuberant aroma dominated by a variety of forest fruits along with delicate tannins. The flavors of nectarine and white cherry are fresh and pure in this elegant sparkling rosé, with accents of ginger, chalk and pink grapefruit sorbet riding the fine bead and lingering on the zesty finish.

3. Dilico 2018 Albariño

Dutchman Vineyard, Yakima Valley, WA - 100% Albariño. \$15 Bottle

The wine shows notes of citrus and tropical fruit followed by luscious, crisp and refreshing flavors. The aromas jump up, with notes of cantaloupe, pear and whole pineapple. The lightly spritzzy seeming palate starts out full and rich, tapering toward the finish. It has a lovely sense of acidity that keeps the interest high.

4. Commanderie de la Bargemone 2019 Rosé

Coteaux d'Aix en Provence, FR - 40% Grenache, 25% Cinsault, 20% Syrah, 15% Cab Sauv. \$18 Bottle

Offers classic aromas of wild strawberries and red currants, with a light, floral character and a crisp, bone-dry palate. A rosé of reference, to be enjoyed year-round on its own or with a wide range of lighter fare and Provence-inspired cuisine.

5. Carpineto 2018 Chianti Classico

Tuscany, Italy DOCG - 80% Sangiovese, 20% Canaiolo. \$34 Bottle

Carpineto Chianti Classico is produced from estate-owned vineyards in the picturesque countryside of the Tuscan appellation. Full bodied with a velvety texture, this Chianti is abundantly aromatic with notes of violets, berries, and cherries.

6. Solena 2018 Pinot Noir Grande Cuvee

Willamette Valley, OR - 100% Pinot Noir. \$24 Bottle

A bright ruby color fills the glass. On the nose it displays youthful exuberance with lively aromas of tart cherries, strawberries, and cranberries. While flavors of licorice, cola and baking spices balance perfectly on the palate. A delightful lightness makes this wine the perfect accompaniment to any evening or celebration.

7. Cesari 2017 "Mara" Valpolicella Ripasso

Veneto, Italy DOCG - 75% Corvina, 20% Rondinella, 5% Molinara. \$34 Bottle

Named after the Cesari family matriarch, Mara is vinified using the Valpolicella's exclusive Ripasso technique. Fresh wine was refermented on the Amarone pomace to create a smooth, elegant wine with an aromatic bouquet of ripe cherries. It boasts a persistent, warm finish with round tannins after aging.

8. Viberti 2019 “La Gemella” Barbera D’Alba

Piedmont, Italy DOCG - 100% Barbera. \$30 Bottle

Meaning “twin,” La Gemella was created to honor the winemaker’s mother, who is a twin herself and a lover of Barbera. Expressive floral notes of wild rose, berries and crushed minerals. Full-bodied layers of blueberry, licorice, and earth. A vibrancy of acid, silky tannins, and lengthy finish make for an outstanding quality.

9. Bodegas Juan Gil 2017 Silver Label

Jumilla, Spain - 100% Monastrell (Mourvedre) grapes from vines over 40 years old. \$28 Bottle

Deep purple/black color. Explosive aromas of ripe currant, red berries and smoked notes. Rich, powerful and voluminous on the attack, a huge mouthful of crème-decassis, silken and juicy with excellent length and persistence, and a long spicy well balanced finish including toasted notes provided by the French wood.

10. La Atalaya 2017 Del Camino

Almansa, Spain DO - Garnacha Tintorera & Monastrell. \$28 Bottle

A decadent wine with a surprising freshness. Dense and very rich with walnut and gum-tree avors. Explosive notes of dark fruit with dark tea and mahogany on the nose. Hints of toast, Arabica coffee, toffee, spices, menthol and a dash of violets.

11. Secret Squirrel 2015 Cabernet Sauvignon

Columbia Valley, WA - 100% Cabernet Sauvignon. \$39 Bottle

Dried fig, black cherry and cassis combine with dark aromas of violet, wet earth, wild herbs and incense. The wine is juicy and concentrated in texture, showing rich flavors of blackberry reduction, bitter dark chocolate, tobacco and licorice. Densely packed tannins and a graphite-like minerality create a plush, long-lasting finish.

12. Carpineto 2015 Chianti Classico Gran Selezione

Tuscany, Italy DOCG - 100% Sangiovese. \$88 Bottle

Deep ruby red due to the high concentration of anthocyanins. Aromas of wild berries, interlaced with hints of vanilla and spicy notes on the finish. Palate sensations emphasize the olfactory complexity, revealing even greater strength, texture and persistence. Its elegance is evident, destined for absolute harmony with cellaring.

13. Viberti 2016 “Buon Padre” Barolo

Piedmont, Italy DOCG - 100% Nebbiolo. \$68 Bottle

Complex and full bodied, with notes of preserved fruit and spices. Backed by nuances of earth, leather, and wildflowers. An elegant and complex bouquet rich in spices, strawberries, and dried fruit. Full-bodied in flavor with pleasant bitter hints, dry tannins and a lengthy finish. It will only improve with time.

14. Carpineto Brunello **(May be substituted due to availability)***

Brunello di Montalcino, Italy DOCG - 100% Sangiovese Grosso. \$-Price TBD

Intense ruby red, with pale pomegranate highlights. The bouquet is decisive, fine, broad and lingering with hints of vanilla, cherry, raspberry, and licorice. Dry, warm, smooth, well-textured and lingering on the palate. : Great wine with roasts, and grilled meats, it can also be served alone, as a “reflection” wine.

15. Licataa NV Lambrusco

Emilia-Romagna, Italy - 100% Lambrusco Maestri. \$44 Bottle

Multi-platinum artist Raekwon of the Wu-Tang Clan has created a new standard in luxury with Licataa. Inspired by his love of Italian culture and cuisine, he sought out Cantine Ceci, a family-owned winery with 80 years of history to produce a rich, bold, sparkling red wine. “It’s a velvety, smooth taste that still has a little sparkling feeling to it,” Raekwon told Wine Spectator. “Licataa won’t be something that you feel like is a little too dry, or too fruity; it’s right in the middle.”