

# FANTASTIC RED WINES

## **MALBEC 2015**

**GLASS €8 BOTTLE €32**

**Florence, Argentina**

**The nose is intense and powerful, with red and black fruits showing well, there is violet, blackcurrant and damson. There is a hint pepper and spice here too.**

**The palate is velvety smooth, with soft, ripe tannins giving lovely structure and mouthfeel to the wine.**

**There is more damson, currant, more spicy notes and a lingering, rich finish.**

## **PETIT ROJO CABERNET SAUVIGNON, RESERVA 2016**

**GLASS €8 BOTTLE €32**

**Colchagua Valley, Chile**

**With aromas and flavours of ripe raspberry, blackberry and cherries, and hints of savoury spices. Full bodied with elegant tannin, excellent with meat dishes.**

## **CHATEAU L'ANNONCIATION 2012**

**BOTTLE €45**

**St. Emillion Grand Cru, France**

**A full-bodied soft and smooth wine with lots of plum and damson-flavoured fruit, typical of the merlot grape.**

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## AMARONE DELLA RECIOTO VALPOLICELLA 2013

**BOTTLE €67**

Le Tobele, Italy

Made only in exceptional years, Amarone is lushly flavoured, intensely concentrated and silky-textured. It is a deep garnet, velvety-red in colour with aromas of wild cherry, spices and hints of cedar. It delivers rich, dry, black cherry flavours and a finish that is long, round, and persistent with cacao and spice.

## BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO 2011

**BOTTLE €78**

DOCG Italy

The Sangiovese Grosso gives an intense, fruit-forward, spicy and floral aroma with hints of red berry fruits enriched by delicate spicy notes.

**AWARDS:** Italian Association of Sommeliers (A.I.S.) - 4 grapes

## CARMENERE 2012

**BOTTLE €36**

Valle De Colchagua, Chile

Deep ruby red. Intense nose with aromas of fresh plums along with light notes of tobacco leaf, green tea, and spices. The palate is creamy, smooth and elegant with juicy, well-rounded tannins, lightly jammy fruit, and balanced acidity.

# FANTASTIC WHITE WINES

## HUNKY DORY SAUVIGNON BLANC 2016

GLASS €9 BOTTLE €36

Marlborough, New Zealand

A typical Marlborough-style wine with tropical fruit notes. Dry and fresh, it goes well with a long meal.

## DISSEGNA PINOT GRIGIO 2016

GLASS €8 BOTTLE €32

Venezie DOC/IGT, Veneto, Italy

Soft and harmonious, this organic wine is slightly bitter in taste. Ideal with vegetables dishes, appetizers, fish and cheeses.

## BAGOA DO MINO ALBARINO 2015

BOTTLE €40

Riasbaixas, Spain

This is a classy special cuvée made from the estate's best vineyard. Rich and concentrated with flavours of pink grapefruit and apricot.

## LAROCHE, CHABLIS 2014

BOTTLE €40

France.

Perfect example of a quality and traditional chablis, this wine has a pure, crisp and mineral character. There is a fantastic freshness, smoothness and harmony created by this wine on the palate.

## SANCERRE, DANIEL CROCHET 2015

BOTTLE €45

France

A delightfully soft and fragrant sauvignon blanc with subtle floral aromas, persistent pink grapefruit and kiwi flavours.

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## GRÜNER VELTLINER, GRAF JOSEF 2015

**BOTTLE €32**

Vienna, Austria

Named after an Australian war hero and created by two Dubliners based in Vienna. This wine is an exotic alternative to sauvignon blanc. It's a fresh and clean wine with a hint of Grüner spice.

## CAVI DI CAVI 2015

**BOTTLE €42**

Cauline, San Silvestro, Italy

Cortese, Piedmont's finest white grape, is at the heart of Cavi di Gavi and is distinguished by its crisp, floral, peachy, aromatic qualities. The wines are best enjoyed young.

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## FRIGIOLAS COSTAMOLINO VERMENTINO

**BOTTLE €35**

Sardinia, Italy

Made in the Sardinian sun from vermentino grapes with their subtle, intense and delicate aroma and their fresh, dry and sapid taste, it has pleasing delicacy and finesse.

# DESSERT / SPARKLING WINES

**MOËT ET CHANDON NV**

**BOTTLE €84.95**

France

Created in 1869, it embodies Moët & Chandon's unique style, a style distinguished by its bright fruitiness, its seductive palate and its elegant maturity.

**VEUVE CLICQUOT**

**BOTTLE €94.95**

France

A perfect balance between power and finesse, its complexity comes from the predominant presence of Pinot Noir and Reserve Wines. It showcases their superb vineyards and the consistent style of our their champagnes.

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### **CA MARCELLA PROSECCO FRIZZANTE**

**Veneto, Italy**

**€8.50 GLASS €38.00 BOTTLE**

Pleasant, delicate and persistent on the nose. Fruity with a characteristic hint of green and golden apple, followed by floral notes. Velvety, fresh and fruity with good acidity.

### **BORTOLOTTI PROSECCO**

**Valdobbiadene Spumante**

**N.V., Italy**

**€45.00 BOTTLE**

Prosecco Spumante is a fully sparkling wine. It is a fresh, fruity wine that has a floral fragrance and an aromatic aftertaste.

### **CATTIER NV CHAMPAGNE**

**€15.95 GLASS €74.95 BOTTLE**

A very distinctive champagne, it still is the in-house champagne at The Ritz! Very little is comparable to even others at five times the price. Surprisingly earthy and warm, a little green apple note in the background. Fruity yet quite savoury, a strong whack of lemon sherbet and elderflower. Meaty, full-bodied.

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**LAURENT & PERRIER ROSÉ**

**BOTTLE €139.95**

France

Elegant, with colour changing naturally from a pretty raspberry hue to salmon-pink. A precise nose of extraordinary freshness and a wide range of red fruits: raspberry, redcurrant, strawberry, black cherry. A fresh and sharp attack for this supple and rounded wine. On the palate, it offers the sensation of plunging into a basket of freshly picked red berries.

**DOM PERIGNON 2004**

**BOTTLE €199.95**

France

On the nose, aromas of almond and powdered cocoa develop gradually into white fruit with hints of dried flowers. Classic toasted notes give a rounded finish and denote a fully realized maturity.

On the palate, the wine instantly traces an astoundingly fine line between density and weightlessness. Its precision is extreme, tactile, dark and chiselled. The full taste lingers with the utmost elegance on a sappy, spicy note.

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## SANTA SOFIA RECIOTO

GLASS €8

One of the real specialities of the region and which Veneto is justifiably proud. It's a sweet red dessert wine made from dried grapes that is rich, intense and very long-lasting in the mouth.

## TOKAJI ASZU 5 PUTTONYOS

GLASS €8

St. Stephen's Crown, Hungary

Once known as wine of the gods, this is one of the most delicious dessert wines in the world. Packed with fruity flavours and a hint of Oloroso Sherry, it finishes smoothly on the palate with an orange tang.

## ROSE

COTE MAS ROSÉ 2015

PAYS D'OC, FRANCE

GLASS €7 BOTTLE €28

Bright fresh strawberries with a little raspberry cream coming out. Palate has good balance, more strawberries. Simple, clean, fresh rosé.