

Wine Stirs the Spring - SALE now thru May 26th

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WINE NAME	region	retail	WSS-12	While Supplies Last! Some items may be limited.
Southern Sisters 2004 SHIRAZ (new shipment)	Barossa	\$19	\$7.99	91 points Wine Spectator! importer-direct Clearance "drink now - 2016" new vintage of a perennial favorite, a crisp lively style of Viognier Greg Graziano's take on Pinot Grigio, Cal-Ital and very tasty! new vintage of last summer's best and most popular French white "best buy" in the May issue of Wine Enthusiast, some oak/spice new arrival, always one of the best values, now it's the freshest too! 2009 is a great California Pinot Noir vintage, this is very easy to like! new vintage, pink grapefruit and mineral, the 2011's are tasting great! 90 points Wine Spectator, the final (really) cases available of the 2009 RP recommends "crisp with lovely balance; white peaches and flowers" 88 RP "fleshy wine with lovely juiciness and plenty of inner perfume" new to MN and a recent tasting favorite, juicy ripe blueberry tones 91 points "Smart Buy" in WS at \$19, a Dave-fave that's also 90 pts RP off-dry Alsatian style Gewurztraminer, tasting and Easter favorite NEW - the most easygoing, and best bargain, Pinotage blend around light and fresh and dry Riesling from the Pfalz by a Mosel winery screwcapped "regular" bottling is nearly as impressive as their reserve! NEW arrival, fresh bottling of a great vintage-dated Vinho Verde! new fresh vintage, plenty of pineapple tones in a crisp refreshing white vintage-change offer, Randy Mason is a Napa Sauv Blanc specialist a late-harvest (Spatlese) with plenty of Mosel zestiness, great value RP recommends "Attractive spice; ripe, plush, no hard edges" Syrah/Grenache/Mourvedre from Nimes, nearby to the Rhone Cabernet/Carmenere/Syrah, and this is the tastiest vintage yet! tasting favorite, dry with with honeyed pineapple tones WS recommended, only 600 cases imported, drink through 2013 88 WS & 88 RP "pear and melon, spicy on the palate with lively acidity" new vintage is 80% Malbec, a worthy successor to the 90-pt rated 2009 87 points RP "Stony minerals, citrus, and floral; tasty effort" WE recommends this new estate, "sun-ripened fruit and cured meat" 88 RP "fabulous value" @ \$17 "superb complexity, length and class" 80 - 100 year old vines Malbec with ripe boysenberry tones, new to MN 91 points WS and 90 points RP by one of Australia's TOP wineries "Top 100 List" in WS - and also rated 90 pts RP too - drinkable now 90 points RP, full and powerful, "a terrific Barbera from Icardi" RP 93 points Wine Spectator, new release, limited availability
Cline 2011 North Coast Viognier	California	\$10	\$7.99	
new Monte Volpe 2010 "Primo Bianco"	Mendocino, Calif	\$11	\$7.99	
new Domaine d'Arton 2011 Cotes Gascogne blanc	France	\$11	\$8.99	
Tortoise Creek 2010 Lodi Zinfandel	Lodi, California	\$12	\$9.99	
Due Torri 2011 Pinot Grigio	Italy	\$12	\$9.99	
new Vinum Cellars 2009 Pinot Noir	California	\$14	\$10.79	
Wither Hills 2011 Sauvignon Blanc	Marlborough, NZ	\$15	\$10.83	
H3 Cabernet Sauvignon 2009	Columbia Valley	\$15	sold out	
Castagnolo 2010 Orvieto Classico superiore	Orvieto	\$14	\$11.99	
Icardi 2009 "Tabarin" BARBERA d'Asti	Piedmont, Italy	\$19	\$12.99	
San Juliet 2010 Paso Robles Petite Sirah	Paso Robles	\$15	\$12.99	
MAPEMA 2009 Mendoza MALBEC	Argentina	\$19	\$14.99	
Ritzman (Peter Mertes) Pfalz Gewurztraminer	Pfalz, Germany	\$12	\$7.99	
Red Falcon 2011 Pinotage - Merlot	South Africa	\$10	\$7.99	
Ritzman (Peter Mertes) Pfalz dry Riesling	Pfalz, Germany	\$11	\$7.99	
Terra Andina 2010 Cabernet Sauvignon	Chile	\$10	\$7.99	
Quinta Lourosa 2011 Vinho Verde	Portugal	\$10	\$7.99	
Landskroon 2011 dry Chenin Blanc	South Africa	\$11	\$7.99	
Mason Cellars 2009 Napa Valley Sauvignon Blanc	Napa Valley	\$16	\$8.99	
Ritzman 2008 Piesporter Michelsberg Spatlese	Mosel	\$13	\$9.99	
Terra Andina 2008 Reserva Carmenere	Chile	\$13	\$9.99	
domaine de l'Ermitage 2009 Costieres de Nimes	France	\$13	\$9.99	
Palo Alto 2009 Cabernet blend	Chile	\$13	\$9.99	
new Louis Laurent 2010 VOUVRAY	France	\$12	\$9.99	
Ca da Meo 2010 Gavi	Piedmont	\$15	\$10.79	
Waterbrook 2010 Pinot Gris	Columbia Valley	\$11	\$10.83	
Amado Sur 2010 Malbec blend	Argentina	\$15	\$10.83	
Mapema 2011 Sauvignon Blanc	Mendoza	\$14	\$11.67	
d'Alessandro 2008 Nero d'Avola	Sicily	\$15	\$12.99	
Vitalonga 2006 "Elcione" rosso Cabernet-Merlot	Umbria, Italy	\$17	\$12.99	
Battle Axe 2010 Malbec	Mendoza	\$17	\$12.99	
Jim Barry 2009 The Lodge Hill Shiraz	Clare Valley	\$20	\$15.99	
Dinastia Vivanco 2008 Rioja Crianza	Spain	\$18	\$16.67	
new Suri di Mu 2006 Barbera d'Alba	Piedmont	\$24	\$19.99	
new Neyers 2010 Carneros Chardonnay	California	\$29	\$26.99	

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Dehesa del Lenguar Toro 2008 Tempranillo	Spain	\$9	\$5.83	100% Tempranillo, tangy red fruits, cigarbox and bell pepper aromas
Misiones de Rengo 2009 Chardonnay (silver label)	Chile	\$10	\$6.67	NEW shipment, formerly held for restaurants, good body but light oak
Protos 2008 Rueda Verdejo	Spain	\$15	\$6.67	89 pts WS "drink now thru 2012" Tastes like Albarino meets Sauv Blanc
Oxford Landing 2008 GSM grenache blend	Australia	\$10	\$7.49	"best buy" ratings in both WS and WE, an Aussie "Cotes du Rhone"
Shepherd's Cottage 2011 Chardonnay/Chenin	Stellenbosch	\$11	\$7.99	unoaked, mineral-toned, dry "Steen" inspired style of Chenin/Chard
The Immortal Zin 2010 old vine Zinfandel	Lodi	\$14	\$9.99	smooth and juicy purple fruits and subtle spice; a friendly "old vine" Zin
Vina Falernia 2010 pedro ximenez dry white	Chile	\$11	\$9.99	88 WS "Ripe and fresh, with bright blanched almond, white peach"
Donati Family 2010 unoaked Chardonnay	California	\$16	\$9.99	91 points Wine Enthusiast, one of "Dave's Top Picks" of the sale!
BABICH 2011 Sauvignon Blanc	Marlborough, NZ	\$14	\$11.67	best vintage ever for this perennial favorite, a hit at Tartan Park!
Donati Family new label "Claret" red	California	\$17	\$12.99	Merlot/Cabernet blend in an oaked "reserve" style, ready now
Biohof Pratsch 2011 Gruner Veltliner (1-liter)	Austria	\$15	sold out	MORE ARRIVES in plenty of time for summer
L'Apostrophe de Chante Cigale 2010	France	\$16	\$11.67	the "house red" by the great Chateaufeuf "Chante Cigale"
KAMIAK 2008 Rock Lake Red	Columbia Valley	\$15	\$12.99	Tartan Park tasting favorite, Cabernet/Merlot/Syrah blend
Palacios 2009 "Petalos" Bierzo	Spain	\$24	sold out	93 pts WS and Top 100 list too (also rated 90 RP) 100% Mencia
2009 BORDEAUX feature			see below	
2009 Bordeaux, MORE coming SOON	Bordeaux			MORE priced \$9.99 to \$29.99 (and a few top-end too) ARRIVE SOON
Reserve de Arton 2009 Rouge	Cotes Gascogne	n/a	\$14.99	not a "Bordeaux" but close; 50% Cabernet, 30% Merlot, 20% Syrah
Mayne Lalande 2009 Lustrac-Medoc	Lustrac-Medoc	n/a	\$19.99	WS recommended, cru bourgeois "smart buy" (wood case)
Chateau Rollan de By 2009 Medoc	Medoc-Bordeaux	\$35	\$29.99	91 points Wine Spectator IN-STOCK NOW (very limited)
Chateau Potensac 2009 Medoc	Medoc-Bordeaux	n/a	\$35.99	IN-STOCK NOW Robert Parker and Wine Spectator recommended
PORTUGAL FEATURE			see below	
Evidencia 2007 DAO tinto	Dao - Portugal	\$10	\$5.99	cigar paper and black pepper, is this a Rhone or from Portugal ?
Azul Portugal 2009 PALMELA vinho tinto (red)	Palmela	\$11	\$7.99	RP & WE both recommend, tasty Malbec-ish value, old-vine Castelao
SAMORA 2010 Vinho Branco	Portugal	\$11	\$7.99	WE recommends "laced with steely acidity; has intense fruitiness"
BEATO NUNO 2010 vinho tinto	Lisboa - Portugal	\$10	\$8.33	new vintage of a Malbec-styled Portuguese, popular again at Tartan
PRAZO de RORIZ 2007 DOURO tinto	Douro - Portugal	\$15	\$9.99	89 pts WS and 89 pts RP, big and purple dark dry red from Portugal
Clemen 2010 RESERVE Vinho Verde	Vinho Verde	\$14	\$10.79	88 pts RP, a Vinho Verde without the bubbles, classy and refreshing
Lua Cheia 2010 "vinhas velhas" Douro white	Douro - Portugal	\$15	\$12.99	88 pts WE and 87 RP, lots of green apple, citrus and hint of oak
Casa das Mouras 2005 Douro reserva	Douro - Portugal	\$22	\$14.99	RP and WE recommended, full/rich new vintage of a favorite Douro
AIRFIELD ESTATES winery feature			see below	
Airfield Estates 2010 unoaked Chardonnay	Yakima, Wash.	\$13	sold out	89 pts WS "silky in texture and juicy with pear, citrus and floral"
Airfield Estates 2010 dry Riesling	Yakima, Wash.	\$13	\$9.99	one of my personal favorites for dry Riesling, regardless of region
Airfield Estates 2010 "Fly Girl White"	Yakima, Wash.	\$13	\$10.79	Roussane, Semillon, Viognier blend - a white Rhone by way of Yakima
Airfield Estates 2011 dry Rose of Sangiovese	Yakima, Wash.	\$13	\$10.79	light and crisp with watermelon and strawberry tones
Airfield Estates 2010 "Runway" Syrah	Yakima, Wash.	\$18	\$12.99	classic Washington Syrah with blackberry and black pepper, 87 pts WS
Airfield Estates 2009 Cabernet Sauvignon	Yakima, Wash.	\$18	\$12.99	89 RP and "roasted red pepper washing through dark berry flavors" WS

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GAZELA Vinho Verde (2012 bottling)	Portugal	\$8	\$4.99	NEW and fresh! March 5th, 2012 bottling date - perennial best seller!
Oxford Landing 2010 Viognier	Australia	\$10	\$7.49	88 points WS, made by Yalumba, dry crips seafood style of Viognier
Vignerons de Foncleur 2011 Picpoul de Pinet	Languedoc	\$10	\$7.99	new fresh vintage, just arrived from Wine Adventures
Finca el Origen 2011 Malbec	Argentina	\$11	\$8.99	new shipment of perennial favorite, new vintage, great value
dry ROSE/pink wines featured items			see below	2011 vintage dry Rose/pink wines, in-stock now
Alexander Valley Vineyards 2011 Rose-Sangiovese	Sonoma	\$14	\$11.67	new, fresh, and as exuberant as ever - deeply pink, very popular
KLEONI dry ROSE of Aghioritiko	Greece	\$10	\$6.99	one of my darker and dry-er rose wines, and a bargain too
"Elicio" 2011 vdp Mediterranee rose of Grenache	France	\$11	\$8.99	80% Grenache and 20% Cinsault, exuberant and great value
Jean-Luc Colombo 2011 "Cape Bleue" rose	France	\$12	\$9.99	Provence styled dry rose of Syrah/Mourvedre/Counoise
Espelt 2011 "Corali" rose	Spain	\$12	\$9.99	100% Grenache rose, dark pink and screwcapped
Capcanes Mas Donis 2011 Monsant rose	Spain	\$12	\$9.99	old vines and high altitude, 80% Grenache, an Eric Solomon import
Barnard Griffin 2011 Rose of Sangiovese	Washington	\$13	\$10.79	first time ever available in MN, from a Washington master winemaker
Chateau Pesquie 2011 Rose Ventoux	Ventoux	\$14	\$11.67	this Eric Solomon imported, Rhone/Ventoux winery is on a great roll...
Domaine Berthete 2011 "Sensation" Cotes Rhone	France	\$14	\$11.67	Rose Cotes du Rhone, new to MN, complex yet refreshing
Steele 2011 rose of Cabernet Franc	California	\$15	\$12.99	Lake County north of Napa, home to great Cab Franc - and Jed Steele
GREEK WINES feature			see below	
RODAMO 2008 Aghioritiko- Cabernet	Greece	\$14	\$10.79	90% Aghioritiko -10% Cabernet aged in French oak barrels
KLEONI white Roditis/Savvatio	Greece	\$10	\$6.99	fans of Pinot Grigio have been loving this, for quality and for price
Kleoni IMIGLYKOS sweet red	Greece	\$10	\$7.99	slightly sweet reds are traditional, and ideal, for many Greek dishes
Lafkiotis RETSINA	Greece	\$12	\$9.99	Gin and Tonic lovers take note, this wine is fun and traditional
Lafkiotis 2010 Moschofilero white	Greece	\$15	\$11.67	Peachy and green apple freshness, the signature Greek white
Agionimo 2006 Nemea	Greece	\$25	\$19.99	Rich and full and smooth, the best red I've ever had from Greece
CLEARANCE WINES (Spring Cleaning)			see below	GOOD wines, but replaced by new vintages or other new arrivals!
Rabbit Ridge "Mystique de Robles" white	Paso Robles	\$10	\$4.75	"house blend" white with a hint of oak, cloudy sediment - very quaffable
Duck Duck Goose 2009 unoaked Chardonnay	Australia	\$12	\$5.83	last few cases of a Pinot Grigio styled Aussie Chardonnay
Dehesa del Lenguar Toro 2008 Tempranillo	Spain	\$9	\$5.83	100% Tempranillo, tangy red fruits, cigarbox and bell pepper aromas
Misiones de Rengo "silver" Merlot	Chile	\$10	\$5.99	Bargain alert! Smooth herbal dark cherry tones, from Chile
Misiones de Rengo 2010 silver Cabernet	Chile	\$10	\$5.99	easygoing but herbal/tannic style of Chilean Cabernet (screwcapped)
Baron des Chartrons 2009 Bordeaux	Bordeaux	\$10	\$6.67	last few cases, more 2009 Bordeaux arriving soon
Vignerons de Foncleur 2008 Corbieres rouge	Languedoc	\$10	\$6.67	last few cases of a Wine Adventures offer, drinking very well
Protos 2008 Rueda Verdejo	Spain	\$15	\$6.67	Importer Clearance! Verdejo tastes like Albarino meets Sauv Blanc
Bosquet de Sanglier 2008 vdp Merlot	Ventoux	\$12	\$7.49	peppery and tangy, Cotes du Rhone style of "Merlot"
Rosenero Rosso 2008 Sangiovese-Cabernet	Emilia Romagna	\$15	\$7.99	compare to Chianti Classico (really) this 70% Sangiovese is impressive
Ventisquero "Quealat" 2008 Sauvignon Blanc	Chile	\$15	\$8.99	melons and mineral with a touch of grassy, the "Quealat" series is \$15
Araucano 2010 Syrah	Chile	\$12	\$8.99	the last case, French-styled Syrah from Chile
Mason Cellars 2009 Napa Valley Sauvignon Blanc	Napa Valley	\$16	\$8.99	vintage-change offer, Randy Mason is a Napa Sauv Blanc specialist

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