WINE NAME	Country-Region-Designation	retail	BFS-26	NOTES RP: Wine Advocate WE: Wine Enthusiast WS: Wine Spect VM: Vinous	STOCK
Marin 2020 “Ballad” old vines Garnacha	*Spain (old vines Grenache)*	$13	**$9.99**	black cherry, dark berry, subtle spice, drinks like a plump Cotes Rhone	plenty
Marin 2023 “Ballad” old vines Garnacha Blanca	*Spain (dry white, old vines)*	$13	**$9.99**	“white Rhone” style, drinks like dry Chenin Blanc meets Viognier	plenty
Piattelli 2025 Salta/Cafayate Torrontes	*high altitude Argentina*	$13	**$10.97**	crisp and refreshing but with tons of ripe tropical, melon, and peach tones	limited
“Ladybird” North Coast 2024 Chardonnay	*North Coast, California*	$15	**$12.99**	90 points Wine Enthusiast, creamy yet elegant too, a safe-bet style!	good
Pedroncelli 2025 Rose of Zinfandel	*Dry Creek, Sonoma*	$20	**$12.99**	90 pts W.E. and sourced from old vines (Bushnell vineyard) dry Rose	good
The Icon Rock 2022 Red Blend	*Mendoza, Argentina*	$15	**$12.99**	91 pts W.E. “solid and flavorful blend, 50% Syrah, 30% Cab, 20% Malbec	plenty
Domaine la Tuiliere 2025 Cotes de Provence rose	*Provence, France*	$18	**$12.99**	classy dry Rose pastel pink, estate wine from good Provence cooperative	good
True Myth 2023 central coast California Pinot Noir	*San Luis Obispo, central coast*	$20	**$15.99**	91 points W.E. “expressive and juicy with personality plus” Tasting Panel	good
Boulder Bank 2025 Fitzroy Vineyard Pinot Gris	*Marlborough, New Zealand*	$18	**$15.99**	NZ Pinot Gris is definitely worth seeking out, VM recommended	good
Piattelli 2019 Grand Reserve Malbec	*Lujan de Cuyo, Mendoza*	$24	**$15.99**	last cases of the vintage, drinking superbly! “rich yet balanced” 92 pts JS	limited
Balletto 2022 “Teresa’s Unoaked” Chardonnay	*Russian River, Sonoma*	$25	**$15.99**	91 pts “Editors Choice” W.E. un-oaked Chardonnay, prime Russian River	limited
Cruzat Brut Classico and/or Fattori Brut Durello	*sparkling (Italy & Argentina)*	$18	**$16.67**	$99.99 / 6pk mix/match, nice Champagne style or classy Prosecco style	good
Balletto 2020 Russian River Pinot Noir	*Russian River, Sonoma*	$30	**$17.99**	91 points @Tastings BTI: “a great example of Russian River Pinot Noir”	limited
Gran Sasso 2025 Cerasualo di Abruzzo	*dark and dry Rose of Italy*	$19	**$17.99**	a famed darker pink (more lush and rounded) dry Rose of Montepulciano	good
Erdut 2025 Grasevina	*Danube, Croatia*	ltrs	**$19.99**	liter bottle, Grasevina is similar to Gruner Veltliner or alpine Pinot Grigio	very limited
Fidelity 2024 “Railyard Vineyard” Zinfandel	*Alexander Valley, Sonoma*	$22	**$19.99**	former W.S. Top 100 Zin, new vintage just rated 90 pts in Dec issue W.E.	good
Battenfield Spanier *Aus Erste Lage* Trocken Riesling	*Molsheim, Pfalz - Germany*	$44	**$21.99**	94 pts RP “great and complex wine with elegant power” DRY Riesling	good
Fabio Motta 2024 Le Pievi Bogheri Rosso	*Bolgheri, Tuscany*	$27	**$24.99**	91 pts Wine Enthusiast, a true “supertuscan” Merlot/Cabernet/Sangiovese	good
Jean Marc Burgaud 2024 Morgon “Cote du Py”	*Morgon Beaujolais/Bourgogne*	n/a	**$33.33**	92 VM, famed Cru "the heart of the Côte du Py vineyard… very promising”	limited
Domaine Boisseyt 2022 “les Garipilees” Saint-Joseph	*northern Rhone*	$55	**$33.33**	100% Syrah, northern Rhone “Approachable now. $55. 92 points.” WE	limited
le Beaujolais NOUVEAU 2026 est arrive!				*“one of its smallest harvests on record, yet the wines are promising” W.S.*	
Georges Duboeuf 2026 Beaujolais Nouveau	*Beaujolais Nouveau*	n/a	**$16.67**	flagship bottling is as good as ever, the “king of Beaujolais” for a reason!	good
Manoir du Carra 2026 Beaujolais Nouveau	*Beaujolais Nouveau*	n/a	**$17.99**	new from a good importer, classy “Burgundian” style small producer	good
Chateau d’Ouilly (Duboeuf single estate) 2026 nouveau	*Beaujolais Nouveau*	n/a	**$18.75**	a perennial favorite here at BrightWines… when we are able to get it!	good
Domaine Carra 2026 Beaujolais Villages nouveau	*Beaujolais Villages Nouveau*	n/a	**$19.99**	the most serious (if you can call it that) of this year’s Nouveau listings	good
more “SEASONAL” wines… t’is the season, soon!!				*enjoy the turkey or trim the tree with these festive annual favorites*	
Gerstacker Gluhwein liters	*Nuremberg, Germany*	n/a	**$10.97**	the famed German “Christmas market” wine, serve warmed, pre-mulled	limited
Florio Marsala Superiore 2020 vintage (375ml)	*Marsala, Sicily*	n/a	**$10.97**	dessert white, aged 2 years in oak, vintage “Superiore” like a rich Tawny	limited
Pocas Port (750ml) RUBY - or - TAWNY - or - WHITE	*Douro, Portugal*	new	**$14.99**	new to MN, Douro Ports since 1918, as featured in new Wine Spectator	limited
Offley “Barrao Forrester” Porto (750ml) 10-year Tawny	*Porto*	$25	**$19.99**	historic name, classic 10-year aged with nutty richness and dried red fruits	very limited
Montezovo 2019 AMARONE della Valpolicella	*Amarone d.o.c.g. - Verona, Italy*	$60	**$59.99**	92 pts W.E. “expansive palate” drink/hold “spiced plums… roasted coffee”	very limited
The BrightWines Beacon newsletter for more details	while supplies last >> Nov 28th			*Bargains, Smart Buys, Affordable Luxury, and holiday season wines*	