# 2024 BORDEAUX OFFER

Wines of quality and distinction from around the world.





### To Our Valued Bordeaux Enthusiasts,

We are thrilled to extend a back-vintage offer, featuring 25 distinct Bordeaux Châteaux. Within these pages, you will discover sought-after Bordeaux estates that consistently captivate enthusiasts, exceptional vintages that stand as true benchmarks, and some of the most coveted and exclusive wines in the world. While Bordeaux is often associated with the epitome of opulent wines for the discerning, our collection also includes remarkable examples that showcase the diversity of this iconic region.

As a reference, please refer to the below instructions detailing the process for ordering these extraordinary wines. Our dedicated team of Sales Representatives are at your disposal to address any inquiries or assistance you may require.

We look forward to connecting with you.

Harris Davidson

Managing Director

Rogers & Company

### How to Navigate the Rogers & Company Bordeaux Offer

- 1. The 2024 Rogers x Bordeaux Offer will close on **Tuesday, April 2**<sup>nd</sup>. Please get your requests in by that time to avoid disappointment.
- 2. Because this is a pre-offer, prices listed below are subject to slight fluctuations due to currency & freight adjustments.
- 3. Kindly note the reference number, next to each wine as these will be used to take your requests (eg, Ref#181, is Petrus 2009)
- 4. Note the Table of Contents, where you can click to skip through to the Château of your choice.
- 5. Please contact your local sales rep by phone or email, anytime to discuss your options.
- 6. This is a first-come, first-served offer. We will note your requests as they arrive and will reach out to you when we confirm your reservation.

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# CHÂTEAU HAUT-BRION 1er GRAND CRU CLASSÉ 1855 – PESSAC-LÉOGNAN ROUGE

About 2000 years ago, small quartz stones called gravels were discovered by the Romans in the area of Château Haut-Brion. These gravelly soils, in combination with a unique subsoil of clay, sand, and limestone, help to ensure natural drainage. The first mention of a wine specifically designated as having been produced on these soils dates back to 1521.

By acquiring Château Haut-Brion in 1935, Clarence Dillon returned it to the limited circle of the most legendary wines in the world. This extraordinary vision, continues with the 4th generation of the family, embodied by its president, Prince Robert of Luxembourg. Located in the town of Pessac, just a few kilometers from Bordeaux, Château Haut-Brion – the first of three estates acquired by the Dillon family — is the oldest wine property in the region.

### CHÂTEAU HAUT-BRION 2015 (Ref# 103)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 1,349.99/btl 50% Merlot, 42% Cabernet Sauvignon, 8% Cabernet Franc

"The medium to deep garnet-purple colored 2015 Haut-Brion is reticent to begin, languidly revealing crushed black cherries, ripe black plums and wild blueberries with sparks of cinnamon stick, cloves, nutmeg, espresso, unsmoked cigars, tapenade, crushed rocks and lavender. The full-bodied palate possesses wonderfully complementary contrasts of bold black and blue fruit richness and delicately nuanced cherry fruit, baking spices and floral accents, strutting ripe, finely pixelated tannins and seamless acidity that is placed firmly in the background, finishing very long and with plenty of attitude. This impeccably poised, exquisitely perfumed 2015 Haut-Brion possesses the most alluring yet seemingly effortless beauty..."

100 pts Robert Parker | 100 pts Jeb Dunnuck | 98 pts Vinous



# CHÂTEAU LAFITE ROTHSCHILD

1er GRAND CRU CLASSÉ 1855 – PAUILLAC

"Lafite has a soul, a beautiful, kind, and generous soul. Lafite turns the land into a dream.

Lafite is harmony, harmony between nature and man because, without our wonderful

winemakers, nothing would be done." - Baron Eric de Rothschild

Château Lafite Rothschild, a timeless masterpiece shaped across a thousand seasons, embodies an unparalleled harmony with nature. Nestled upon Lafite's storied gravel plateau, they have been custodians for over 150 years, upholding wine-growing traditions. From its 112 hectare expanse to the historical Lafite cedar, this sanctuary echoes a legacy of resilience, passed through generations, crafting wines that transcend time amidst a landscape steeped in history.

### CHÂTEAU LAFITE ROTHSCHILD 1990 (Ref# 104)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 3,299.99/btl 64% Cabernet Sauvignon, 36% Merlot

"Medium garnet-brick colour. Earthy, Provence herb seasoned aromas of warm cassis and stewed plum with nuances of smoked duck, cracked black pepper and dark soy. The palate leads with structure – medium to high, finely grained tannins and medium to high acid. Plenty of complex fruit to flesh out the mid-palate with a long, layered finish. Drink now – 2030+. Tasted February 2009."

97 pts Robert Parker | 96 pts Vinous | 95 pts Wine Spectator

### CHÂTEAU LAFITE ROTHSCHILD 2003 (Ref# 105)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 2,699.99/btl 86% Cabernet Sauvignon, 9% Merlot, 3% Cabernet Franc, 2% Petit Verdot

"The 2003 Lafite Rothschild comes as close to perfection as any of the great Lafites made over the past three decades (1982, 1986, 1996, 2000, 2005, 2008, 2009 and 2010). This sensational effort came in at 12.7% natural alcohol, it is made in the style of one of this estate's great classics, the 1959. It exhibits a dense ruby/purple color to the rim along with a luxurious bouquet of cedarwood, lead pencil shaving, white chocolate, cocoa and cassis. Fat, rich, opulent and full-bodied with low acidity and stunning seductiveness and complexity, this noble wine possesses a bountiful, generous, heady style."

100 pts Robert Parker | 98 pts James Suckling | 97 pts Wine Enthusiast

### CHÂTEAU LAFITE ROTHSCHILD 2016 (Ref# 106)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 1,899.99/btl 92% Cabernet Sauvignon, 8% Merlot

"What I love about the 2016 Lafite is that the sweetness of the fruit comes through even at this early stage. Sweet, ripe blackberry and cassis pulse through the palate behind the tight construction of tension and classicism given by high acidity and plenty of tannins. It has ripeness and a sense of promise but, as is often the case with a young Lafite, it's not giving a lot away and we can expect it to age for many decades perfectly comfortably. Extremely accomplished, one to cherish. Matured in 100% new oak".

100 pts Decanter | 100 pts Jeb Dunnuck | 99 pts Robert Parker



# CHÂTEAU LATOUR 1er GRAND CRU CLASSÉ 1855 – PAUILLAC

Since its genesis in 1331, Château Latour has stood as a sentinel, its storied history intertwining with pivotal moments in French heritage. From fortifying Saint Maubert during the Hundred Years War to Alexandre de Ségur's reign as the "Prince of the Vines," this estate's narrative brims with resilience and vinicultural prowess. François Pinault's stewardship from 1993 heralded an era of transformation, culminating in meticulous renovations and an unyielding commitment to excellence. It's unparalleled location, sheltered by the Atlantic's embrace and estuarine guardianship, tempers the Médoc's capricious climate, infusing each vintage with a distinctive essence. From mild winters to diverse springs, warm summers to crisp autumns, Château Latour's wines echo the symphony of nature's cycles.

### CHÂTEAU LATOUR 2000 (Ref# 107)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 2,899.99/btl Cabernet Blend

"Latour has made truly great wines in the past two decades—and this is one of the best. It has fabulous aromas of black truffles, currants, raspberry and dried flowers. Mind-blowing on the palate, it's an emotional and soulful red."

100 pts James Suckling | 100 pts Robert Parker | 99 pts Vinous

### CHÂTEAU LATOUR 2005 (Ref# 108)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 2,199.99/btl Cabernet Blend

"The 2005 Latour was mind-blowingly profound in two recent tastings for this report. Deep and sensual to the core, the 2005 is utterly captivating. All the elements are so seamlessly put together. Graphite, crème de cassis, licorice, dark spice and lavender infuse the 2005 with so much energy. More than anything else, though, the 2005 is a Latour of texture and resonance. Even after several hours, the 2005 is fresh and full of energy. Wines like this are just life affirming. That's about all I can really say. Tasted two times."

100 pts Vinous | 100 pts Wine Independent | 99 pts Robert Parker

### CHÂTEAU LATOUR 2006 (Ref# 109)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 1,399.99/btl Cabernet Blend

"Powerful, concentrated and seriously young tannins are closed tight around the pure, intense, dark, sweet fruits, followed by a deep undertow of liquorice, cloves and graphite. Extraordinary balance, polish and control. Textbook Pauillac."

97 pts Decanter | 96 pts Wine Enthusiast | 96 pts Jeb Dunnuck



# CHÂTEAU MARGAUX

1er GRAND CRU CLASSÉ 1855 – MARGAUX

Château Margaux, born in the XII century as "La Mothe de Margaux," evolved from a vineless mound to a wine legend. The Lestonnac family laid its viticultural foundation. Banker-turned-aficionado, Alexandre Aguado, brought flair, Berlon innovated, André Mentzelopoulos revived, and Corinne Mentzelopoulos propels this legacy.

Amidst turmoil, Château Margaux persevered. Its narrative spans centuries, showcasing architectural splendor and nurturing a cherished terroir. From its humble origins to its apex in Bordeaux's winemaking history, the estate's journey — of transformation, resilience, and relentless pursuit of excellence — resonates. It's a saga that breathes life into every bottle, an epic of artistry and ageability in the realm of fine wine.



750ml x 6btl | \$ 1,249.99/btl 90% Cabernet Sauvignon, 4% Merlot, 4% Petit Verdot, 2% Cabernet Franc

"This has more intensity on the nose than the 2007, certainly less Burgundian, with blacker fruit with boysenberry, wild hedgerow, a touch of smoke and violets. Good definition. The palate is mediumbodied, a little more structure and weight than the 2007, a little more grip and persistency. Touches of blackberry, cedar, blueberry, nice crescendo towards the finish. Very fine clarity with a slight graininess on the finish. Tasted June 2009."

96 pts Robert Parker | 95 pts Wine Enthusiast | 94 pts Vinous

### CHÂTEAU MARGAUX 2014 (Ref# 112)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 1,199.99/btl 90% Cabernet Sauvignon, 5% Merlot, 3% Cabernet Franc, 2% Petit Verdot

"The purity of cabernet sauvignon fruit is what impresses here. Subtle and energetic plum and currant aromas follow through to a gorgeously harmonized palate of wonderful fruit and an ultra-long finish. Current bush and light earth add to the complexity. Lasts for minutes. Drink in 2022."

97 pts James Suckling | 97 pts Wine Enthusiast | 97 pts Decanter



# CHÂTEAU COS D'ESTOURNEL

2ème GRAND CRU CLASSÉ 1855 – SAINT-ESTÈPHE

In a saga brimming with defiance and innovation, Cos d'Estournel's legacy began with Louis Gaspard d'Estournel, a maverick who defied norms. His wines voyaged afar; each bottle signed—a rebellion against tradition. India's admiration for his wines reshaped the estate's future.

The "Returned from India" wines emerged from a sea-enriched journey, christening d'Estournel the "Maharajah of Saint-Estèphe." At Cos d'Estournel, artisans blend tradition with avant-garde techniques, nurturing vines with unwavering dedication. Pioneering isothermal vats and a backdrop of Médoc's undulating landscapes weave into a saga crafting globally revered wines.



750ml x 6btl | \$ 329.99/btl 65% Cabernet Sauvignon, 33% Merlot, 2% Cabernet Franc

"If you want to know what St.-Estèphe smells like, this is it. Aromas of spices, black truffles, forest floor, dried strawberries and tar. It's full-bodied yet pinpointed on the palate with fabulous density and richness. It's opulent but in a reserved and checked way. This needs at least five or six years to come around, but it's already fantastic. What harmony and structure. Try in 2022 if you can keep your hands off it!"

98 pts James Suckling | 95 pts Vinous | 94 pts Robert Parker

### CHÂTEAU COS D'ESTOURNEL 2016 (Ref# 117)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 499.99/btl 76% Cabernet Sauvignon, 23% Merlot, 1% Cabernet Franc

"Bottled in July 2018, it is deep garnet-purple colored and starts off a little closed and reticent, opening out slowly and seductively to reveal beautiful lilacs, rose hip tea, crushed stones and camphor nuances over a core of crème de cassis, kirsch, wild blueberries and mocha plus wafts of incense and wood smoke. The palate is simply electric, charged with an energy and depth of flavors that seem to defy the elegance and ethereal nature of its medium-bodied weight, featuring super ripe, densely pixelated tannins that firmly frame the myriad of fruit and floral sparks, finishing with epic length. Just. Magic."

100 pts Robert Parker | 100 pts Vinous | 100 pts James Suckling

### CHÂTEAU COS D'ESTOURNEL 2018 (Ref# 118)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 439.99/btl

74% Cabernet Sauvignon, 23% Merlot, 2%Cabernet Franc, 1% Petit Verdot

"Sporting a deep purple-black color, it needs a lot of swirling to begin to unlock a powerful nose of crème de cassis, stewed plums, wild blueberries and chocolate-covered cherries, followed by nuances of Sichuan pepper, star anise, tree and clove oil, plus a waft of charcoal. The full-bodied palate is densely packed with taut, muscular black fruits and earthy layers, framed by super firm, ripe, grainy tannins and seamless freshness, finishing very long and wonderfully earthy. A very impressive behemoth, this is going to need a good seven to 10 years to truly show its stuff and should drink for a good 40 years and beyond."

98 pts Robert Parker | 98 pts Jeb Dunnuck | 98 pts Vinous



# CHÂTEAU DUCRU-BEAUCAILLOU

2ème GRAND CRU CLASSÉ 1855 – SAINT JULIEN

Step into Ducru-Beaucaillou, a captivating tale woven across three centuries, where the Bergeron, Ducru, Johnston, and Desbarats families shaped a Bordeaux legend. Nestled in the Médoc's tranquil embrace, this estate breathes history — a testament to artistry and dedication. From the 1855 classification's prestigious honor to the Desbarats' unwavering spirit during challenging times, each era echoes in every sip. Amidst the vineyards' serene beauty lies the secret — a dance of noble Gunz gravel, crafting wines of unparalleled grace. Embrace the estuary's whispers, witness the symphony of nature, and behold the legacy etched in every bottle. Ducru-Beaucaillou isn't just wine; it's an exquisite journey through time, a toast to the past and the promise of an extraordinary future.

# **CHÂTEAU DUCRU-BEAUCAILLOU 1982** (Ref# 119) 750ml x 6btl | \$ 1,399.99/btl

Cabernet/Merlot Blend

"The finest bottle I've had of this wine (which came from the estate), the 1982 Château Ducru-Beaucaillou continues to drink brilliantly and is a magical Saint-Julien. Still healthy ruby hued with a mature yet insanely complex bouquet of sweet red and black fruits, cedary herbs, graphite, tobacco, and forest floor, it's powerful yet seamless on the palate, with resolved tannins, no hard edges, and a fabulous finish. This is mature Bordeaux in all its glory. Drink bottles any time over the coming two decades."

97 pts Jeb Dunnuck | 97 pts Robert Parker | 97 pts John Gilman

### CHÂTEAU DUCRU-BEAUCAILLOU 2005 (Ref# 120)

750ml x 6btl | \$859.99/btl 67% Cabernet Sauvignon, 33% Merlot

"A gorgeously silky, juicy and balanced glass of wine, this combines elegant richness of sweet cocoa and blackberry, with tons of power and a feeling of holding itself in check. This is signature St Julien, concentrated yet delicate, just an utterly lovely wine that has good acidity, with tannins that have melted into the rest of the structure and fruit that is still absolutely in control, followed by a saline edge to the finish. There's a long road ahead still, but this is a standout Ducru."

98 pts Decanter | 97 pts Robert Parker | 97 pts Jeb Dunnuck

### CHÂTEAU DUCRU-BEAUCAILLOU 2010 (Ref# 121)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 1,099.99/btl 90% Cabernet Sauvignon, 10% Merlot

"In comparison to the more showy, sexy 2009, the 2010 Château Ducru-Beaucaillou cuts a very different profile, with a more focused, pure, regal style that will stop any wine lover in their tracks. Pure crème de cassis, graphite, fresh tobacco, and lead pencil (there's an almost Pauillac edge here) define the aromatics, and it hits the palate with full-bodied richness, a deep, concentrated, incredibly layered mouthfeel, absolutely perfect tannins, and a great, great finish. It's absolutely mind-blowingly good today yet has 50, 60, 75+ years of longevity ahead of it."

100 pts Jeb Dunnuck | 100 pts JS | 99 pts Robert Parker



# CHÂTEAU LÉOVILLE LAS CASES

2ème GRAND CRU CLASSÉ 1855 - SAINT JULIEN

Embark on a journey through time at Domaine de Léoville, a storied Medoc estate tracing its origins to the 17th century. Witnessing the upheavals of history, the estate was born anew during the French Revolution, resulting in the birth of Château Léoville Las Cases. The Grand Vin's terroir, steeped in centuries of legacy, remains the heart of the original domain. Guided by successive heirs, the estate found its steward in the late 19th century with Théophile Skawinski, continuing its legacy to this day under Jean-Hubert Delon's leadership. Amidst this history lies an exceptional terroir — a mosaic of Quaternary gravel, gravelly sand, and clay. These geological intricacies imbue the grapes with their distinct character, defining the timeless personality of this exceptional wine.

### CHÂTEAU LÉOVILLE LAS CASES 2001 (Ref# 122)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 569.99/btl 85% Cabernet Sauvignon, 6% Merlot, 9% Cabernet Franc

"A classic in development, a wine that will last for decades. It is certainly powerful, but already the shape is finalized, with its plums and berries settling down with perfumes, acidity, just enough tannins and a warm, welcoming richness. A great argument for the superiority of 2001 over 2000."

97 pts Wine Enthusiast | 96 pts Vinous | 95 pts Decanter

### CHÂTEAU LÉOVILLE LAS CASES 2010 (Ref# 123)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 769.99/btl 82% Cabernet Sauvignon, 10% Merlot, 8% Cabernet Franc

"A hugely powerful wine, full of dark, brooding tannins. It's a wine for seriously long-term aging, a sculptural vision of classic Bordeaux structure with classy, ripe blackberry fruits. It has fresh acidity and an immense full-bodied character, cut through with mineral acidity. A great wine, with great potential."

100 pts Wine Enthusiast | 97 pts James Suckling | 96 pts Robert Parker



# CHÂTEAU LÉOVILLE POYFERRÉ

2ème GRAND CRU CLASSÉ 1855 - SAINT JULIEN

Step into Château Léoville Poyferré's timeless saga, where history meets winemaking artistry. Embracing the ethos of "The essential is invisible to the eye," the Cuvelier Family's legacy, rooted in Saint-Julien's intimate terroir since 1638, unveils tales within each bottle. From the Gironde-polished graves to meticulously tended landscapes across 920 hectares, this terroir narrates whispered legends. Generations of Cuveliers, pioneers and custodians alike, craft accessible yet extraordinary wines — Château Le Crock, Château Léoville Poyferré, and Cuvelier Los Andes etched in their lineage. Here, in this realm of whispered stories, savor the invisible essence, an embodiment of time-honored tradition and terroir's symphony.

### CHÂTEAU LÉOVILLE POYFERRÉ 2005 (Ref# 125)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 439.99/btl

60% Cabernet Sauvignon, 26% Merlot, 9% Cabernet Franc 5% Petit Verdot

"Very clear and translucent with currants, blueberries and fresh mushrooms. Full-bodied with velvety tannins that are layered and beautiful. Together and polished with plushness and beauty. Drink or hold."

96 pts James Suckling | 95 pts Vinous | 95 pts Robert Parker

### CHÂTEAU LÉOVILLE POYFERRÉ 2006 (Ref# 126)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 319.99/btl

60% Cabernet Sauvignon, 26% Merlot, 9% Cabernet Franc 5% Petit Verdot

"A superb Poyferre from Didier Cuvelier. This is very ripe on the nose, good lift but it has a lot of oak at the moment, with black plum, cassis, orange sorbet and subtle honeyed aromas. The palate is full-bodied, decadent, grippy tannins that coat the mouth, very primal, dense blackberry, cassis, tar and cedar, weighty on the finish. This needs serious time to mellow out, but it is unequivocally a class act."

93 pts Robert Parker | 93 pts Wine Enthusiast | 93 pts Wine and Spirits

### CHÂTEAU LÉOVILLE POYFERRÉ 2010 (Ref# 127)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 499.99/btl

60% Cabernet Sauvignon, 26% Merlot, 9% Cabernet Franc 5% Petit Verdot

"Pure gold, the 2010 Château Léoville Poyferré, which was drunk beside a perfect 2009 Latour, offers everything you could want from wine. Sporting a deep purple hue as well as an incredible array of crème de cassis, graphite, damp earth, leafy tobacco, and beautifully integrated oak, it hits the palate with an incredible amount of fruit and opulence while always staying pure, precise, and as seamless as they come. It shows the density and power of the 2010 vintage, but it's remarkable in its balance, purity, and length. As with most 2010s today, it's still youthful and certainly in its early drinking plateau and has another 40-50 years of prime drinking."

100 pts Jeb Dunnuck | 97 pts Vinous | 97 pts James Suckling



# CHÂTEAU MONTROSE

2ème GRAND CRU CLASSÉ 1855 – SAINT-ESTÈPHE

Entwined in Montrose's legacy lies a saga scripted by three dynasties, weaving aspirations of excellence into this historic estate. Spanning 95 hectares, the vineyard envelops the Château and winery in rare unison, fostering ideal conditions for parcel monitoring. In 2006, Martin and Olivier Bouygues embraced Montrose, orchestrating a seven-year renaissance, honouring tradition while embracing innovation. The estate now boasts a majestic barrel hall powered by geothermal prowess and rooftop solar panels. Guided by Melissa Bouygues, Montrose thrives, uniting expertise in a testament to its timeless allure. This tale harmonizes heritage with sustainability, exemplifying the estate's enduring charm and commitment to excellence.

### CHÂTEAU MONTROSE 2014 (Ref# 129)

750ml x 12btl | \$ 299.99/btl 61% Cabernet Sauvignon, 30% Merlot, 8% Cabernet Franc 1% Petit Verdot

"The 2014 Montrose is without the question one of the standout wines of the vintage. Black cherry, plum, smoke, licorice and lavender are some of the many aromas and flavors that open up in the glass. But the 2014 is a much deeper wine than just a bunch of descriptors can conjure. In 2014, Montrose is a wine of exceptional finesse and polish. The late-ripening vintage allowed for perfect maturation off the tannins and resulted in a silky wine that exudes class and pedigree. The 2014 is not an obvious or bombastic Montrose, but rather a wine of sublime enchantment. Don't miss it!"

97 pts Vinous | 97 pts Wine Enthusiast | 96 pts Robert Parker

### CHÂTEAU MONTROSE 2016 (Ref# 130)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 499.99/btl

61% Cabernet Sauvignon, 30% Merlot, 8% Cabernet Franc 1% Petit Verdot

"Unquestionably one of the top 2-3 wines of the vintage, the 2016 Château Montrose is a monument in the making. Checking in as a blend of 68% Cabernet Sauvignon, 25% Merlot, and 7% Cabernet Franc raised in 60% new French oak (the balance was in once-used barrels) and representing a tiny 36% of the production, this deep purple-colored 2016 possesses powerful, incredibly classic Saint-Estephe notes of creme de cassis, graphite, damp earth, lead pencil shavings, and burning embers. With a powerful, full-bodied style on the palate, a huge mid-palate, lots of underlying structure and tannic grip, and perfect balance, this magical wine will need upwards of a decade or cellaring and keep for 40-50 years."

100 pts Jeb Dunnuck | 100 pts Wine Independent | 100 pts James Suckling



## CHÂTEAU PICHON-LONGUEVILLE BARON

2ème GRAND CRU CLASSÉ 1855 - PAULLIAC

Within the revered Pauillac appellation, Château Pichon Baron stands as a testament to centuries of winemaking. Originating from the 17th century, Pierre Desmezures de Rauzan laid the groundwork for this prestigious estate. The 19th-century saw its evolution — division into Pichon Baron and Pichon Comtesse, and the birth of the iconic château, acclaimed during the 1855 Universal Exhibition. Modernized by AXA Millésimes, the estate merges tradition and innovation, preserving the 19th-century charm while embracing contemporary practices. With meticulous care of its 75-hectare gravelly soil, Pichon Baron nurtures vines and selects only the finest grapes for Château Pichon Baron, its Grand Vin. Crafting a mosaic of flavours from distinct plots, this estate honors a legacy of excellence — a testament to Bordeaux's finest wines.



88% Cabernet Sauvignon, 12% Merlot

"Reminding me of the 1990, the 2015 Château Pichon Baron is a sensational bottle of wine made from 80% Cabernet Sauvignon and 20% Merlot that spent 18 months in 80% new French oak. Boasting a deep purple color as well as awesome notes of black raspberries, toasted spices, cassis, lead pencil shavings, tobacco leaf and building minerality, this full-bodied, concentrated 2015 has sweet tannin, a great texture, and a big, big finish. Pauillac all the way, with both opulence and finesse, forget bottles of 4-5 years and enjoy anytime over the following two to three decades. This is a match for the 2009, 2000, and 1990."

98 pts Jeb Dunnuck | 97 pts Robert Parker | 97 pts Vinous

### CHÂTEAU PICHON-LONGUEVILLE BARON 2016 (Ref# 132)

750ml x 12btl | \$ 379.99/btl 88% Cabernet Sauvignon, 12% Merlot

"Pichon Baron 2016 is a riveting, classy wine, richly aromatic and expressive from the start with a complex bouquet of black cherry, liquorice, graphite, menthol and subtle spices. The palate combines fleshy texture and linearity. The fine-grained tannins have the laser-like precision that Christian Seely likes so much and contribute to the overall impression of crystalline purity so conducive to the terroir expression of this benchmark wine destined to reach new heights over the next 20 to 30 years. Magnificent wine."

100 pts Decanter | 97 pts Robert Parker | 96 pts Wine Enthusiast

### CHÂTEAU PICHON-LONGUEVILLE BARON 2017 (Ref# 133)

750ml x 12btl | \$ 319.99/btl 88% Cabernet Sauvignon, 12% Merlot

"This wine is both weighty and stylish. Its power comes from luscious black fruits that are juicy and powerful. Expect this wine to age well and drink from 2024."

96 pts Wine Enthusiast | 96 pts Jeb Dunnuck | 95 pts Robert Parker



# CHÂTEAU GISCOURS

3ème CRU CLASSÉ 1855 - MARGAUX

Discover Château Giscours, where centuries intertwine with ambition and passion. From Pierre de Lhomme's vineyard expansion in 1552 to the Albada Jelgersma family's tireless pursuit today, each owner left an indelible mark. This Third Grand Cru Classé estate soared during wars, hosted high-flying adventures, and embraced innovation.

Edouard Cruse's vision and the Albada Jelgersma children's innovation define Giscours' holistic approach. Meagre gravel hills shape vines under an oceanic climate, crafting Margaux's famed 'iron fist in a velvet glove' wines. Giscours embodies not just a vineyard but a testament to intertwined legacies — soil, vines, animals — a relentless pursuit of excellence.



750ml x 12btl | \$ 199.99/btl 71% Cabernet Sauvignon, 29% Merlot

"Giscours shows an initial character of great style and elegance. The shining fruit and concentrated tannins follow, making it both a seductive wine and one with a long-term future."

95 pts Wine Enthusiast | 94 pts Robert Parker | 94 pts Wine Spectator

### CHÂTEAU GISCOURS 2014 (Ref# 138)

750ml x 12btl | \$ 119.99/btl 70% Cabernet Sauvignon, 20% Merlot, 10% Petit Verdot

"Blueberries, tar and licorice on the nose. Full-bodied, solid and dense. Velvety tannins. Long finish. Down on this! Needs at least two or three years to soften."

95 pts James Suckling | 95 pts Wine Enthusiast | 92 pts Robert Parker

### CHÂTEAU GISCOURS 2016 (Ref# 139)

750ml x 12btl | \$ 169.99/btl 70% Cabernet Sauvignon, 25% Merlot, 5% Petit Verdot

"This has attractive, glossy, ripe red-plum and licorice aromas with cedar, flowers and red berries, as well as a stony edge. A very fragrant, cabernet-driven nose. The palate has elegance and grace with sleek and charming, balanced style and a discreet tannin structure that holds the finish long and fresh. A blend of 81 per cent cabernet sauvignon and 19 per cent merlot. Try from 2023."

96 pts James Suckling | 96 pts Wine Enthusiast | 94 pts Vinous



### CHÂTEAU PALMER 3ème CRU CLASSÉ 1855 – MARGAUX

Within Château Palmer lies an ethos transcending winemaking — Thomas Durox echoes, "Making great wine is about putting a place in a glass." Biodynamic viticulture here embraces diversity, where each vine is a note in an ecosystem's symphony. Time isn't a constraint; it's a companion, shaping legendary vintages like Miles Davis' jazz evolving through eras.

Amidst the storied Plateau des Brauzes, Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, and Petit Verdot flourish amidst lydian and quartzite. Merlot adds velvet, Cabernet lends restrained power, crafting wines that echo a place, a legacy, and the enigmatic forces binding them. Château Palmer isn't just wine; it's a timeless legacy shared with the world.



750ml x 6btl | \$ 729.99/btl 48% Merlot, 46% Cabernet Sauvignon, 6% Petit Verdot

"This is mind-blowing with complex and superb aromas of dried flowers, blackcurrants and raspberries. Full-bodied, yet polished and velvety with lots of tension and intensity. Layers of fruit and character. Finishes with pure fruit, hazelnuts and minerals. About 20 hectares of 55 hectares were from biodynamically grown grapes. Try in 2022. Stunning."

97 James Suckling | 95 pts Robert Parker | 95 pts Jeb Dunnuck

### CHÂTEAU PALMER 2015 (Ref# 141)

750ml x 6btl | \$859.99/btl 44% Merlot, 50% Cabernet Sauvignon, 6% Petit Verdot

"I am breathless with the dark-berry, lavender and burnt-orange aromas. Some salt. Just so formidable and deep. Stunningly sexy on the palate with a density and power, yet it leaves things so clean and bright. You want to drink it and enjoy it now, but it has the structure to last forever. Drink in 2022."

100 pts James Suckling | 98 pts Robert Parker | 98 pts Wine Enthusiast

### **CHÂTEAU PALMER 2016** (Ref# 142)

750ml x 6btl | \$839.99/btl 47% Merlot, 47% Cabernet Sauvignon, 6% Petit Verdot

"The finest vintage I've ever tasted from this estate, surpassing the 2009 and 2010, the 2016 Château Palmer is a blend of 47% each of Merlot and Cabernet Sauvignon, with the balance Petit Verdot, all of which was brought up in 65% new French oak. This magical effort reveals a saturated purple color as well as a huge nose of crème de cassis, graphite, crushed rocks, and spring flowers, and it develops beautifully with time in the glass. Full-bodied, deep, incredibly concentrated and powerful, it nevertheless just glides over the palate with flawless purity and balance, present, ripe tannins, and a finish that just won't quit. This is Bordeaux at its most regal and classic. It will be drinkable with just 4-5 years of bottle age and keep for half a century."

100 pts Jeb Dunnuck | 100 pts Vinous | 100 pts Wine Enthusiast



# CHÂTEAU BRANAIRE-DUCRU

4ème CRU CLASSÉ 1855 - SAINT-JULIEN

Step into a tale that began in 1680, when Jean-Baptiste Braneyre glimpsed the promise within stony grounds, sowing the seeds of Château Branaire-Ducru's legacy. This Saint-Julien estate bore witness to centuries, evolving under devoted hands.

Recognized in 1855 among the 61 Grands Crus Classés, it awaited Patrick Maroteaux's vision in 1988. His pursuit? Revitalize this sleeping beauty.

François-Xavier Maroteaux inherited the reins in 2017, continuing a narrative woven through gravelly terroirs and overlooking the Gironde Estuary. Here, Cabernet Sauvignon reigns, joined by Merlot's flourish, crafting wines that echo commitment to heritage, environment, and artistry.



750ml x 12btl | \$ 129.99/btl

68% Cabernet Sauvignon, 24% Merlot, 5% Petit Verdot, 3% Cabernet Franc

"Full of ripe Cabernet tannins, this is a structured wine that's chunky in character. It elegantly balances fruit and structure, resulting in a wine that's sure to be impressive."

95 pts Wine Enthusiast | 93 pts Wine Spectator | 90 pts Robert Parker

### CHÂTEAU BRANAIRE-DUCRU 2015 (Ref# 144)

750ml x 12btl | \$ 139.99/btl

65% Cabernet Sauvignon, 26% Merlot, 5% Petit Verdot, 4% Cabernet Franc

"The 2015 Branaire is a gorgeous, totally sexy wine. Rose petal, lavender, mint, sweet red berry and gently spiced notes give the wine much of its gracious, lilting personality. Precise and nuanced to the core, the 2015 is all class. It's easy to overlook Branaire in the context of Saint-Julien, where most of the other important wines are much more powerful. Branaire always speaks with a discreet voice."

95 pts Vinous | 95 pts Wine Enthusiast | 94 pts Wine Spectator

### CHÂTEAU BRANAIRE-DUCRU 2016 (Ref# 145)

750ml x 12btl | \$ 139.99/btl

64% Cabernet Sauvignon, 27% Merlot, 6% Petit Verdot, 3% Cabernet Franc

"The core of this red is loaded with pure plum, blueberry and black currant fruit flavors. The polished structure is integrated, with alluring ganache, anise and sweet tobacco notes throughout, all in a polished and balanced frame. A very classy red that isn't shy about its power but pushes its purity to the fore. Best from 2024 through 2039."

96 pts Wine Spectator | 95 pts Wine Enthusiast | 94 pts Robert Parker

### CHÂTEAU BRANAIRE-DUCRU 2018 (Ref# 146)

750ml x 12btl | \$ 129.99/btl

58% Cabernet Sauvignon, 33% Merlot, 5% Petit Verdot, 4% Cabernet Franc

"Very attractive aromas of currants, tile and sandalwood with black and red currants. It's full-bodied with a tight, dense center-palate that remains closed in and tight. Yet there is underlying seriousness and length to this. Perhaps the greatest Branaire-Ducru ever made. Try after 2026."

97 pts James Suckling | 96 pts Vinous | 95 pts Wine Enthusiast



# CHÂTEAU LYNCH BAGES

5ème CRU CLASSÉ 1855 – PAUILLAC

In the heart of Pauillac's storied winemaking legacy lies Domaine de Bages, tracing back to 16th-century "Batges." Generations tended these lands, from Jean Déjean's vision to the Lynch family's influential era. Pierre Skawinski's innovation marked a turning point, echoing the Médoc's spirit seen in ancestors like Jean "Lou Janou." Amid crises, from André's global wine advocacy to Jean-Michel's modernization, Lynch-Bages evolved, resilient and refined.

Amidst Pauillac's optimal climate and Garonne gravel soils, the estate's hundred-hectare vineyard thrives, nurturing grapes to perfection. Lynch-Bages stands as a testament to innovation, tradition, and an unwavering pursuit of vinicultural greatness.

### CHÂTEAU LYNCH BAGES 2010 (Ref# 147)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 559.99/btl

79% Cabernet Sauvignon, 18% Merlot, 2% Cabernet Franc, 1% Petit Verdot

"The 2010 Château Lynch-Bages is straight-up brilliant and shows the quality of this incredible château — as well as the vintage — beautifully. Still deep purple-hued, with a stunningly pure and classic Pauillac nose of cassis, darker currants, smoke tobacco, and lead pencil, it hits the palate with full-bodied richness, a layered, multi-dimensional mouthfeel, polished yet substantial tannins, and an awesome finish. This beauty is up with the finest vintages from this château and has another 30-40 years of prime drinking."

98 pts Jeb Dunnuck | 97 pts Robert Parker | 96 pts Decanter

### CHÂTEAU LYNCH BAGES 2014 (Ref# 148)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 319.99/btl

69% Cabernet Sauvignon, 26% Merlot, 3% Cabernet Franc, 2% Petit Verdot

"Aromas of currants, blackberries and blackcurrants with hints of chocolate and spices. Full body, firm and silky tannins and a long and flavorful finish. Juicy and muscular wine. Needs three or four years to open. Beautiful."

96 pts James Suckling | 95 pts Robert Parker | 95 pts Decanter

### CHÂTEAU LYNCH BAGES 2019 (Ref# 149)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 329.99/btl

70% Cabernet Sauvignon, 24% Merlot, 3% Cabernet Franc, 3% Petit Verdot

"The 2019 Château Lynch-Bages is stunningly good, and it's going to be interesting to compare this to the 2018 over the coming decades. Based on 70% Cabernet Sauvignon, 24% Merlot, and the balance Cabernet Franc and Petit Verdot, brought up in 75% new French oak, its dense purple hue is followed by an incredible bouquet of pure crème de cassis, freshly sharpened cedar pencil, spring flowers, smoke, and graphite, with an almost liqueur of rocks-like minerality. A massive, incredibly concentrated Lynch-Bages, Jean-Charles has hit a home run in the vintage, and this sensational wine has building, perfect tannins, insane purity, and a finish that won't quit. It has the purity, finesse, balance, and depth to offer pleasure not only today but to evolve for 40 to 50 years. Smart money will hide these for a good 7-8 years, but wow, what a wine. Bravo."

100 pts Jeb Dunnuck | 99 pts Vinous | 97 pts Decanter





# CHÂTEAU LA MISSION HAUT-BRION

CRU CLASSÉ DE GRAVES - PESSAC-LÉOGNAN ROUGE

Discover the captivating history of Château La Mission Haut-Brion, a sacred haven in Pessac-Léognan. Acquired by the Dillon family in 1983, the estate underwent a visionary renovation, preserving its unique terroir facing Château Haut-Brion. Graced with gravelly soils and an ancient subsoil mix, the vineyard is meticulously conserved through sustainable practices, earning dual certifications. La Mission Haut-Brion's exceptional reds reflect the magic and mysticism of its rich history, inviting you into a world where tradition and terroir converge.

### CHÂTEAU LA MISSION HAUT-BRION 2000 (Ref# 150)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 1,849.99/btl 58% Merlot, 32% Cabernet Sauvignon, 10% Cabernet Franc

"The 2000 has barely budged in its evolution since it was bottled and released in 2002. After ten years in bottle, it still reveals a dense opaque purple color along with a potentially sensational bouquet of blueberries, black currants, graphite, asphalt and background oak. Powerful, full-bodied and superbly concentrated with good high acidity and round tannins, this massive wine should take its place among this estate's most hallowed vintages when it hits full maturity."

100 pts Robert Parker | 98 pts Decanter | 96 pts Vinous

### CHÂTEAU LA MISSION HAUT-BRION 2006 (Ref# 151)

750ml x 6btl | \$859.99/btl 59% Merlot, 40% Cabernet Sauvignon, 1% Cabernet Franc

"Colour still tight and inky at 10 years old. Smooth, silky, very expressive; this is so powerful it almost lulls you into a false sense of security with the tannin integration on the first attack. Deceptively concentrated, this has persistency and freshness, plus layers of crushed black fruits, tar, cigar smoke and saffron."

97 pts Decanter | 96 pts Wine Enthusiast | 96 pts Robert Parker



### DOMAINE DE CHEVALIER

CRU CLASSÉ DE GRAVES - PESSAC-LÉOGNAN ROUGE

Nestled within the captivating Domaine de Chevalier estate, one assumes not just the role of a resident, but that of a custodian of a time-honored legacy. The notion of a "domain" transports individuals back to the essence of Chevalier, embracing a delicate equilibrium that permeates all endeavours. Living amid a historical tapestry, the boundaries between duty and passion become indistinct. The vineyard, steadily expanding since 1985, serves as tangible proof of a commitment extending beyond the traditional 9 to 5, with renovations seamlessly blending practical elegance and a nod to its 17th-century origins. Tucked away amidst lush forests and vines, the estate champions a long-term ecological ethos, aligning with nature and safeguarding a legacy that echoes tales of centuries past.

### **DOMAINE DE CHEVALIER 2014** (Ref# 154)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 159.99/btl 65% Cabernet Sauvignon, 30% Merlot, 5% Petit Verdot

"The 2014 Domaine de Chevalier has a classy, sophisticated bouquet with blackberry, boysenberry, graphite and brine aromas that feel very well defined. The palate is medium bodied with sappy red berry fruit, quite saline in the mouth with a brisk, lightly spiced, white pepper sprinkled finish that lingers long in the mouth. Olivier Bernard has crafted quite a sublime 2014 wine."

96 pts Vinous | 95 pts Wine Enthusiast | 94 pts Jeb Dunnuck

### **DOMAINE DE CHEVALIER 2016** (Ref# 155)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 179.99/btl

55% Cabernet Sauvignon, 35% Merlot, 5% Cabernet Franc, 5% Petit Verdot

"As to the reds, the 2016 Domaine de Chevalier is a blend of 55% Cabernet Sauvignon, 35% Merlot, and the balance Petit Verdot and Cabernet Franc that saw an extended maceration, malo in barrel, and 18 months in just 35% new French oak. This deep purple-hued beauty boasts a powerful bouquet of tobacco smoke, damp earth, gravelly, rocky minerality, wood smoke, and loads of dark fruits. Full-bodied, deep, concentrated yet incredibly elegant and seamless on the palate, it's a legendary Chevalier in the making. While I rated this as high as 99 points on one of the four separate occasions, I was able to taste it, I'm being conservative with the score. it has some upfront charm but needs 4-5 years of cellaring and will keep for 3-4 decades."

97 pts Jeb Dunnuck | 97 pts James Suckling | 97 pts Vinous

### **DOMAINE DE CHEVALIER 2019** (Ref# 156)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 179.99/btl

60% Cabernet Sauvignon, 30% Merlot, 6% Petit Verdot, 4% Cabernet Franc

"The 2019 Domaine de Chevalier is a magical wine in the making, wafting from the glass with aromas of wild plums, crushed blackcurrants and violets mingled with hints of pencil shavings, subtle spices and coniferous forest floor. Medium to full-bodied, deep and seamless, with a vibrant core of fruit, beautifully refined tannins and lively acids, it's exquisitely elegant and harmonious, concluding with a long, perfumed finish. Stylistically, this wine exhibits a much closer affinity with the great Domaine de Chevalier of yesteryear than much of what was produced here in the early 2000s. It's a masterclass in what contemporary Bordeaux can deliver, and worth a special effort to seek out."

97 pts Robert Parker | 97 pts Vinous | 97 pts Jeb Dunnuck



# CHÂTEAU CHEVAL BLANC

1er GRAND CRU CLASSÉ DE SAINT-EMILION

At the heart of Saint-Emilion, the legendary Château Cheval Blanc unfolds a tale etched over centuries of winemaking brilliance. Since vines were first cultivated on this historic terrain in the 15th century, the estate's journey has intertwined with Bordeaux's winemaking legacy. From Ausone's poetic vineyards in the 4th century to Jean Laussac-Fourcaud's visionary replanting in the 19th, Cheval Blanc's unique terroir has always distinguished it. With gold medals in esteemed exhibitions and a Premier Grand Cru Classé "A" status in 1954, it remains a treasure, harmonizing tradition with a futuristic commitment to excellence under Baron Albert Frère and Bernard Arnault's stewardship.

# GRAND CRU CLASSE "A" Mis en bouteille au Château

### CHÂTEAU CHEVAL BLANC 2010 (Ref# 157)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 2,699.99/btl 48% Merlot, 50% Cabernet Franc, 2% Cabernet Sauvignon

"Deep garnet in color and made of 54% Cabernet Franc and 46% Merlot, the nose of the 2010 Cheval Blanc is a bit subdued to begin, measuredly opening out to reveal achingly provocative notions of molten chocolate, preserved Morello cherries, baked blackberries, boysenberries and blueberry compote with wafts of underbrush, cigar box, cumin seed and sandalwood. Full-bodied, the palate is a full-on atomic bomb waiting to go off, with very tightly coiled, slowly maturing black fruits eking out glimpses of a vast array of nuances. Still very youthful, it finishes with an incredibly persistent, jaw-dropping display of earth and mineral fireworks. I'd leave this one for another 5 years and drink it over the next 50."

100 pts Robert Parker | 100 pts Jeb Dunnuck | 100 pts Wine Enthusiast

### CHÂTEAU CHEVAL BLANC 2015 (Ref# 158)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 1,899.99/btl 55% Merlot, 45% Cabernet Franc

"Medium to deep garnet-purple colored, the 2015 Cheval Blanc is still incredibly primary at this very youthful stage. With coaxing, it unfurls to reveal beguiling notions of ripe black cherries, mulberries, licorice, baking spices and smoked meats with touches of incense and potpourri plus wafts of cast iron pan and crushed rocks. Full-bodied, very rich, very firm/taut and with very ripe, fine-grained tannins, it allows a glimpse at its incredible depth of flavors with a very long multi-layered finish. Wow."

100 pts Robert Parker | 100 pts Wine Enthusiast | 99 pts Vinous

### CHÂTEAU CHEVAL BLANC 2016 (Ref# 159)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 1,799.99/btl 58% Merlot, 38% Cabernet Franc, 4% Cabernet Sauvignon

"Deep garnet-purple in color, the nose is incredibly youthful yet not so shy as some other 2016s at this stage, giving wonderfully intense scents of red currants, black cherries, wild blueberries and violets with nuances of star anise, cinnamon stick, rose hip tea, cigar box and wood smoke plus a touch of beef drippings. Medium to full-bodied, the palate has jaw-dropping elegance and depth, offering up layer upon layer of fragrant red and black fruits plus an extraordinary array of mineral sparks, supported by a rock-solid grainy texture, finishing with epic persistence and an edifying perfume. This is a very different style from the rich, opulently hedonic 2015, yet this wonderfully fragrant, beautifully poised and intellectually compelling 2016 is equally extraordinary."

100 pts Robert Parker | 99 pts James Suckling | 98 pts Vinous

### CHÂTEAU FIGEAC 1er GRAND CRU CLASSÉ DE SAINT-EMILION

In the expansive Saint-Émilion appellation, Château-Figeac, a distinguished wine estate with roots tracing back to a Gallo-Roman villa in the 2nd century, graces the north-western landscape. Spanning 54 hectares, it has evolved into a vinous masterpiece with gravel-rich soil and a unique Premier Grand Cru Classé A status, shared by only one other château.

Uniquely, Figeac's terroir features Gunzian gravel knolls, favouring a grape composition of Cabernet Sauvignon (35%), Cabernet Franc (35%), and Merlot (30%). Thierry Manoncourt's visionary stewardship propelled Figeac to greatness, a legacy upheld by his family.

Recent advancements, including the construction of cutting-edge cellars, underscore Figeac's commitment to excellence, ensuring it remains a symbol of Bordeaux's winemaking prowess.



"This is nudging its evolution a little quicker than the 2010. The fruit is beginning to soften, not to tertiary aspects yet, but there are hints of black truffles and woodsmoke. For me the 2010 is the clear winner of the two in terms of longevity, but this is still an extremely accomplished wine that should be celebrated. It has excellent freshness for such a warm year, showing the benefit of its Cabernets, and yet there is no austerity on display - rather it is full of beautifully seductive and richly spiced flavours. Wonderful.'

97 pts Decanter | 97 pts James Suckling | 96 pts Wine Enthusiast

### CHÂTEAU FIGEAC 2010 (Ref# 161)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 679.99/btl Cabernet/Merlot Blend

"Intense aromas of wet earth, leaves, sweet berries and cinnamon follow through to a full body, velvety and dense tannins and a long and flavorful finish. Opulent style. Just opening now, but this shows lots of stuffing, even if it does tighten down on the palate. Integrated and fine. Drink or hold."

98 pts James Suckling | 97 pts Robert Parker | 96 pts Wine Enthusiast

### CHÂTEAU FIGEAC 2016 (Ref# 162)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 599.99/btl Cabernet/Merlot Blend

aromatic precision and vivacity, offering a cavalcade of scents including cedar, menthol, crunchy black fruits including blackcurrant along with a touch of truffles and pepper as well as other spices. On the palate, the wine asserts itself with a powerful, upright structure without any heaviness whatsoever, as the tannic framework is so finely drawn and elegantly proportioned. Its expression is certainly less exuberant than that of its 2018 counterpart, but this wine is a paragon of precision as well as of thoroughbred poise and energy. This is an immense Figeac of true grandeur that will stay the distance for up to five decades while



# CHÂTEAU BÉLAIR-MONANGE

**AOC POMEROL** 

Château Bélair-Monange, with roots tracing back to Roman times, underwent a fascinating evolution. In the 1st century AD, Bordeaux vineyards embraced wooden barrels, elevating the aging process. The Middle Ages witnessed Saint-Émilion's prominence as vines thrived around Villeneuve. In the 16th century, Jean Despagnet's vines laid the groundwork for Bélair.

Despite challenges in the French Revolution, Bélair endured, and in 1802, it pioneered on-site bottling. The 19th century brought international acclaim, leading to a Premier Grand Cru Classé status in 1955. In 2008, Christian and Edouard Moueix revived tradition, renaming it Bélair-Monange. Today, the 23.5-hectare vineyard boasts a melange of limestone and blue clay soils, producing wines of freshness, minerality, and elegance.



750ml x 6btl | \$ 259.99/btl 90% Merlot, 10% Cabernet Franc

"The wine shows dryness and concentration, with a core of austere tannins. Its juicy character slowly emerges."

94 pts Wine Enthusiast | 93 pts Vinous | 92 pts Robert Parker

### CHÂTEAU BÉLAIR-MONANGE 2014 (Ref# 164)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 189.99/btl 88% Merlot, 12% Cabernet Franc

"With the amalgamation of Château Magdelaine into this one property, the estate is now a considerable 58 acres. The wine is now performing in top gear. Powerful tannins drive the mainly Merlot blend with 10% Cabernet Franc. It still shows signs of the wood aging and these will disappear to leave a richly endowed wine with a fine future. Drink from 2026."

96 pts Wine Enthusiast | 95 pts Jeb Dunnuck | 95 pts Wine Spectator

### CHÂTEAU BÉLAIR-MONANGE 2016 (Ref# 165)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 379.99/btl 92% Merlot, 8% Cabernet Franc

"Incredibly perfumed aromas of roses and violets, as well as blue fruit and lavender. Full-bodied and powerful, yet so full of finesse and vibrance. The height of elegance! Such depth of chalk and dark berries. It goes on for minutes. Drink after 2025."

99 pts James Suckling | 97+ pts Robert Parker | 97 pts Decanter



# CHÂTEAU LA FLEUR-PÉTRUS

**AOC POMEROL** 

In the scenic Pomerol region, Château La Fleur-Pétrus stands as a vinicultural gem with a storied history dating back to the 18th century, named after the revered plots 'Pétrus' and 'La Fleur.' Acquired by Jean-Pierre Moueix in 1950, this historic estate is a testament to his early recognition of Pomerol's exceptional quality. Encompassing 18.7 hectares of deep clay and old gravel soils, which contribute to the distinct personality of its wines. Comprising 91% Merlot, 6% Cabernet Franc, and 3% Petit Verdot, each grape variety plays a unique role, resulting in a harmonious blend of elegance, generosity, and structure. A careful tasting unveils remarkable finesse, complexity, and a subtle hint of violet, truly capturing the essence of Pomerol's greatness.

# HATEAU LA FLEUR-PETRUS POMEROL Société Civile du Château La Fleur-Pétra

### CHÂTEAU LA FLEUR-PÉTRUS 2014 (Ref# 168)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 469.99/btl Merlot Blend

"Much more sweet fruit than others with honeysuckle perfume. Fascinating. Medium to full body, very fine tannins and a super finish of ripe-strawberry character. Yet everything's always in check and class. Give it five or six years of bottle to see its true greatness."

98 pts James Suckling | 96 pts Vinous | 95 pts Wine Enthusiast

### CHÂTEAU LA FLEUR-PÉTRUS 2015 (Ref# 169)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 569.99/btl Merlot Blend

"The aromas to this are stunning with lavender, rose petals, walnut skin, strawberries and raspberries. Captivating. Full body, layers of polished tannins and perfectly ripe fruit. Dense and very long. Breathtaking classicism. Try in 2021 and onwards."

99 pts James Suckling | 97 pts Vinous | 96 pts Jeb Dunnuck

# CHÂTEAU LE GAY

Perched on the picturesque Pomerol plateau, Château Le Gay, once owned by the Robin sisters, entered an era of transformation when the visionary Parent family took over in 2002. With meticulous care, they expanded the vineyard by four hectares and restructured over half of the plateau, infusing life into the estate's 10.5 hectares. Henri Parent, committed to quality, embarked on a cellar renovation in 2014, incorporating "vinification intégrale" to enhance fermentation control. Today, their pursuit of excellence continues with innovative techniques like multi-pass harvesting, creating distinct plots, and embracing cold maceration. With 90% Merlot in the vineyards and a touch of Cabernet Franc on the horizon, Château Le Gay stands as a testament to unwavering dedication and continual progress in winemaking.

### **CHÂTEAU LE GAY 2012** (Ref# 170)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 259.99/btl Merlot Blend

"The 2012 from Le Gay sports an inky purple color as well as masculine, lifted notes of plums, violets, licorice and scorched earth. A big, rich, concentrated effort, it has impeccable purity, a firm, focused, structured core, notable acidity, and superb concentration, all suggesting it needs to be forgotten for 7-8 year. It should keep for 15+ years."

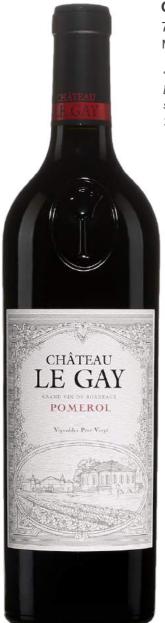
95 pts Jeb Dunnuck | 95 pts Vinous | 95 pts Wine Independent

### **CHÂTEAU LE GAY 2016** (Ref# 171)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 259.99/btl Merlot Blend

"Exotic aromas of blackberries, truffle, earth and cedar follow through to a full body, rich and layered tannins and a long, long finish. Shows so much here. Exotic. Give it at least three or four years of bottle age. Exuberant. Try from 2023."

98 pts James Suckling | 95+ pts Robert Parker | 94 pts Vinous



# CHÂTEAU TROTANOY

**AOC POMEROL** 

Ensconced in the heart of Pomerol, Château Trotanoy stands as a vinicultural masterpiece, its legacy dating back to the 18th century. Acquired by Jean-Pierre Moueix in 1953, the vineyard's soil, a dense blend of clay and gravel, transforms into an almost concrete-like hardness post-rain, inspiring its name, "Trotanoy," meaning "too wearisome" for cultivation. The west-sloping vineyard unveils a captivating soil diversity, transitioning from gravel to clay with an underlying layer of iron-rich "crasse de fer." Vinified in small concrete vats and aged in oak barrels, Trotanoy yields a naturally profound and complex wine. Boasting a deep color, powerful nose, and creamy dark chocolate notes, this richly concentrated masterpiece, with ancient vines, promises outstanding aging potential.



### CHÂTEAU TROTANOY 2005 (Ref# 172)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 899.99/btl 100% Merlot

"This blockbuster 2005 is dense ruby/purple, with sweet black cherries, cassis, earth and white chocolate in both aromas and flavors. A strong, mineral-dominated, powerful wine (90% Merlot, 10% Cabernet Franc), it is extremely backward, super-concentrated, and tasting more like blood of Merlot than any other Pomerol. Dense purple, super-rich, and stunning, this wine has at least a 20-to 30-year upside to it. A spectacular effort from this great terroir, it can be drunk now, but patience will be rewarded. Anticipated maturity: 2020-2040."

98+ pts Robert Parker | 98 pts Jeb Dunnuck | 96 pts Wine Enthusiast

### CHÂTEAU TROTANOY 2010 (Ref# 173)

750ml x 6btl | \$839.99/btl 100% Merlot

"Think of this wine as the 1998 on steroids! Showing better out of bottle than it did from barrel, this wine has put on considerable weight. It is full-bodied, masculine (as most vintages of Trotanoy tend to be), with loads of earthy, foresty notes intermixed with black and red fruits, a meaty, almost charcuterie note to it, an inky/purple color, some sweetness on the attack, but then the tannins kick in, making the wine seem at least a decade away from accessibility to most consumers. The texture is layered, the purity impressive, and the overall symmetry, balance and integration of all of the wine's building blocks are flawless. Forget it for 10 years and drink it over the following 35 years. Bravo!"

98 pts Robert Parker | 98 pts James Suckling | 98 pts Wine Spectator

### CHÂTEAU TROTANOY 2011 (Ref# 174)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 399.99/btl 100% Merlot

"Barrel sample. A fine wine that shows crisp fruit and a dense, dry structure. This is solid, fruit-packed and firm."

94 pts Wine Enthusiast | 94 pts Vinous | 94 pts Wine Spectator

# VIEUX CHÂTEAU CERTAN

AOC POMEROL

Since 1745, Vieux Château Certan has been an emblem of winemaking mastery. Founded in the 16th century by the Demay family, Scottish pioneers in Pomerol, its legacy unfolded through centuries. Then, in 1924, the Thienpont family entered the scene when Georges Thienpont, a Flemish wine merchant, acquired the estate. This multifaceted vineyard spans 14 hectares, with 23 meticulously managed plots, showcasing the artful synergy of soil, climate, and vines. The eco-system yields perfection, crafting exceptional wines with precision tools in cellars blending tradition and modernity. Each sip embodies the culmination of a rich history and a commitment to excellence.

### VIEUX CHÂTEAU CERTAN 2014 (Ref# 175)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 439.99/btl 80% Merlot, 19% Cabernet Franc, 1% Cabernet Sauvignon

"The 2014 Vieux Château Certan is glorious stuff that has more personality and sexiness than just about every other wine in the vintage. Kirsch, black cherries, flowers, forest floor and exotic spice characteristics all emerge from this ethereally textured, elegant, beautifully rich 2014 that has notable acidity, sweet tannin, and a great finish. With an almost Burgundian elegance and purity, it's already drinking nicely, but will be even better in another 3-4 years and keep for two decades."

97 pts Jeb Dunnuck | 97 pts Vinous | 97 pts Wine Enthusiast

### VIEUX CHÂTEAU CERTAN 2015 (Ref# 176)

750ml x 6btl | \$699.99/btl 80% Merlot, 19% Cabernet Franc, 1% Cabernet Sauvignon

"The 2015 Vieux Château Certan is every bit as magnificent from bottle as it was from barrel. Rich, sumptuous and explosive in the lass, the 2015 is pure class. The flavors are deep and boldly sketched in this sumptuous, spectacularly ripe Pomerol. Inky blue/purplish fruit, spice, lavender, licorice and menthol all develop in the glass, but it is the wine's textural richness and intensity that stand out most. As good as the 205 is today, it is going to need at least 15-20 years to be at its very best. Is there anything more I can ask of the 2015? No, there is not. This is a tremendous showing.

100 pts Vinous | 100 pts Jeb Dunnuck | 100 pts James Suckling

### VIEUX CHÂTEAU CERTAN 2016 (Ref# 177)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 899.99/btl 85% Merlot, 14% Cabernet Franc, 1% Cabernet Sauvignon.

"The 2016 Vieux Château Certan is blended of 85% Merlot, 14% Cabernet Franc and 1% Cabernet Sauvignon. Deep garnet-purple in color, it leaps from the glass with pristine, vivid notions of candied violets, chocolate-covered cherries, blackberry compote and mulberries with fragrant touches of raspberry leaves, crushed rocks, licorice, cumin seed and yeast extract plus a waft of red roses. Medium to full-bodied and beautifully elegant, the palate builds from a quiet intensity to an incredibly well-sustained aria of crunchy red and black cherries notes plus tons of floral undertones, framed by exquisitely soft yet firm tannins and seamless freshness, finishing very long with lingering mineral and floral sparks. How does this 2016 compare to the also amazing 2015 vintage? Stylistically they are very different, as my notes on each should convey, but beyond this I am struck by the incredible harmony and seamlessness of the 2016 along with its amazing depth and energy this year. Bravo."

100 pts Robert Parker | 100 pts Jeb Dunnuck | 100 pts Vinous



# CHÂTEAU LAFLEUR

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Perched on the Right Bank of Bordeaux's Dordogne River lies the esteemed Château Lafleur, a Pomerol gem shrouded in mystery and opulence. Despite Pomerol's lack of classification system, Château Lafleur stands among the region's elite, lauded globally as one of the rarest and most expensive elixirs. Since 1984, the estate has tantalized connoisseurs with Les Pensées de Lafleur, a second wine hailed as an "insider's secret." With roots entwined with Château Pétrus and Château Le Gay, Lafleur's rich history embodies the Greloud family's legacy, marked by the motto "Qualité passe quantité." The enigmatic sisters, Marie and Thérèse Robin, ruled Lafleur in seclusion until 1981 when Établissements Jean-Pierre Moueix assumed management. Today, Jacques and Sylvie Guinaudeau oversee this 4-hectare haven, crafting annually 1,000 cases of Château Lafleur's Grand vin unveiling the enduring saga of Bordeaux's vinous royalty.



### CHÂTEAU LAFLEUR 2005 (Ref# 178)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 4,599.99/btl Merlot Blend

"This amazing wine puts on a display of fireworks in terms of its aromatics, with a stunning nose of blue and black fruits, forest floor, flowers and earth. Dense purple, full-bodied, rich, moderately tannic and super-concentrated, this is a profound Pomerol that still needs another decade of cellaring. This is possibly the greatest Lafleur of the modern era, rivaling the 1982 and 2000. Forget it for another 5-10 years and drink it over the following quarter-century."

100 pts Robert Parker | 100 pts James Suckling | 100 pts Wine Independent

### CHÂTEAU LAFLEUR 2006 (Ref# 179)

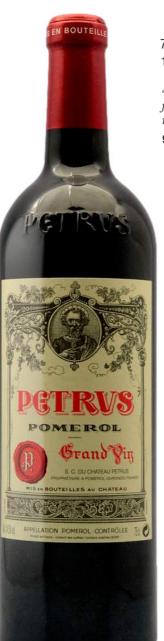
750ml x 6btl | \$ 1,599.99/btl Merlot Blend

"Tasted blind at Southwold '06 Bordeaux tasting. This exceeded my expectations: a Lafleur that was so difficult to pin down in barrel finally coming into its own. A lovely, reserved, smoky, gamey, tobacco-tinged nose with great definition: almost northern Pauillac in style. Slightly herbaceous, but that merely complements the aromatic profile. Very fresh and rounded on the entry, firm tannins, great structure with white pepperlaced black fruits. Good acidity, great depth here with an enormously long, mouthcoating finish. The aftertaste seems to last forever. Immense. Tasted January 2010."

98 pts Robert Parker | 93+ pts Vinous | 93 pts James Suckling



Pétrus, a Bordeaux gem nestled in the Pomerol appellation, just neighbouring the Saint-Émilion, stands as a vinicultural masterpiece. With just 11.4 hectares, it exclusively crafts Merlot wines, earning global acclaim as the epitome of Pomerol excellence. Established in the late 18th century, Pétrus soared to prominence in 1945, marking the beginning of its golden era. In the 1960s, Pétrus became a symbol of prestige, gracing tables at Le Pavillon in New York. Owned by Jean-François Moueix, Pétrus' terroir on a 20-hectare buttonhole boasts iron-rich clay, contributing to its distinct character. With 100% Merlot grapes aged meticulously, Pétrus produces a mere 30,000 bottles annually, each a testament to elegance and opulence, solidifying its status among the world's finest wines.



### PÉTRUS 2004 (Ref# 180)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 7,999.99/btl 100% Merlot

"A modest nose of earthy black fruits and again, a touch of green pepper that lends the wine freshness. An understated palate, ripe blackberry leaf and a touch of brine. Vigorous, well-integrated and harmonious. Good grip. It is elegance more than power. Medium-bodied."

95 pts Robert Parker | 95 pts Wine & Spirits | 93 pts Wine Spectator

### **PÉTRUS 2008** (Ref# 181)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 7,999.99/btl 100% Merlot

"It is hard to call Petrus a "sleeper of the vintage," but the 2008 will merit more attention than most consumers would think. A wine of great intensity, this 100% Merlot boasts a dark purple color as well as a sweet perfume of mocha, caramel, black cherries, black currants, earth and forest floor. Deep, textured, full-bodied and pure, it will benefit from 4-5 years of cellaring and should drink well for 25-30+ years."

97 pts Robert Parker | 97 pts Wine Enthusiast | 96 pts Decanter

### **PÉTRUS 2009** (Ref# 182)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 13,399.99/btl 100% Merlot

"Medium to deep garnet colored, the 2009 gives up glorious scents of preserved plums, redcurrant jelly, dried rose petals, blackberry compote and mulberries with touches of licorice, Chinese five spice and fragrant earth. Full, rich, plushly textured, it reveals layer upon layer of spice box, black fruit and ferrous notions, finishing long and fragrant."

100 pts Robert Parker | 100 pts Decanter | 99 pts Wine Spectator

### **PÉTRUS 2012** (Ref# 183)

750ml x 6btl | \$ 7,999.99/btl 100% Merlot

"This shows fabulous length with a chocolate, berry and mineral undertone. Licorice and currants too. Full body yet refined with seamless tannins. Goes on for minutes. It shows such amazing length and elegance. Depth. Phenomenal structure here, especially for the vintage. Reminds me of the 1998 or 1971, which were structured yet very fine."

98 pts James Suckling | 96-98 pts Robert Parker | 97 pts Wine Enthusiast