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2015 PAPILLON, ORIN SWIFT

50ml £6 125ml £14 175ml £20 750ml £80

CABERNET FRANC 6%, SYRAH 6%, MERLOT 8%,
PETITE SIRAH 8%, CABERNET SAUVIGNON 70%, ALCOHOL 13.5%

The story of Orin Swift Cellars dates back to 1995, What started as a tiny production project has now grown into an empire of wines distributed across the world, with Phinney establishing himself as one of the most influential and innovative winemakers in California. An intense ink with a garnet rim, the wine opens with powerful aromatics of cassis, ripe boysenberry, and chaparral with hints of graphite, sage, fire -roasted meats and fresh brioche. With traces of tannin, the wine finishes with a lingering sweet licorice and a smooth acidity. Overall, this vintage of Papillon truly characterizes the theme –bold and massive yet also delicate and complex.

2016 POUILLY-FUISSÉ, DOMAINE FERRET

50ml £6 125ml £14 175ml £20 750ml £80

BURGUNDY, CHARDONNAY 100%, ALCOHOL 13.5%

Founded in 1840. A precise knowledge of the region's most remarkable terroirs forms the basis of the parcel by parcel vinification for which the Domaine is renowned. When Louis Jadot acquired the 18-hectare property in 2008, its aim was to continue working in the tradition of excellence established by the Ferrets. Les Ménétrières is a southeast-facing vineyard less than 2.5 acres in size that borders the village of Fuissé. Superbly rich and generous, the wine has aromas of subtle cream blended with rich Chardonnay fruit, with honey notes. On the palate, ripe fruit, toast and quince paste punctuate a full-bodied, generous rich wine that is powerful, intense and vivid, with a long, haunting finish.

2015 SELECCIÓN ESPECIAL, ABADIA RETUERTA

50ml £4 125ml £10 175ml £15 750ml £60

TEMPRANILLO 75%, CABERNET SAUVIGNON 15%, OTHER 10%, ALCOHOL 14.5%

Abadia Retuerta is a small, very premium and artisanal winery comprised of individual vineyards in the historic area of Sardon de Duero in Ribera del Duero. 54 plots have been identified, each with very different characteristics and planted with a single variety. Intense dark garnet color, vivid and bright. The nose shows a great aromatic complexity, cherry liqueur notes with subtle nuances of dark chocolate together with a background of redfruit and berries like blackberries. After sorting, the grapes were cool-fermented with native yeasts in stainless steel tanks for around 1 to 3 weeks; during this time, gentle extraction was performed by 'delestage' and 'remontage'.

**2013 BAROLO DOCG, VIGNA LA ROSA,
FONTANAFREDDA, PIEMONTE**

50ml £6 125ml £15 175ml £22 750ml £85

NEBBIOLO 100%, ALCOHOL 14%

The Tenimenti wines retain the best attributes of the region but marry them with more modern winemaking practices. They see more new oak and undergo micro-oxygenation to help fix colour and increase primary fruit flavours. The Vigna La Rosa Barolo is harmonious, well-rounded and elegant in taste; its very fine and delicate bouquet is reminiscent of faded roses and, with the ageing process, tends to acquire a pronounced earthy style but with a velvety sort of taste.

**2010 RIESLING CUVÉE FRÉDÉRIC EMILE,
TRIMBACH FRANCE, ALSACE**

50ml £5 125ml £12 175ml £17.5 750ml £70

RIESLING 100%, ALCOHOL 13.5%

F. E. Trimbach, unquestionably one of the great names of Alsace and a family business that can trace its origins all the way back to 1626. Featured by every single three Michelin-starred restaurant in France (that's 27 in total). A full bodied wine with intensity, depth and beautiful mineral flavour. Rich, ripe acidity in the palate. The grapes are always picked by hand as late as possible in order to achieve maximum ripeness and pressed very gently in a pneumatic press. The juice runs into the cellar by gravity and clarifies naturally prior to fermentation. The juice ferments in stainless steel at controlled temperature for 3-4 weeks. The wine is vinified to complete dryness. It is not oak-aged, the salient characteristics of which are extreme purity and concentrated fruit.

2013 CYRIL CABERNET, HENSCHKE

50ml £6.5 125ml £16 175ml £24 750ml £95

CABERNET FRANC 12%, MERLOT 12%, CABERNET SAUVIGNON 75%, ALCOHOL 14%

The story of the Henschke family and their wines has almost as many layers and facets as a great vintage of Mt Edelstone or Hill of Grace Shiraz: this is one producer for whom the descriptor 'New World' seems utterly inappropriate in anything but geographical terms. Deep crimson in colour. Lifted and perfumed with violets, cassis, blueberries, plums, blackberries and spice with hints of vanilla and cedar. The palate is supple and shows soft, fleshy, nicely textured fruit with mossy notes and a long finish. Matured in 100% new French hogsheads for 18 months prior to blending and bottling.

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