

bubbly - by the glass

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nicholas pearce '**ward 5 brut blanc**' lighthall vineyards, cherry valley, vqa pec. 13 / 55
crisp, floral and bracing with surprisingly tiny bubbles. dry and versatile

rose - by the glass

leaning post **rosé** (pinot noir, cab. franc) niagara vqa 2020 13 / 55
cherry, raspberry, watermelon. notes of orange blossom, rich texture and a delicate finish. dry

orange (skin-contact white) - by the glass

theiranthropy "mouflon" **pinot gris/resling orange wine** niagara vqa 2020 17 / 72
rusty orange. round mouthfeel. like spiced orange peel, nutmeg, clove, dried herbs. different and delicious

white - by the glass

cueva del chaman **verdejo** almansa, castillo, spain 2018 15 / 66
bright nose of green and tropical notes. rich but balanced palate of sweet grapefruit, and herb

meinklang **grüner veltliner**, austria 2019 16 / 75
crisp and bright, dry. green apple, lime, peach, and that telltale grüner white pepper aroma

hidden bench **riesling** estate, beamsville bench 2017 15 / 63
lime, grapefruit, peach aromas. full palate of citrus, stone fruits, and stony-minerality. bright finish



rosehall run **chardonnay** "jcr", prince edward county vqa 2018 16 / 77
elegant, lighter style. pure county chard. apple, pear, lemon curd. steely and long on the finish.

red - by the glass

malivoire 'small lot' **gamay** niagara escarpment vqa 2019 13 / 55
red fruits and white pepper nose. palate full of crunchy sour cherries, raspberries. a f+s favourite

pearce predhomme **cinsault-syrah** "wild ferment" stellenbosch, south africa 2018 15 / 63
ripe aromas of cherry, strawberry, wild raspberry, spice, "sous bois," smoke, minerality. lively.

claudie preisinger "**puszta libre!**" (zweigelt, st. laurent) burgenland, austria 2019 17 / 79
*fresh and wild. cherry, strawberry, black fruit, cherry cola, licorice, tomato, earth, **served chilled!***

hidden bench 'bistro red' (cab franc, mal, merlot, cab. s.) beamsville bench vqa 2016 15 / 63
wild red fruits, herbs, tea, earth. sturdy, medium-bodied and polished. well made.

bubbles

domaine serol "**turbulent**" (gamay pét-nat rosé) côte roannaise, loire valley, france 88
great fun. delicious, low-alc, off-dry. intense red fruits, flowers, river stone. creamy mousse.

marie courtin "**efflorescence**" extra brut blanc de noirs nv, polisot, côte des bars, **champagne** 222
delicate yet powerful, toasty yet tart, rich yet precise. special

white wine

zippy + refreshing

pearce predhomme **chenin blanc** "wild ferment", stellenbosch. south africa 2019 63
deceptive & versatile. sleek "attack", bright citrus, long and satisfying

arnaud lambert '**clos david**' (**chenin blanc**) brézé, samur, loire valley 2017 140
lime, meyer lemon, lemon curd, spice & river stone. silky & pristine. we'd love to decant this for you.

matthias hager **grüner veltliner** 'mollands' kamptal, austria 2020 77
green apple, pear, white peach. honeyed, minerally, bright mid-palate. fresh, and super food-friendly

telmo rodriguez "**basa**" (verdejo) rueda, spain 2019 60
pale and bright. citrus, herbs, and flower aromas. light-mid weight palate. apple, fennel, lemon pith finish

a little bit in-between, weight-wise

mengoba "**brezo**" godello + dōna blanca bierzo, spain 2018 72
a brilliant balance between sur lies richness and racy brightness. apple, pear, lemon, lime, toast. elegant

gut oggau "**theodora**" (grüner veltliner, welschriesling) burgenland, austria 2019 123
tropical aromas with citrus pith, lemon zest, white pepper. fizzy, ripe white fruits. zippy!

blankbottle "casting for chris and becoming paul" **chenin blanc**, darling, western cape, s africa '16 95
pure with great minerality. baked apples, lime, lemon curd, spice, flowers, nutty, complex, and long.

richer, weightier, white wines



closson chase **chardonnay** "**south clos**", prince edward county vqa 2018 93
orange zest, crème brûlée, brioche, honey...balanced and long

justin girardin **chassagne-montrachet** morgeot 1er cru 2018, burgundy 225
full nose of lemon, vanilla, apple, tropical fruits. dry-ripe palate of popcorn, citrus, apple. complex, long.

foradori **manzoni bianco**, fontanasanta vignette delle dolomiti, igt, italy 2019 115
beautiful, bright, cross between riesling and pinot blanc. a bit of oak, or acacia. rich, but super fresh

reds in a lighter, brighter, light

	malivoire 'le couer' gamay niagara escarpment vqa 2019	66
	<i>semi-carbonic maceration. full of cherry, black current, floral, spice aromas. silky, bright, and balanced.</i>	
	chateau cambon (gamay) , beaujolais, france 2019	88
	<i>aromas of cherry, raspberry, slightly creamy blackcurrant. velvety and "meaty" on palate. great fruit and freshness.</i>	
	theiranthropy "ruby woolf" pinot noir bock vineyard st david's bench vqa 2020	82
	<i>yeasty nose gives way to crunchy, juicy, beaujolais-like fruit. light, silky pleasure from great new producer</i>	
	enderle & moll pinot noir "liason", baden, germany 2017	120
	<i>silky and complex: red berries, earth, flowers, blood orange, spice, concentrated yet balanced.</i>	
🌀	closson chase pinot noir "churchside" 2018 prince edward county vqa	93
	<i>ripe red fruit with notes of flowers, beets, forest floor, spice, cream, and smoke. plush and long.</i>	
🌀	stanners "narrow rows" pinot noir prince edward county vqa 2018	101
	<i>elegant but powerful pinot. intense cherry & cranberry. chewy palate. minerality & brightness on the finish</i>	
🌀	long dog "otto" (reserve) pinot noir, prince edward county vqa 2018	107
	<i>about as rich as pinot gets in the county. ripe sour cherry, chocolate, spice. sturdy tannins.</i>	
	hervé souhaut "la souteronne" gamay , st. joseph, rhône, france 2018	117
	<i>fruit, cocoa, herbs, flower, earth. a powerful iteration of gamay.</i>	

punchy & spicy middleweight reds

	occhipinti " siccagno " nero d'avila sicily, italy 2018	139
	<i>black cherry, pomegranate, balsamic, min aromas. rich velvety palate, elegant & fresh. light-med. body.</i>	
	blankbottle "little william" syrah , ceres plateau, western cape, south africa 2018	119
	<i>syrah in a light, elegant style, almost pinot-like. red & black fruit, with spice, pepper, smoke. smooth</i>	
	gut oggau " atanasius " (zweigelt, blaufrankisch) burgenland, austria 2019	123
	<i>earthy-funky for sure, but also a super fresh, spritzy red-berry bomb. does a lot of different things at once</i>	
	thierry germaine cabernet franc "terres chaudes" saumur-champigny, loire 2017	145
	<i>biodynamic. fermented in cement, aged in neutral foudres. grippy tannins. elegant but plush.</i>	
	blankbottle "familiemoord" (grenache, pinot noir, cinsault) south africa 2018	119
	<i>medium bodied, rich aromas of red fruit. dried flowers, earth, leather, touch of milk chocolate, mushroom</i>	
	savage wines " follow the line " (cinsault + 11% syrah) western cape, south africa 2018	135
	<i>refined & elegant. smoky, spicy, cherry, plum, rose-petal, apple skin. smooth texture, taut finish</i>	
	viñátigo listán negro canary islands, spain 2019	89
	<i>juicy, polished wine with lots of plummy black fruit. smooth mouthfeel, with bright and balanced finish</i>	
	dom. de l'ecu "le temps des copains" ' nobis ' syrah vdf (southern rhone) 2019	75
	<i>young & juicy syrah from near châteauneuf-du-pape made in an oak-free glou-glou style.</i>	
	bruno dubois "rococo" (cabernet franc) saumur-champigny, loire valley	95
	<i>ripe and funky, black fruits, cola, sour cherry, "barnyard", bell pepper. a little fizzy upon opening</i>	
	chatagnier gamay , "aurélien" rhone valley, france 2019	90
	<i>seriously ripe for gamay. intensely red fruit forward, with back bone of smoke, earth, and leather</i>	
	molina " selvggia " (barbera, nebbiolo) piedmont, Italy 2020	66
	<i>just plain delicious. deceptively light in colour, powerful, rich palate of cherry, red berries, vanilla, spice</i>	

fuller, richer reds

	frédéric brouca 'champs pentus' (grenache, syrah, carignan) languedoc-roussillon, 2019	75
	<i>powerful yet elegant. ripe red, blue, and black fruits, with a bit of "animale" on the nose. peppery and long</i>	
	anne gros & jp tollot " les fontenilles " (grenache, cinsault, syrah, carignan) minervois 2018	111
	<i>intense nose of black fruits, plums, berries, herbs, vanilla. rich, plummy palate. satisfying. bright finish.</i>	
	cascina iuli barbera del monferato umberta, piedmont, italy 2018	77
	<i>ripe, zesty red & black fruit aromas lead to plush black raspberry, licorice and plum palate.</i>	
	alegre y valgañón rioja (75% tempranillo, 25% garnacha) spain 2018	89
	<i>semi-traditional rioja. no new wood. ripe red berries, baking spice, hint of orange rind. seriously good</i>	
	g.d. vajra barolo 'albe' (nebbiolo) piedmont 2016	179
	<i>forthcoming with wild cherry, strawberry, rose, forest floor. fine, fleshy palate. ripe, bright, and supple.</i>	
	petrolo " torrione " (sangiovese/merlot/cabernet) toscano igt, italy 2015	149
	<i>easy drinking "super tuscan". ripe, with red fruit aromas, leather, spice. full body, smooth tannins</i>	
	fonterenza brunello di montalcino (sangiovese) tuscan, italy 2014,	275
	<i>perfume of ripe red fruit, spices and underbrush deep flavor, smooth tannins persistent finish</i>	
	barnett vineyards cabernet sauvignon spring mountain, napa 2017	325
	<i>black raspberry blueberry jam, black pepper chocolate, cigar-box, cedar, plush but bright. balanced.</i>	