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Champagne & Sparkling

 By the Glass

 Bottle

01. **Corte delle Calli** 20cl bottle 7
Prosecco | Veneto, Italy
Fresh with flavours of pear, honeydew melon and floral notes.
02. **Cá del Console** 26
Prosecco Extra Dry | Veneto, Italy
A classic Prosecco with aromas of white peach, pear and flowers. Fresh, clean and very drinkable.
 125ml 5.95
03. **Cá del Console** 27
Prosecco Rosé | Veneto, Italy
The delicate pink colour sets your expectations; plenty of strawberries, redcurrants and summer berries.
 125ml 6.5
04. **Champagne Bollinger** 88
Special Cuvée | Champagne, France
Beautiful aromatic intensity with plenty of ripe fruit and spicy notes on the nose. The palate is brimming with delicious flavours of baked apples and pears, fresh brioche and walnuts. A beautiful Champagne.



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08. **Etnia Sauvignon Blanc, Mancura** 18.95
 Valle Central, Chile
 A clean and fresh Sauvignon Blanc. The nose offers tantalising tropical fruit aromas and white flowers; well balanced with a crisp finish.
 125ml 3.9 175ml 5.1 250ml 6.6
09. **Nina Pinot Grigio** | Veneto, Italy 19.5
 Fresh pear and citrus flavours with subtle almond notes infuse this delicately structured, stylish Pinot Grigio. Dry yet rounded, with a refreshing finish.
 125ml 4.1 175ml 5.4 250ml 6.9
10. **Les Lauriers Viognier/Grenache Blanc** 20
 Languedoc, France
 A bright, floral and elegant wine, with notes of violet and apricot, leading to a rich palate of stone fruit and papaya, lifted by a refreshing, zesty finish.
 125ml 4.3 175ml 5.6 250ml 6.9
11. **Chardonnay delle Dolomiti, Terre del Noce** 22
 Trentino, Italy
 An unoaked fruity Chardonnay, crisp with flavours of melon and white peach; harmonious and easy-drinking.
 125ml 4.6 175ml 5.8 250ml 7.2

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12. **Feudo Arancio Grillo** | Sicily, Italy 22.5
 An award-winning wine made from 100% Grillo, an indigenous grape variety to Sicily. Bursting with tropical notes of mango and papaya with hints of jasmine and acacia flowers. The palate is round, textured and beautifully aromatic.
 ★ Hidden Gem ★
13. **Azahar Vinho Verde** | Vinho Verde, Portugal 24.5
 Azahar means "citrus flower" in Spanish which is a good sign of what to expect in this wine. The nose has exotic citrus and floral notes that lead to a fresh yet mineral palate with a light to medium body.
14. **Picpoul de Pinet St Clair, Luvignac** | Languedoc, France 25.5
 Crisp and refreshing with aromas of citrus, pear accompanied by an elegant minerality. The vineyards are a stone's throw from the Étang de Thau lagoon and its famous oyster beds. Picpoul and oysters is a famous pairing but it is also a fantastic partner to fish and other seafoods.
15. **White Rabbit Riesling** | Rhein, Germany 26
 A dry but fruity Riesling with a surprising amount of tropical fruit as well as the typical flavours of apple and citrus. The nose has subtle notes of cut grass and petrol that brings an extra layer of complexity to this balanced and refreshing wine. Pairs well with spicy dishes.
16. **Serra da Estrela Albariño** | Rías Baixas, Spain 29
 Displaying beautiful aromatic richness, this Albariño is surprisingly intense and shows aromas of pear, apricot and ripe exotic fruits complemented by a vibrant citrus character. Clean, fresh and long on the palate.

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17. **Gavi di Gavi La Meirana, Broglia** | Piedmont, Italy 33
 A beautiful wine with great texture and precision from the renowned Broglia Estate. Expect a palate full of orchard fruits, distinctive greengage and almond notes and a charming mineral streak. Fresh and dry, this is particularly characterful Gavi.
18. **North Coast Chardonnay, Buena Vista** | California, USA 34
 An expressive American Chardonnay with both power and finesse. The wine spent 9 months in oak barrels and has a brilliant, mouthfilling texture. Expect plenty of stone fruit and citrus alongside subtle notes of vanilla and smoke from the oak.
 ★ Our Favourite White ★
19. **Chablis Domaine Sainte Claire, Jean-Marc Brocard (Organic)** | Burgundy, France 45
 The domaine of Jean-Marc Brocard began as just one hectare; a wedding gift from his father-in-law when he married into a wine growing family. He has since expanded and is widely recognised as one of Chablis's leading producers. His approach is one of minimal intervention in both vineyard and winery. Expect a fresh nose with aromas citrus fruits and an elegant minerality. The palate is round with a beautiful creamy texture.
20. **Sancerre Chauvenay, Domaine Masson-Blondelet** | Loire, France 47
 A beautiful Sancerre displaying the finest qualities of a top Sauvignon Blanc wine. Apples, citrus and stone fruits dominate the palate, whilst a subtle leesy hint adds texture. There is plenty of concentration, giving way to a fresh and mineral finish."

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05. **Nina Pinot Grigio Rosé** | Veneto, Italy 18.95
 A dry yet fruity rosé, brimming with flavours of wild strawberry, raspberry and citrus. Pale and refreshing.
 125ml 3.9 175ml 5.1 250ml 6.6
06. **Golden State Zinfandel Rosé** | California, USA 19.95
 This Californian rosé has a nose full of juicy red berries. A sweeter flavour profile gives way to a palate of watermelon, strawberries and raspberries.
 125ml 4.2 175ml 5.5 250ml 6.9

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07. **Saint-Roch Les Vignes Rosé, Maîtres Vignerons de Saint Tropez** | Côtes de Provence, France 28
 Provence is the only wine region in the world that specialises in rosé wine. This is a pale, salmon-pink rosé with beautiful flavours of white peach and lychee. Lively and refreshing with a long, lingering finish.
 ★ Our Favourite Rosé ★

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21. **Candidato Tempranillo** | Castilla La Mancha, Spain 18.95
A cracking wine that punches well above its weight. Plenty of strawberry, blackcurrant and cherry with a wonderfully fragrant nose. Full-bodied and fresh.
 125ml 3.9 175ml 5.1 250ml 6.6
22. **Angelo Montepulciano d'Abruzzo** | Abruzzo, Italy 19.95
A soft and juicy wine with masses of black cherry fruit, a smooth, round texture and a touch of peppery, spice classic of Montepulciano.
 125ml 4.2 175ml 5.5 250ml 6.9
23. **Terre del Noce Merlot delle Dolomiti** | Trentino, Italy 20.5
A smooth, easy-drinking Merlot with plum and red cherry fruit, and a hint of dark chocolate on the finish.
 125ml 4.3 175ml 5.6 250ml 7
24. **Colección Malbec, Bodegas Norton** 24.5
Mendoza, Argentina
Edmund Norton was an English engineer who moved to Argentina to help build the Transandine Railway from Mendoza to Santiago, Chile in the 1880s. After completion of the railway he settled in Mendoza and planted the very first vines in the region; Malbec vines imported from France. This Malbec has aromas of ripe red fruit, cassis and black pepper with a touch of spice. Elegant and smooth with a long finish.
 125ml 5.1 175ml 6.5 250ml 8.4

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25. **Patrysbult Pinotage, Niel Joubert** | South Africa 22
Silky smooth with plenty of strawberry, cherry and ripe summer berries. Medium bodied with impressive balance and richness.
26. **Deakin Estate Shiraz** | Victoria, Australia 24.5
Good punchy Shiraz with aromas of mulberry and plum with hints of vanilla and coffee from the oak. The palate is juicy, spicy and satisfying with a rounded finish. The Deakin Estate was named in honour of Alfred Deakin, a former Australian Prime Minister who pioneered irrigation in this arid region, without whom winemaking would be impossible here.
27. **Côtes-du-Rhône Samorëns Rouge, Ferraton** 26.5
Rhône, France
Medium to full-bodied. The palate is full of bright, fresh cherry and berry fruit, lifted by floral, peppery aromas and savoury, earthy undertones. The tannins are silky and well rounded with a firm, fresh finish.
28. **Nèprica Primitivo, Tormaresca** | Puglia, Italy 27.5
Stacks of red fruits, black cherry and delicious notes of coffee and liquorice. The palate is well-rounded, with soft, supple tannins and a pleasingly fresh finish.
★ **Highly Recommended** ★
29. **Pinot Noir Les Parcs, Guy Allion** | Loire, France 29
An elegant yet vibrant Pinot Noir with a good deal of finesse. Plenty of ripe strawberries, raspberries and cranberry with subtle woody notes thanks to a few months in old oak barrels.

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30. **Reserve du Couvent Rouge, Château Ksara** 31
Bekaa Valley, Lebanon
Château Ksara is Lebanon's oldest winery. Winemaking began in 1857 when the estate was inherited by Jesuit monks who planted and farmed the vines. An award-winning blend of Syrah, Cabernet Sauvignon and Cabernet Franc - big, full and powerful. Expect flavours of black cherries laced with black pepper and vanilla that create a mouth-filling texture.
31. **815 Cabernet Sauvignon, Joel Gott** | California, USA 34
Joel Gott is both a winemaker and restaurateur who's Californian roadside restaurants are famed for their epic fish tacos. His wines are equally epic. Gott sources the best grapes from throughout California, chosen for the specific qualities they bring to the blend - intensity, spice, ripeness, tannin - the result of which is outstanding. The wine is full-bodied with aromas of mocha, blueberry, plums and spiced cherry.
32. **Rioja Reserva, Conde Valdemar** | Rioja, Spain 36
A wonderfully complex wine that has spent 27 months in both French and American oak barrels. The wine has numerous layers of flavour with subtle spicy notes and ripe black fruit touches. Expect a generous, intense palate full of plums, black cherry, raisins and chocolate. A beautiful balance of fruit and oak, with a long, persistent finish.
33. **Pulenta Estate I Malbec** | Mendoza, Argentina 36.5
A serious and powerful Malbec. The nose explodes with red and black fruits alongside appealing floral notes. The palate is well-rounded with a fruit profile that blends freshness and intensity. Oak ageing has lent a spicy character to the wine and there is a complex mineral streak through the core.
★ **Our Favourite Red** ★
34. **Château Perron, Lalande-de-Pomerol** 45
Bordeaux, France
Château Perron is one of the oldest châteaux in the commune of Lalande-de-Pomerol, dating back to 1647. This wine is a Merlot dominated blend with small amounts of Cabernet Sauvignon and Cabernet Franc, which was aged for twelve months in oak barrels. Supple and fleshy, with generous plum and berry fruit, classic of Pomerol Merlot, balanced by a streak of mineral elegance and some fresh currant notes from the Cabernets.
35. **Costasera Amarone Classico, Masi** 62
Valpolicella, Italy
Masi are widely recognised as one of Italy's finest producers and make some of the finest wines in Veneto. Made with grapes grown on the slopes surrounding lake Garda that are dried throughout the winter which concentrates the flavours in the resulting wine. This Amarone offers an intense bouquet with aromas of preserved cherries and dried plums together with hints cinnamon. Fantastic weight and structure on the palate, opening up to attractive aromas of black cherries and vanilla. Full bodied with a long, velvety finish.

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Often over looked, a good dessert wine is always one to savour. Our special selection has been hand picked to accompany our dessert menu.

Dessert Wines

Half Bottle 

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36. **Monteagudo Pedro Ximénez,** 24.5
Delgado Zuleta | Jerez, Spain
The grapes are picked in early September, then laid out on mats to dry under the sun, concentrating sugar levels. The resulting wine was then aged in old sherry butts for over 10 years. The palate is very soft, warm and sweet, with flavours of raisin, dried fruit and caramel.
37. **La Fleur d'Or, Sauternes** 28
Bordeaux, France
Rich and lusciously sweet; full and rounded with flavours of apricot and dried citrus fruit. A wonderful partner to cheese boards.

