

# VERITAS WHITES

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- '14 Pinot Grigio, Montefresco Veneto IGT Italy** 7 | 25  
Light and super crisp with wonderful aromatics of tangerine and pear. It's fun and easygoing.
- '12 Cortese, Ricossa Antica Casa Gavi Piedmont Italy** 9 | 32  
This pale straw yellow wine displays green apple aromas with vanilla flavours and a certain minerality.
- '14 Riesling, Swallow Cellars Oregon** 10 | 36  
Lighthearted and versatile wine, showing floral and stone fruit aromatics with a gently refreshing mouth feel that will enhance a wide range of foods. Finishing just off-dry.
- '15 Sauvignon Blanc, Samuel Baron Touraine Loire Valley France** 11 | 43  
Baron's Sauvignon Les Vieilles Vignes has excellent concentration and body, with an enticing lime-citrus and stone fruit bouquet and a long finish. It is a ripe, complex wine with pure Loire terroir character.
- '14 Grenache Blanc Blend, La Ferme du Mont La Truffière Côtes du Rhône France** 12 | 49  
Exquisitely made, crisp bright, succulently fruity wine with exotic aromas of tropical fruit and flowers. The palate shows beeswax and amazing freshness, beginning to end.
- '13 Chardonnay, Freeman Ryo-fu Russian River Valley Sonoma County California** 14 | 53  
Aromas of apricots, passion fruit, and honey with subtle hints of fennel and toast. Fine acidity cuts through the viscous mouthfeel from the mid palate right into the finish and allows the fresh apple and mango flavors to shine.
- '14 Orangetraube, Zahel Orange T Vienna Austria** 15 | 55  
This is made from Orangetraube, a rare grape discovered in Germany in 1840 and now found primarily in Burgenland (albeit in minute amounts). Richard Zahel makes one of the only varietal examples, a broad, spicy white with orange blossom scents, lemon and peach flavors and a slightly oily texture. A must try!!!
- '16 Spätburgunder, Ludi Neiss Trocken Blanc de Noir Pfalz Germany** 15 | 56  
Made from Pinot Noir but pressed without the skins as a white varietal, this wine has a velvety, rich flavor and is very round on the finish. Although a white, it is a racy wine that fully expresses the strength of the Pinot Noir grape with notes of strawberry, cranberry, and flint.
- '14 Grüner Veltliner, Moric Supernatural Burgenland Austria** 18 | 63  
On the nose, this lovely white shows soft, inviting notes of white pear, muskmelon and key lime juice. Stone-like minerality marks the palate, with complimentary elements of mint, apple blossoms, and Asian pears. The first sip is supple on the palate leading to a finish with firm structure and grip. This is a truly remarkable wine.

## CORAVIN SELECTION

(Not Available 1/2 PRICE MONDAYS)

- '14 Chardonnay, Olivier Leflaive Puligny-Montrachet Burgundy France** 1/2 Glass 16 | Glass 32  
"The wine comes from the Leflaive home village and the blend (from more than 20 parcels) demonstrates the intimate knowledge the family has with its terroir. It has a fine balance between the ripe yellow and white stone fruits. A bracing white, whose acidity marshals lemon, green apple and baking spice flavors. Shows a hint of honey and ends with savory, salty notes on the finish. These are given structure by the wood aging and strong mineral texture.

## SPARKLING

- NV Lacrima, Lucchetti Spumante Rosé Le Marche Italy** 13 | 49  
Bright and vibrant, with aromatic white peach, strawberry and floral notes. Full, rich mouth feel with clean and crisp acidity on the finish. Dry and Awesome!!!!
- NV Ribolla Gialla, Fantinel Spumante Brut Friuli Venezia Giulia Italy** 15 | 56  
Brightly straw-yellow coloured, it presents fruity scents, revealing to the palate its lively fresh and charmingly harmonic essence. A long Charmat for this exclusive sparkling wine enhances the authenticity of the indigenous Ribolla Gialla grape.
- NV Blend, Pierre Paillard Grand Cru Bouzy Champagne France** Half Bottle | 48  
Bright, golden colors. The bubbles are tiny and bright, the result of long ageing. Intense aromas on the nose. Fresh and slightly toasted. We are in the heart of the Bouzy terroir here, showing notes of citrus and yellow fruit. Sharp, elegant and balanced. After early notes of apple and pear come notes of pastry, brioche, toasted bread and grilled almonds. It is light and mineral, full of tension and character, with a persistent finish.

## ROSÉ

- '16 Gamay Saint Romain, Domaine Serol Cabochard Côte Roannaise France** 13 | 45  
Peony pink colour Aromas of red fruits and citrus. At the palate, the concentrated aromas are steered by vivacity giving freshness to the wine.

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## VERITAS REDS

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- '13 Touriga Nacional, Quinta de Cabriz Dão Portugal** **8 | 25**  
Well-structured red with a touch of spice, plum & dried raspberry flavors. Rounded tannins and mineral notes.
- '14 Tempranillo, Bodegas Oliveros Viña Zalema Condado de Huelva Spain** **9 | 32**  
Aromas of cherry and blackberry blend with earthy notes. This medium-bodied selection has bright red fruit flavors, along with a bit of cocoa and hints of herbs. It is mild and smooth with medium tannins and moderate acidity.
- '12 Petite Sirah, Vinum Cellars Clarksburg California** **10 | 35**  
This dense, opaque wine is the product of warm climate, a powerful grape, and knowledgeable winemaking. Fruit forward from the nose to the finish, this dense wine overflows with stewed black plums, aromatic violets and roses with healthy addition of oak.
- '13 Gamay, Jean-François Mérieau Le Bois Jacou Touraine France** **11 | 39**  
Silken texture. Ripe cherries, plums and strawberries. Supple and delicious. 40-60 year old Gamay from a single block of vines, harvested by hand. "Le Bois Jacou", meaning the Jacou Forest, is the name of the parcel.
- '10 Garnacha, Viña Herminia Vendimia Seleccionada Rioja Spain** **12 | 42**  
This plush red delivers rich cherry and blackberry fruit, accented by toast, black pepper and licorice notes. Generous yet lively, with balsamic acidity and light, well-integrated tannins.
- '15 Malbec, Viña Cobos Felino by Paul Hobbs Luján de Cuyo Mendoza Argentina** **14 | 50**  
Deep red color with violet and blue tones, this exquisite Malbec displays aromas of white flowers and black fruits along with notes of white pepper and cloves. Elegant and balanced, delights the palate with hints of licorice and chocolate as presents broad and smooth with firm tannins that lead to a persistent finish.
- '14 Cabernet Sauvignon, Hoopla California** **15 | 55**  
Concentrated bright ruby-purple in colour with a bouquet of cherry, blackberry, and pepper. A full palate of blackberry, black olive and liquorice are well integrated with a light French oak influence. Enduring tannin and fruit to finish.
- '15 Pinot Noir, Domaine Drouhin Laforête Burgundy France** **16 | 55**  
A wine full of charm: bright ruby colour and a nose rich with aromas of red fruit: raspberry, red currants, wild strawberry. On the palate, the wine is pleasant, fruity and refreshing, with light tannins and great elegance.
- '14 Zweigelt, Moric Hausemarke Burgenland Austria** **17 | 60**  
Crushed mixed herbs, raspberry and cassis with a hint of incense. In the mouth, bright and juicy cherry, cassis and raspberry fruit has a deep pine duff character and a deep earthy minerality. Cedar and wet chalkboard linger through the finish with raspberries and raspberry leaf. Gorgeous acidity and very fine-grained powdery tannins.
- '15 Blend, Cruse Wine Co. Monkey Jacket North Coast California** **20 | 70**  
This insanely delicious blend is 50% Valdiguie from an organic, dry-farmed vineyard in Calistoga, 30% red field blend believed to be mostly Petite Sirah from the Eaglepoint Ranch Vineyard in Ukiah, 15% Tannat from the infamous Alder Springs vineyard in Mendocino and 5% press wine from Syrah. It's aromatic with tart red fruits, cranberry and violets, and bright citrus on the palate. Extremely soft tannins. Exuberant, irrepressible.

## CORAVIN SELECTION

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- '08 Blend, Monteverro Maremma Toscana IGT Italy** **1/2 Glass 28 | Glass 56**  
From the Winery: "Monteverro is our flagship wine, a Cuvée blend of 60% Cabernet Sauvignon, 25% Cabernet Franc, 10% Merlot, and 5% Petit Verdot. It is our version of a Premier Grand Cru of Tuscany, and stands for absolute top quality and unique character. We can guarantee this by taking the utmost care and being scrupulously selective when harvesting by hand. We produce Monteverro in minimal amounts from grapes from the best plots of the steep hillside slopes that run right down to the sea. The Monteverro owes its silky structure, unmistakable complexity and the impressive richness of aroma in its taste not least to our loving care and attention to every detail."

## DESSERT WINES

- NV Maynard's Tawny Porto** **9**  
Supple and clean on the palate. Its aroma combines ripe fruit, dry fruit, nuts and spices. Its finish is soft and dry.
- '12 Grenache, Gérard Bertrand Banyuls Vin Doux Naturel Languedoc-Roussillon France** **14**  
A ruby-red color with shimmering hints of violet. On the nose, it reveals aromas of very ripe red and black fruit. On the palate, the wine is full and well-balanced with jammy aromas of blackcurrant and blackberry, backed by distinctive woody notes.