

## Corton Grand Cru Red Pack (3 available)

Contains 1 bottle each:

### **Albert Bichot Corton Grand Cru 2010 (679). Normally \$250.00**

Tim Atkin MW: Owned entirely by Albert Bichot, this vineyard produces wines with power and texture. The result is extremely impressive in 2010, showing layer upon layer of sweet, refreshing flavours and none of the occasional Corton coarseness. The wine combines elegance with ripeness and concentration. Philippe notes that 'there was not such a big difference between the Aloxe and the Corton in 2009, but there is a big difference in 2010! 95 Points

### **Domaine Gaston and Pierre Ravaut Corton Hautes Moutottes Grand Cru 2010 (1485). Normally \$185.00**

Darren Harris: Only 500 metres from Bressandes but a totally different expression of Grand Cru Corton. The Hautes Moutottes is more elegant, less obvious, but is a wine that creeps up on you. The higher, cooler site is no doubt the reason for less richness with the mineral structure covered by elegant red-black fruit with hints of violet and a little minty stem character. The material is fine but compared to the Bressandes this wine is more closed and begging for time in the cellar to display its full character. One would say it is the more traditionally-styled of the two Grand Crus from Ravaut.

### **Domaine Comte Senard Corton Bressandes Grand Cru 2011 (1318). Normally \$229.00**

Burghound: This is also exceptionally fresh with lovely dried floral, black cherry, earth, spice and wet stone aromas. This is slightly more concentrated than the Paulands with fine size, weight and focused power to the sleekly muscular flavors that are quite firmly structured, indeed this is markedly austere on the lingering finish. Unlike the prior two grands crus, this is not likely to drink nearly as well young and will likely need a minimum of 10 years to be at its best. 92 Points

### **Domaine Comte Senard Corton Clos des Meix Grand Cru Monopole 2011 (1320). Normally \$229.00**

Burghound: This offers a marked step up in complexity with its dense nose of plum, dark currant, earth, sauvage and anise scents. There is excellent underlying tension though not quite the same mid-palate concentration to the somewhat bigger flavors that exude a fine minerality on the firm and mildly austere finish. While this will need time to reach its full apogee, the supporting tannins are relatively fine and thus this will be approachable young if desired. 90 Points

### **Domaine Comte Senard Corton Les Paulands Grand Cru 2011 (1321). Normally \$219.00**

Burghound: A beautifully fresh, cool and quite airy nose of beautifully layered aromas of wild red berries, humus, cassis and distinct floral notes. This is also relatively supple on the mid-palate with the same lovely sense of underlying tension to the medium-bodied flavors that are also supported by fine-grained tannins before culminating in slightly more persistent finish. There is also a touch of austerity present on the firmer finish and this will require at least a decade of cellar time to realize its full potential. 91 Points

### **Domaine Denis Pere et Fils Corton Les Paulands Grand Cru 2016 (5314). Normally \$155.95**

Darren Harris: Les Paulands is an interesting vineyard. It is the only vineyard that I know of that has Grand Cru, Premier Cru and Villages appellations. It is only 1.05 hectares in size and the majority of that belongs to the Comte Senard. 2 barrels produced, 50% new oak. Lifted, floral nose of small red-black fruits. Punchy in the middle with acidity and freshness. Sleekly muscled with long, defined tannins driving the wine to its climax. Cellar for 5 years then investigate.

**Normally \$1267.95 for the 6 bottles. Super Special \$887.00**

## Gevrey-Chambertin Villages Pack (2 available)

Contains 1 bottle each:

### **Domaine Jerome Castagnier Gevrey-Chambertin 2012 (2706). Normally \$105.50**

### **Domaine Drouhin-Laroze Gevrey-Chambertin 2014 (3355). Normally \$120.95**

Burghound: Here too there is just enough wood to notice on the ripe and fresh nose that evidences notes of dark currant, earth and discreet game nuances. There is fine detail to the delineated and stony middle weight flavors that possess good richness on the fleshy if mildly edgy finish. As with several wines in the range there is quite a bit of gas present that is probably responsible for the edginess and my range takes this into account. 2020+. 87-89 Points

### **Domaine Gilbert et Christine Felettig Gevrey-Chambertin La Justice 2015 (4256). Normally \$126.50**

Wine Advocate - Neal Martin: The 2015 Gevrey-Chambertin la Justice has a pastille-like purity on the nose, not complex but nicely focused with black cherries, blueberry and iodine scents gently unfolding, the 10% whole bunch deftly integrated. The palate is medium-bodied with fine, supple tannin. This is nicely focused with well-judged acidity, caressing and silky towards the long finish. If there is any justice, this should be in your cellar. 90-92 Points

### **Domaine Roblot-Marchand Gevrey-Chambertin La Croix des Champs 2015 (4480).**

**Normally \$92.95**

Darren Harris: Les Croix des Champs is located on the eastern side of the D974. More weight and power than the Chambolle-Musigny Les Pas de Chats and a different aromatic profile with mineral and earth in addition to the red-black fruits. The palate is racy and fresh with good intensity and fine acidity adding to the finish. I like the vibrancy very much. This too is very representative of its village and a great comparsion with the Chambolle.

### **Domaine Marchand-Grillot Gevrey-Chambertin En Songe 2015 (4209). Normally \$116.95**

Darren Harris: 30% new oak. Nose of black cherry, a touch of earth and some mineral notes. Terrific extract which is lively and intense but not heavy. Some creamy oak adds texture to what is already an deep and complex Villages wine. This is very smart and also punches above its weight.

### **Domaine Georges Lignier Gevrey-Chambertin 2016 (5082). Normally \$127.95**

Jancis Robinson: From lieu-dit Le Fourneau. More Morey in style! Bright ruby. Very slight reduction but lively and round with lots of floral aromas on a fruity base. Sweet and fine. Fine boned. Much lighter and fresher than the average Gevrey. Chalky finish. Atypical. Very persistent and floral. 16.5/20

**Normally \$690.80 for the 6 bottles. Super Special \$483.00**

## **Gevrey-Chambertin 1er Cru Red Pack (1 available)**

Contains 1 bottle each:

### **Albert Bichot Gevrey-Chambertin 1er Cru Lavaux-St-Jacques 2012 (2264). Normally \$199.95**

Tim Atkin MW: Made with purchased grapes, this is still among the top wines at Bichot in 2012. It's a single parcel red that is very true to its cool, even chilly terroir. Fresh and silky with classic red cherry, raspberry and pomegranate notes, it's gently rather than aggressively oaked and very minerally to boot. 2017-25. 94 Points

### **Domaine Jean-Michel Guillon Gevrey-Chambertin 1er Cru La Perriere 2012 (2142). Normally \$169.95**

Burghound: Once again there is borderline generous oak surrounding the red and dark cherry aromas that display background nuances of the sauvage and earth. There is an equally refined mouth feel to the overtly mineral-inflected medium-bodied flavors that terminate in an energetic, saline and mildly austere finish that offers fine length if not quite the overall depth of the Champeaux though this may well develop with time in bottle. A Sweet Spot Wine. 89-92 Points

### **Domaine Henri Magnien Gevrey-Chambertin 1er Cru Les Champeaux 2014 (3447). Normally \$234.95**

Guide Hachette: A menthol-like character with hints of cherry and redcurrant creates an engaging and complex nose, while a full-bodied, silky and very fine texture gives a feeling of fullness in the mouth. An already pleasant wine, which will be at its peak in a few years

### **Domaine Drouhin-Laroze Gevrey-Chambertin 1er Cru Au Closeau 2015 (4019). Normally \$182.95**

Tim Atkin MW: Au Closeau is a Drouhin-Laroze monopoly on the Morey-St-Denis side of Gevrey located just below Mazis-Chambertin. It's a glossy, perfumed, eminently drinkable red showing the stylish oak integration that's part of the new approach at the domaine. Rich, exotic, yet underpinned by acidity and tannins. 2022-29. 94 Points

### **Domaine Drouhin-Laroze Gevrey-Chambertin 1er Cru Clos Prieur 2015 (4018). Normally \$182.95**

Burghound: Background notes of wood toast and earth easily allow the pretty, fresh and cool aromas of red and dark currant, forest floor and spice nuances to be appreciated. There is really lovely detail to the attractively textured, intense and beautifully complex medium weight flavors that deliver excellent length on the well-balanced finale. While this is presently somewhat youthfully austere, it still should drink relatively well early on. 90-93 Points

### **Domaine Drouhin-Laroze Gevrey-Chambertin 1er Cru Craipillot 2015 (4020). Normally \$182.95**

Burghound: An exuberantly fresh nose offers notes of red cherry and currant that are liberally laced with earth, spice and oak hints. There is once again good vibrancy to the generously proportioned and fleshy medium-bodied flavors that display a mild touch of rusticity on the balanced finish. Overall this is finer than the En Champs but doesn't necessarily offer any better quality despite its 1er status. 89-92 Points

**Normally \$1153.70 for the 6 bottles. Super Special \$807.00**

## **Premium Cotes-du-Rhone Red Pack (4 available)**

Contains 1 bottle each:

### **Croix Valong La Legende Cotes-du-Rhone 2009 (636). Normally \$23.50**

Darren Harris: Black cherry colour. Intense and complex nose of red fruit (cherry and raspberry) and mild spices (vanilla, cinnamon). Powerful in the mouth with fine, long finish. Enjoyable now, but even better with a few years in the cellar.

### **Domaine de la Janasse Cotes du Rhone Villages Terre d'Argile 2011 (1625). Normally \$53.50**

Robert Parkers's Wine Advocate: The 2011 Cotes du Rhone-Villages Terre d'Argile is composed of equal parts Grenache, Syrah, Mourvedre and Carignan grown in clay soils just outside Chateauneuf du Pape. This cuvee, which hit a remarkable 16% natural alcohol in 2011, is a muscular, full-throttle red that could easily be mistaken for a Chateauneuf du Pape. Meaty with lots of kirsch, earth, forest floor and black fruit characteristics, it should drink well for 5-6 years. 91 Points

### **Le Clos du Caillou Cotes-du-Rhone Bouquet des Garrigues Rouge 2012 (2341). Normally \$43.95**

Robert Parkers's Wine Advocate: A step up, the 2012 Cotes du Rhone Bouquet des Garrigues is a brilliant looking tank sample. Aged all in foudre and scheduled to be bottled this coming March or April, it offers up ripe, pure notes of crushed stone, pepper and earthy notes to go with both red and black fruits. Medium to full-bodied, elegant and textured, with sweet tannin, it's one serious Cotes du Rhone that will evolve for 4-7 years. Drink 2014-2021. 90-92 Points

### **Chateau Simian Massif d'Uchaux Cotes-du-Rhone Villages La Louronne 2012 (1672). Normally \$54.50**

Producer: Deep purple color, very fruity nose with notes of licorice and blackberry, black cherry, touch of fresh cassis, slightly peppery. Mouth to round attack offers a smooth evolution, generous, tasty with great silky tannins. The finish is marked by a delicious and long tangy freshness.

### **Le Clos du Caillou Cotes-du-Rhone Bouquet des Garrigues Rouge 2016 (5420). Normally \$47.50**

Jeb Dunnuck: Tasted out of Foudre, the 2016 Côtes du Rhône les Garrigues is another winner. Strawberries, cherries, peppery herbs and hints of garrigue all emerge from this ripe, sexy, seriously layered Côtes du Rhône that has purity, elegance, and depth. Man, for a Côtes du Rhône, this beauty has serious richness. Buy it. 91 Points

### **Le Clos du Caillou Cotes-du-Rhone Les Quartz 2016 (5419). Normally \$60.95**

Jeb Dunnuck: The 2016 Côtes du Rhône Quartz offers a rare level of minerality and depth for a Côtes du Rhône, and anyone that loves southern Rhônes should buy bottles of this. Black raspberries, hints of cassis, crushed rock and dried garrigue characteristics flow to a rich, concentrated - even structured - effort that has the telltale elegance and purity of the estate. With ripe tannin, solid freshness and a great, great finish, it's going to drink nicely for a decade. 93 Points

**Normally \$283.90 for the 6 bottles. Super Special \$198.00**

## **Domaine Agape Alsatian White Pack (8 available)**

Contains 1 bottle each:

### **Domaine Agape Riesling Expression 2015 (4262). Normally \$38.95**

Producer: Dry, refined and delicately fruity, it has an elegant bouquet with sometimes mineral or floral notes, giving it good ageing potential. Recognised as one of the world's finest white wine varietals, it is a gastronomic wine par excellence. Food pairing : Renowned as one of the best white grape varieties in the world, Alsace Riesling is an excellent food wine. In addition to pairing naturally with traditional Alsace dishes such as Choucroute and pork-based dishes, it has a natural affinity with fish and shellfish, such as scallops, gracefully highlighting the salty, almost iodine flavours of the sea. It is also delicious with poultry, white meats and even goat's cheese. As a late harvest wine, Alsace Riesling is an ideal partner for citrus-based desserts such as lemon tart

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### **Domaine Agape Pinot Gris Expression 2015 (4261). Normally \$38.95**

Darren Harris: First-up, I have to confess I'm generally not a fan of Pinot Gris. Whilst I was in France late last year I spent some time in Alsace. At numerous restaurants the wines of Domaine Agape were being served by the glass. My interest was certainly piqued at La Table du Gourmet in Riquewihr where the matched wines (accompanying a superb lunch) included two Agape wines. The first was the Pinot Gris Expression 2015.

What I don't usually like about Pinot Gris is the overt flavours and residual sugar which combine to create something I perceive as oily and broad. The Agape Pinot Gris Expression was quite a revelation. It was fine and acid driven, not quite bone dry but right up there with the driest I have experienced.

When the samples arrived in Australia it was the first wine I tasted. I had it with an Asian Crab dish at Bacash. It was a wonderful match. The wine is refined, textured and acid driven. The touch of sugar (it is described as dry on the back label and is way within the accepted level) makes it brilliant with exotic Asian flavours. Never does the wine look heavy or broad but it does have restrained power. We all read about which wines to have with Asian cuisine and I don't always find the matches successful. This one most certainly was.

### **Domaine Agape Riesling Schoenenbourg Grand Cru 2014 (4258). Normally \$59.95**

Producer: Schoenenbourg, which became famous since the Middle Age, is the flagship of the vineyards at Riquewihr. The greatest wines of this commune are born on this Terroir which help it to gain universal recognition. This Terroir is distinguished by its topography (southern exposure, at the bottom of the valley, steepness) and its special geology: iridescent marls mixed slightly with Keuper gypsum and covered by the spreading of Vosges sandstone. The combination of a light, non-sticky soil and a subsoil of clay is quite rich in fertilisers and offers a good water retention, which probably explains why the character of the special wines – Schoenenbourg is dominant by Terroir other than by cépages. The wines from Schoenenbourg express their undeniable ability of being aged to travel through time: rich, extraordinarily corpulent, far away from its norm: a peppery even smoky nose, a vertical structure hidden in the body, the mineral expression often hidden at a young age moves toward fossil flavor over time. Wines from Schoenenbourg have a great aging potential due to the high level residual sugar given by the always presented Noble Rot. Schoenenbourg is one of the most veritable Grand Vin from Alsace. Food pairing: Shellfish and food rich in iodine (lobster, spiny lobster). Fattened chickens, capons and noble fishes and caviar after a decade of aging.

### **Domaine Agape Riesling Osterberg Grand Cru 2014 (4260). Normally \$66.95**

Darren Harris: Pineapple, lime, passionfruit on the nose. Exotic but not tropical. A little rounder than the two other Grand Crus. More fruit weight coats the acidity. After a little time in the glass the palate fines down and the minerality starts to show through. Salty lime nuances come to the fore. Quite a contrast in style, just as in Burgundy the different soil types lending their influence to the wine (here it is marl and sandstone with a little clay). Who said terroir only applies to Burgundy?

### **Domaine Agape Riesling Rosacker Grand Cru 2014 (4259). Normally \$69.50**

Darren Harris: If the Schoenenboug has the power, the Rosacker has an edge of beguiling fragility or is it electricity. The limestone in the soil beams through with fresh and defined flavours that envelop the palate. Intense yet light on its feet with flowers more than citrus. A hint of rose, or is that just auto suggestion? Sweet herbs, notably mint. A gentle exotic note from the souk? The finish is then surprisingly mineral and long. A real dancer - refined and quite gorgeous. (Trimbach's Clos St-Hune comes from the Rosacker vineyard).

### **Domaine Agape Gewurztraminer Helios 2013 (4265). Normally \$59.95**

Producer: This wine presents an explosive bouquet nose of passion fruits, fresh apricots, lychee and spices. The finish is mellow but lightened by a superb acidity. A wine of great class. Food pairing: Enjoyable on its own as an apéritif or served with cheese or a caramel-based dessert

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**Normally \$334.25 for the 6 bottles. Super Special \$233.00**

## **Pommard Red Pack (1 available)**

Contains 1 bottle each:

### **Domaine Latour-Giraud Pommard Cuvee Carmen 2013 (2562). Normally \$99.00**

Burghound: (from Les Vignots). An earthy dark berry fruit nose displays top notes of violet where the earth character is also found on the rich and punchy middle weight flavors that possess a lovely mouth feel, all wrapped in a lingering finish. This is not especially concentrated but I like the balance and complexity. 2019+. 87-89 Points

### **Domaine Launay-Horiot Pommard Perrieres 2015 (4700). Normally \$139.95**

Burghound: An attractively fresh though notably ripe nose combines aromas of plum and earth with those of spice and violet. The textured, dense and velvety middle weight flavors possess superb mid-palate density, all wrapped in a rustic and serious but balanced finish as the only hint is a very mild hint of warmth. This is an impressive villages that should drink well young and old. 89 Points

### **Seguin-Manuel Pommard Petit Noizons 2015 (4466). Normally \$132.50**

Wine Advocate - Neal Martin: The 2015 Pommard Petits Noizons has plenty of dark berry fruit on the nose, quite floral and quasi-Volnaysian in style, though returning to re-taste in bottle, it had developed more tertiary characteristics. The palate is medium-bodied with fleshy ripe redcurrant and red plum fruit. This is fresh and with plenty of rondeur, fleshy and "punchy" on the finish. Très Pommard, très bon. 90 Points

### **Domaine Pascal Bouley Pommard 2015 (4444). Normally \$87.95**

Bill Nanson "The Burgundy Report": Vines on the hillside just above Rugiens, just one tiny parcel at the bottom of the hill – youngest vines are 60 here – oldest 90. A really beautiful nose – some flowers and a very fine fruit. A little weight, a beautiful line – complex and changing – changing even more in the mid-palate this is a beauty and I would say close to 1er cru quality – bravo. Almost a little pepper in the finish too. Bravo!

### **Domaine Brigitte Berthelemot Pommard Noizons 2016 (4637). Normally \$89.95**

Darren Harris: Bright red with hints of purple. Black fruits, smoke, liquorice and earth. Silky and refined with deep

fruit flavours and freshness not always seen in Pommard. Drinks very well now but 5 years in the cellar would see this blossom.

#### **Domaine Pierrick Bouley Pommard 2016 (5007). Normally \$112.50**

The Fine Wine Review: 12.8 hl/ha. This wine is mostly from the Chanlins lieu-dit, on white soils above Rugiens. As one would expect, there's more structure here than in the previous wines. The density is about the same as for the Volnay, and there's good length. The wine is quite open for the moment. 88-92 Points

**Normally \$661.85 for the 6 bottles. Super Special \$463.00**

## **Bitouzet-Prieur Volnay 1er Cru Red Pack (1 available)**

Contains 1 bottle each:

#### **Domaine Bitouzet-Prieur Volnay 1er Cru Caillerets 2014 (3231). Normally \$155.50**

Vinous: Stephen Tanzer: (just one 500-liter new barrel made, from a yield of 28 hectoliters per hectare): Good medium red. A deep vanilla note from the oak dissipated quickly to reveal scents of red berries and rose petal, plus a whiff of mint. Spicier and larger-scaled than the Taillepieds, with the red cherry and raspberry fruit flavors coming up nicely with aeration and joined by an element of saline minerality. Some oak tannins frame the finish. No shortage of energy or structure here but I find the Taillepieds more delicate and detailed, not to mention more discreet on the aftertaste. 91 Points

#### **Domaine Bitouzet-Prieur Volnay 1er Cru Clos du Chenes 2014 (3230). Normally \$152.50**

Burghound: (from 20+ year old vines). This is more deeply pitched with an elegant and complex nose of red and dark pinot fruit, earth and an interesting note of smoked tea. There is more size, weight and power to the medium weight flavors that deliver outstanding flavor authority and ample minerality on the austere and muscular finish. This is a classically styled Clos des Chênes that will also require extended cellaring to resolve the firm tannins. 2024+. 90-93 Points

#### **Domaine Bitouzet-Prieur Volnay 1er Cru Pitures 2014 (3228). Normally \$132.50**

Vinous: Stephen Tanzer: (bottled the week before my visit): Dark, bright red. Medicinal black cherry on the reticent nose. Concentrated and very primary, conveying a strong impression of energy to the flavors of black cherry, raspberry, licorice and menthol. Very pulpy wine, like chewing on grapes. A powerful rather than elegant style of Volnay (this fruit was picked at a high 13% potential alcohol), with the very long finish showing a firm tannic spine that Bitouzet says is typical of this wine. Very impressive for the year and built for a slow evolution in bottle. 92+ Points

#### **Domaine Bitouzet-Prieur Volnay 1er Cru Taillepieds 2014 (3227). Normally \$136.95**

Burghound: A cool and restrained nose of red and dark pinot fruit is liberally laced with spice and soft earth nuances that are trimmed in a hint of wood. There is plenty of underlying tension to the tautly muscular medium weight plus flavors that ooze a fine minerality on the moderately austere, balanced and impressively persistent finish where the wood telegraphed by the nose reappears. This is a classic Taillepieds with its austere but not hard finish that is clearly built on a base of firm minerality. Patience required. 2022+. 90-92 Points

#### **Domaine Bitouzet-Prieur Volnay 1er Cru Les Aussys 2015 (4047). Normally \$151.50**

Vinous: Stephen Tanzer: Bright medium red. A bit youthfully inexpressive on the nose, like the Beaune Cent-Vignes, offering scents of black cherry, licorice and menthol. Then sweeter than the Cent-Vignes in the mouth, with its dark cherry fruit nicely framed by integrated acidity. This silky, vinous wine conveys an attractive light touch and very good lift and salty persistence. Bitouzet believes that this wine will make an ideal aperitif--"for raising morale," as he put it. 90-92 Points

#### **Domaine Bitouzet-Prieur Volnay 1er Cru Pitures 2015 (4049). Normally \$159.50**

Burghound: (from 35+ year old vines). In the same fashion as the several of the prior wines there is a touch of prune present though in this case it is quite subtle and doesn't fight with the aromas of violet, earth, licorice and dark berries. There is excellent size, weight, richness and power to the big-bodied and concentrated flavors that for all the punch manage to remain refined on the balanced and hugely long finish. Like the Champans this is a big and very

structured wine that, because of the slightly fresher nose, gives me a bit more confidence for its longer-term prospects. 2030+. 91 Points

**Normally \$888.45 for the 6 bottles. Super Special \$621.00**

## Beaune 1er Cru Pack (2 available)

Contains 1 bottle each:

### **Seguin-Manuel Beaune 1er Cru Clos des Mouches Blanc 2015 (4470). Normally \$186.95**

Wine Enthusiast - Roger Voss: In this smooth wine, toasty flavors mingle easily with the ripe yellow fruits. It offers minerality as well as juicy citrus flavors, making for a rich wine that needs to age. Drink from 2021. 92 Points

### **Domaine Fernand and Laurent Pillot Beaune 1er Cru Boucherottes 2015 (4086). Normally \$107.95**

Burghound: This is also quite generously wooded and it fights somewhat with the essence of red pinot fruit and earthy aromas. The wood influence continues onto the rich, round and velvety flavors where it also sweetens the finish. While the oak treatment isn't so strong as to unbalance the wine, it does detract from the sense of purity. 2019+. 89 Points

### **Domaine Jomain Beaune 1er Cru Les Vignes Franches 2016 (4672). Normally \$109.50**

Darren Harris: Tasted one week after its arrival in Australia. Very deep red, almost a hint of purple. The nose bursts with dark fruit, minerals and a hint of oak. The palate is mouthfilling with a gorgeous texture. 2016 reds have an intensity without undue weight and this is a typical example. The long finish is guided by fine tannins that add complexity and interest. This really is a good wine with all the components to age very well.

### **Domaine Brigitte Berthelemot Beaune 1er Cru Greves 2016 (4633). Normally \$89.50**

Greves, located in the north, is considered one of, if not the, best vineyard in the commune producing the most structured and longest-lived wines of Beaune. The vineyard is quite steeply sloped with a reddish soil with more stone towards the top. Domaine Berthelemot own 0.67 hectares.

### **Domaine Albert Morot Beaune 1er Cru Les Aigrots Rouge 2016 (5232). Normally \$114.95**

The Fine Wine Review: The Aigrots is quite mineral with blackberry fruit, smoothness of texture, and round tannins. This wine drinks well now and also has good aging potential. 92+ Points

### **Domaine Albert Morot Beaune 1er Cru Les Teurons 2016 (5236). Normally \$125.95**

The Fine Wine Review: Last in this group, the Teurons is dense and pure with dark fruit and excellent penetration. There's more tannin showing here than in the others, not surprising, as this wine is from the southern part of Beaune, not far from Pommard. 93 Points

**Normally \$738.40 for the 6 bottles. Super Special \$514.00**

## Domaine Jean Chauvenet Nuits-St-Georges 1er Cru Pack (4 available)

Contains 1 bottle each:

### **Domaine Jean Chauvenet Nuits-St-Georges 1er Cru Les Vaucrains 2013 (2506). Normally \$248.50**

Handford Wines: This should surely be considered for Grand Cru status; the politics though are that there are just a handful of local owners in les Saint Georges, including the Hospices, but, at neighbouring Vaucrains, there are 22, and those owners are more dispersed throughout the region. Christophe has 42 ares that usually produce a healthy 8 barrels. The wine itself is truly exceptional and the closest 1er Cru to 100 points for me ... a blockbuster! Firm tannins

and bright acids enshrine a feast of meaty red fruits, hints of yeast and dusty mineral notes. Raw power that will melt together in time. Ten years in the cellar will reap dividends. It's a classic. 2025 to 2036.

**Domaine Jean Chauvenet Nuits-St-Georges 1er Cru Rue de Chaux 2013 (2504). Normally \$168.50**

Handford Wines: Moving south of town these wines tend to be a little denser and slightly softer. There are only 2 barrels of this one (normally 4 or 5). Dense and deep in appearance and with great pressure on the palate. At final tasting this was a little too tight and reduced to judge but, strangely, it had been the most open and playful of the 1er Crus here in 2014. A dark horse, likely to age very well. 2021 to 2029.

**Domaine Jean Chauvenet Nuits-St-Georges 1er Cru Les Vaucrains 2014 (3240). Normally \$234.95**

Burghound: (from a .41 ha parcel). While not quite as complex as the nose of the Perrières this is also admirably layered with its array of plum, violet, earth, sauvage and discreet spice nuances. There is outstanding power, intensity and size to the big-bodied flavors that exhibit huge length on the vibrant and, unusually, only a trace of backend rusticity. The tannic spine though is pronounced and this is clearly going to need a long time in a cool cellar before it reaches its apogee. Another one to look for provided that you have the patience. 2029+. 91-94 Points

**Domaine Jean Chauvenet Nuits-St-Georges 1er Cru Les Damodes 2014 (3239). Normally \$194.50**

Burghound: (from a .28 ha parcel). A softly spicy and earthy nose combines notes of both red and blue pinot fruit with hints of sandalwood, game and underbrush. There is excellent detail to the punchy and delicious medium weight flavors that exhibit plenty of minerality on the explosively long, linear and serious finale. Again, this is going to require extended bottle age and despite the obvious muscle this isn't rustic. 2026+. 90-92 Points

**Domaine Jean Chauvenet Nuits-St-Georges 1er Cru Les Poulettes 2014 (3238). Normally \$168.95**

Burghound: An ultra-fresh and again notably ripe and quite spicy nose features notes of mostly black berry liqueur with soft hints of wood. There is outstanding richness to the delicious, full-bodied and muscular flavors that possess a caressing mouth feel before terminating in a markedly firm and very Nuits finish that avoids undue austerity or rusticity. Provided you have the patience to wait, this is worth adding to your cellars. 2026+. 90-93 Points

**Domaine Jean Chauvenet Nuits-St-Georges 1er Cru Rue de Chaux 2015 (4056). Normally \$162.95**

Burghound: Moderate wood influence surrounds the ultra-fresh if somewhat somber aromas of black cherry, plum, earth and once again a whiff of the sauvage. There is a distinct sense of restraint to the cool, precise and concentrated middle weight flavors that also evidence a sleek muscularity to the lingering, complex and built-to-age finish. This is a powerful and notably serious effort that is most impressive though I underscore that it will not be an enticing candidate for early consumption. 2027+. 90-93 Points

**Normally \$1178.35 for the 6 bottles. Super Special \$824.00**

## **Nuits-St-Georges 1er Cru Pack (2 available)**

Contains 1 bottle each:

**Domaine Chevillon-Chezeaux Nuits-St-Georges 1er Cru Aux Champs-Perdrix 2013 (2668). Normally \$117.95**

Aux Champs Perdrix is a small vineyard at the Vosne-Romanee end of Nuits-St-Georges. The style is fine and elegant. There are not many owners of this Premier Cru. Domaine Chevillon-Chezeaux own just 0.36 hectares.

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**Domaine Jerome Chezeaux Nuits-St-Georges 1er Cru Aux Boudots 2015 (4066). Normally \$151.50**

Jancis Robinson: This has the flesh and richness missing from their Charbonnières Vieilles Vignes. Fragrant violet character. Confident tannin and tangy acidity. Built to last – though not as foursquare as some Nuits-St-Georges. 17+/20

### **Domaine Michel Noellat Nuits-St-Georges 1er Cru Les Boudots 2015 (3950). Normally \$239.50**

Wine Advocate - Neal Martin: The 2015 Nuits Saint-Georges 1er Cru Aux Boudots demonstrated a little reduction on the nose when I tasted it from barrel, though there was clearly plenty of fruit underneath. The palate is medium-bodied with sappy black fruit tinged with black pepper and licorice. I appreciate the energy conveyed by this Nuits Saint-Georges and it gently fans out towards the "confident" finish, offering a lovely peppery aftertaste. 91-93 Points

### **Domaine Chevillon-Chezeaux Nuits-St-Georges 1er Cru Aux Champs-Perdrix 2016 (5017). Normally \$133.95**

Darren Harris: Deep red. Compared to the prior wines the Champs Perdrix is a little closed today. It is located high at the Vosne end with very little topsoil. As Jasper Morris says the wine is always "fine boned". Chevillon-Chezeaux own half of the total vineyard area of 0.73 hectares. The wine displays mineral and fruit notes, with bright earth on the nose. The palate is cherries and plums with a significant mineral streak. Less exuberant than the other wines but maybe just needs a little more time to open up.

### **Domaine Chevillon-Chezeaux Nuits-St-Georges 1er Cru Les Crots 2016 (5018). Normally \$133.95**

Darren Harris: I always find Les Crots to be the most elegant of the Nuits 1er Crus here. The 2016 has lifted fruit with cherry and plum. Aromatic and floral. The palate is very fine for Nuits-St-Georges showing juicy 2016 fruit coating fine grained tannins. There is a real sense of elegance here that makes the wine very appealing right now.

**Normally \$939.80 for the 6 bottles. Super Special \$657.00**

## **Vosne-Romanee Villages Pack (4 available)**

Contains 1 bottle each:

### **Domaine Christian Clerget Vosne-Romanee Les Violettes 2015 (4294). Normally \$195.00**

Burghound: (from .50 ha parcel planted in 1946; Les Violettes abuts Clos de Vougeot). As the name would suggest there are indeed nuances of violets on the perfumed nose of red and dark currants that is liberally laced with various spice elements. The sleek, focused and vibrant middle weight flavors possess excellent depth and persistence for a villages level wine; moreover the natural class of Vosne is evident and this is worth checking out. 2021+. 89-91 Points

### **Domaine Fougéray de Beauclair Vosne-Romanee Les Damodes 2015 (4539). Normally \$150.50**

Darren Harris: A 0.25 hectare parcel of 55 year old vines adjoining Les Malconsorts on the Nuits-St-Georges border. Most producers use the spelling "Damaudes", however, Fougéray de Beauclair choose the Nuits spelling "Damodes". A cool nose of black-red fruits - raspberry, blackberry with spice, violets and little smoke. Very aromatic. Round and concentrated on the mid palate with many layers. Autosuggestion or not, there is a mini-Malconsorts thing happening here. The wine finishes with minerals and serious, defined tannins. A real winner.

### **Domaine Jacques Cacheux Vosne-Romanee Les Ormes 2015 (5140). Normally \$153.95**

Vosne-Romanee Les Ormes is one of the domaine's lieut-dits. It is a fine wine which speaks of its noble commune. Expect to see violets, plums and spice with a mineral finish. I only know of one other bottler of this vineyard.

### **Domaine Christian Clerget Vosne-Romanee Les Violettes 2016 (5101). Normally \$227.95**

Burghound: (from .50 ha parcel planted in 1946; Les Violettes abuts Clos de Vougeot). This is also quite elegant and spicier with its blend of both red and blue pinot fruit, violet, sandalwood and an interesting hint of hoisin. The round, delicious, sappy and caressing medium-bodied flavors possess fine concentration before culminating in a firm but not austere finale. A high quality Vosne villages. 2023+. 89-91 Points

### **Domaine Chevillon-Chezeaux Vosne-Romanee 2016 (5024). Normally \$112.95**

Darren Harris: 100% from the lieu-dit of La Croix Blanche. Deep red colour. Nose of spicy red fruits and flowers, open

and aromatic. Unmistakably Vosne-Romanee. The palate is medium bodied with pristine, fleshy, juicy fruit typical of 2016. Just the right level of extract to produce a fine, balanced Vosne. Finishes with more spice and minerals and fine grained tannins. A delight at this level.

### **Domaine Chevillon-Chezeaux Vosne-Romanee 2017 (5756). Normally \$117.50**

Darren Harris: 100% from the lieu-dit of La Croix Blanche. Aromatic and fresh with spicy red fruit, violets and a some of the citric acidity that runs through many of the 2017's. Medium weight with good length. A classic Vosne-Romanee Villages.

**Normally \$957.85 for the 6 bottles. Super Special \$670.00**

## **Domaine Christian Clerget Pack (3 available)**

Contains 1 bottle each:

### **Domaine Christian Clerget Chambolle-Musigny 2015 (4499). Normally \$159.95**

Bill Nanson "The Burgundy Report": The biggest cuvée of the domaine – 2 hectares of vines, made up from 7 different lieu dits mainly in the bottom of Chambolle. Super colour. Fresh wide, intensely, slowly, adding fine but faint floral notes. Really nice volume, a little structure but very nice fruit indeed. Super depth and with a lovely burst of floral-inflected finishing flavour – this just keeps getting better in the glass.

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### **Domaine Christian Clerget Chambolle-Musigny 1er Cru Les Charmes 2015 (4500). Normally \$257.95**

Bill Nanson "The Burgundy Report": One part of this cuvée is just across from Les Amoureuses, plus 3 other small parcels. Bigger, but not simple and easy; there's a vibrancy and mineral aspect here, slowly adding a gorgeous florality too. Faint reduction, extra tannin, but no grain. Really super, then it narrows into a more mineral finale. A long narrow, persistent line of flavour. Delightful...

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### **Domaine Christian Clerget Chambolle-Musigny 1er Cru Les Charmes 2016 (5099). Normally \$279.50**

Burghound: (from 4 parcels of 30+ year old vines aggregating 1 ha). This is also sufficiently reduced that the nose is tough to read. On the plus side there is both better volume and richness if a bit less refinement to the medium-bodied flavors that possess a lovely succulence that also characterizes the focused, punchy and balanced finale. This opulent effort should drink well young but age well too. 2026+. 90-92 Points

### **Domaine Christian Clerget Echezeaux En Orveaux Grand Cru 2016 (5102). Normally \$367.95**

Burghound: (from a 1.1 ha parcel located in En Orveaux that was planted in 1947, from yields of only 8 hl/ha). Reduction. The exceptionally rich, full-bodied and incredibly dense flavors possess outstanding power yet the palate impression is almost lush thanks to the remarkable level of dry extract that mostly buffers the robust, serious and built-to-age finish. Like the Charmes, despite the presence of a very firm tannic spine, this should be approachable young. 2028+. 91-94 Points

**Normally \$1488.30 for the 6 bottles. Super Special \$1041.00**

## Chambolle-Musigny Villages Pack (2 available)

Contains 1 bottle each:

### Domaine Jerome Castagnier Chambolle-Musigny 2013 (3208). Normally \$140.00

Jasper Morris MW: The vineyard here is Aux Echanges, with vines planted in 1934. Bright purple, the nose is backward but shows promise. This demonstrates quite a firm style on the palate though with good dark red fruit and length.

### Domaine Michel Noellat Chambolle-Musigny 2014 (3455). Normally \$132.50

### Domaine Jerome Castagnier Chambolle-Musigny 2014 (2955). Normally \$140.00

Jancis Robinson: High-toned and lively. Really racy and fun. Such a lot paced in here! Really dramatic. Drink 2019-2028). 17/20

### Domaine Michel Noellat Chambolle-Musigny 2015 (3939). Normally \$143.95

Wine Advocate - Neal Martin: The 2015 Chambolle-Musigny Village comes from Les Noirots. It offers plenty of dark cherry and crushed strawberry fruit on the nose, nicely defined and offering a pastille-like purity. There is certainly good intensity here. The palate is medium-bodied with fine tannin, a mixture of black and red berry fruit tinged with allspice and white pepper, fanning out gently towards the poised finish. This is a deftly-made, unpretentious Chambolle-Musigny that will give several years of drinking pleasure. 89-91 Points

### Domaine Marchand-Grillot Chambolle-Musigny 2015 (4214). Normally \$124.95

Darren Harris: The black sheep of the family. The rest of Marchand-Grillot's wines are from Gevrey-Chambertin but this Chambolle-Musigny sings of its location. It is wonderfully aromatic with mostly red fruits and flowers. The mid palate texture is rounded and mouth coating suggesting old vines and low cropping. Often I find makers from across the border don't handle more elegant vineyards well but this is classic Chambolle made with a deft hand. Certainly with Premier Cru weight but so supple like the best the commune can produce. Delicious!

### Domaine Jerome Castagnier Chambolle-Musigny 2015 (3595). Normally \$112.50

Wine Spectator: Vibrant, this red exudes violet, black cherry, blackberry and earth flavors. The firm backbone lends plenty of support, leaving room for a beam of pure cherry on the lingering aftertaste. Best from 2021 through 2036. 92 Points

**Normally \$793.90 for the 6 bottles. Super Special \$555.00**

## Chambolle-Musigny 1er Cru Pack (2 available)

Contains 1 bottle each:

### Domaine des Chezeaux (Ponsot) Chambolle-Musigny 1er Cru Charmes 2014 (3640). Normally \$235.00

Wine Advocate - Neal Martin: The 2014 Chambolle Musigny 1Er Cru les Charmes has a tightly-wound bouquet that does not require too much encouragement to reveal scents of macerated small red cherries, blueberry and a hint of cold flint. There is something "cool" about this nose (temperature speaking). The palate is fresh and vibrant on the entry. I like the tannins here, precise and perhaps a little rigid, yet they frame the red berry fruit with style and lend wonderful mineralité on the finish. This is an impressive Chambolle Charmes that should age with style and grace. 92-94 Points

### Domaine Michel Noellat Chambolle-Musigny 1er Cru Les Noirots 2014 (3462). Normally \$175.00

### Domaine Roblot-Marchand Chambolle-Musigny 1er Cru Les Noirots 2014 (3362). Normally \$128.95

Darren Harris: A nose of dark fruit, restrained spice and earthy minerals. Finely structured with dark cherry, violets. Concentrated but not heavy. Layered palate with more savoury minerals rising on the finish. A mini Bonnes-Mares comes to mind with its restrained, brooding power and underlying muscularity.

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### **Domaine des Chezeaux (Ponsot) Chambolle-Musigny 1er Cru Charmes 2015 (3984). Normally \$235.00**

Decanter Magazine: Pure raspberry nose with exquisite aromas that one hopes to find, not always with success, in Chambolle. Heady and seductive. Rich, sleek fruits dance on the intense palate with nervous energy, backed by fine acidity that gives persistence and drive. Long, classy finish. Drinking Window 2018 - 2030. 93 Points

### **Domaine Olivier Guyot Chambolle-Musigny 1er Cru Les Baudes 2016 (5192). Normally \$235.95**

Darren Harris: Red with a purple rim. Raspberry, nutmeg and other hard spices. A cherry pit character adds a intriguing note. Located below the Grand Cru Bonnes-Mares this wines shares many characteristics. Defined tannins on the finish will ensure a long life in the cellar.

**Normally \$1267.85 for the 6 bottles. Super Special \$887.00**

## **Chablis 1er Cru Pack (4 available)**

Contains 1 bottle each:

### **Domaine Collet Chablis 1er Cru Les Forets 2016 (5268). Normally \$72.95**

Tim Atkin MW: This is now the fourth vintage of Romain Collet's concrete egg-fermented Premier Cru white, which is now established as one of the best interpretations of the site. Spring flowers, white pepper and a hint of crunch celery combine appealingly on the palate, with lovely lees and a fine, salty finish. 2019-25. 94 Points

### **Domaine Collet Chablis 1er Cru Mont de Milieu 2016 (5270). Normally \$72.95**

Burghound: Like most 2016s, there is a trace of exoticism to the aromas of tidal pool, white and yellow orchard fruit and soft quinine scents. There is notably more size, weight and power to the broad-shouldered flavors that display more muscular if not more minerality on the very dry, focused and persistent finish. Good stuff though note that this chiseled effort will need at least a few years of cellaring first. (Drink starting 2022). 91 Points

### **Domaine Collet Chablis 1er Cru Vaillons 2016 (5269). Normally \$67.50**

Burghound: Like the Forêts there is a subtle application of wood setting off the aromas of petrol, citrus and floral hints. There is excellent richness to the slightly more mineral-inflected flavors that possess better balance as well as better depth and persistence. Worth checking out. (Drink starting 2022). 91 Points

### **Domaine Jean Durup Chablis 1er Cru Montee de Tonnerre 2016 (4411). Normally \$64.95**

Darren Harris: Classic saline Chablis nose with a little citrus and lots of minerals. The palate continues the theme with real intensity and freshness culminating in a long mineral finish. Stylish and lip smacking. Drink now until 2028 and perhaps beyond.

### **Domaine Jean Durup Chablis 1er Cru Vau de Vey 2016 (4412). Normally \$64.95**

Darren Harris: Very citric on the nose - lemon, lime and grapefruit - with rocky, saline notes. Palate coating with citrus and white pepper and a touch of dusty spice. Poised. A nice combination of fruit richness and intensity without undue weight.

### **Domaine Jean Durup Chablis 1er Cru Fourchaume 2016 (4409). Normally \$64.95**

Darren Harris: Classic nose of salty ozone. The palate is crisp with yellow citrus, oyster shell, crushed rock and spice.

Tangy. Very persistent in the mouth. Long and very stylish. Great Chablis.

**Normally \$408.25 for the 6 bottles. Super Special \$285.00**

## **Domaine Jean Durup Chablis 1er Cru Pack (4 available)**

Contains 1 bottle each:

**Domaine Jean Durup Chablis 1er Cru Reine Mathilde 2014 (3797). Normally \$72.95**

This wine is a blend of Fourchaume, Vau de Vay, Montee de Tonnerre and Montmains. it is named after the Durup's daughter Mathilde and also refers to Matilda of Flanders, the wife of William the Conqueror.

**Domaine Jean Durup Chablis 1er Cru Montmains 2014 (3796). Normally \$62.50**

**Domaine Jean Durup Chablis 1er Cru L'Homme Mort 2016 (4410). Normally \$64.95**

Darren Harris: Tangerine, a hint of musk, rose water. Something intriguing and faintly exotic. Nice breadth and texture on the palate with fine, lingering acidity. Long and complex.

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**Normally \$395.25 for the 6 bottles. Super Special \$276.00**

## **Chateauneuf-du-Pape Prestige Cuvee Pack (1 available)**

Contains 1 bottle each:

**Domaine de la Solitude Chateauneuf-du-Pape Cuvee Reserve Secret 2004 (1602). Normally \$289.95**

Wine Advocate - Jeb Dunnuck: Getting a "yeah man" in the notes, the 2004 Chateauneuf du Pape Reserve Secret (65% Grenache, 25% Syrah and 10% Mourvedre aged half in demi-muid and smaller barrels) makes the most of the vintage. Smoky and meaty, with classic Southern Rhone meatiness, truffle, black currant and licorice, it hits the palate with medium to full-bodied richness, fine tannin and a layered, textured profile that's hard to resist. Dishing out more pleasure than most other wines in the vintage, it should be consumed over the coming 5-6 years as well. 94 Points

**Ogier Chateauneuf-du-Pape Galets Roules 2009 (300). Normally \$69.95**

Jeb Dunnuck, The Rhone Report: My favorite in the lineup, the 2009 Ogier Caves des Papes Châteauneuf-du-Pape Terroir Galets Roules is a muscular, meaty wine that displays loads of spice, iron, crushed stone, and spice aromatics.

Very mineral driven, even more so than the Eclats Calcaires, this medium+ bodied Châteauneuf-du-Pape has fresh, pure texture, sound structure, and loads of ripe tannin on the finish. Playing in the classic and textbook stylistic range, this beauty should drink well for a decade. 91 Points

### **Domaine de Cristia Chateauneuf-du-Pape Cuvee Renaissance 2010 (1569). Normally \$159.95**

Jeb Dunnuck, The Rhone Report: In contrast, the 2010 Domaine de Cristia Châteauneuf-du-Pape Renaissance - a 60/40 blend of Grenache and Mourvedre - is aged all in barrel, with the Grenache seeing only neutral oak and the Mourvedre aged all in new oak. Showing spectacularly, it offers a thrilling array of blackberry, cassis, wild herbs, flowers, and roasted meats, with only a hint of graphite showing from its stint in barrel. Every bit as good on the palate, with brilliant freshness, fantastic purity, and a powerful, yet focused overall mouth-feel, this knockout offering needs a solid 4-6 years of bottle age, and will have upwards of two decades of overall longevity. 97 Points

### **Domaine de la Solitude Chateauneuf-du-Pape Cuvee Reserve Secrete 2010 (1606). Normally \$289.95**

Jeb Dunnuck, The Rhone Report: My favorite vintage of this cuvee to date and a knockout wine that is up there with the best of the vintage, the 2010 Domaine de la Solitude (Lançon Père et Fils) Châteauneuf-du-Pape Réserve Secrète is a blend of 70% Grenache and 30% Syrah that has all of the Syrah and a small portion of the Grenache aged in new French oak. Rich, deep, and powerful, with a saturated, inky color, this delivers a kaleidoscope of aromas and flavors, with notions of blackberry, chocolate, smoke, pepper, graphite, and pot roast-like nuances all soaring from the glass. Where the Cuvée Cornelia Constanza is all Grenache, all the time, this has a (slightly) more restrained profile, while still playing in that full-bodied, decadent end of the spectrum. Very concentrated, structured, and beautifully balanced, this blockbuster needs 4-5 years of bottle age, and will shine for two decades or more. 98 Points

### **Le Clos du Caillou Chateauneuf-du-Pape Les Safres Rouge 2012 (2337). Normally \$99.95**

Vinous - Josh Raynolds: Vivid ruby-red. Exotically perfumed scents of raspberry liqueur, potpourri and Asian spices, with a zesty mineral nuance adding lift. Juicy and precise on the palate, offering sweet red fruit flavors that expand and deepen with air. Floral pastille and spicecake notes add complexity to the very long finish, which features gently gripping tannins. 2018-2027. 93 Points

### **Domaine de la Solitude Chateauneuf-du-Pape Cuvee Cornelia Constanza 2015 (4755). Normally \$175.50**

Wine Spectator: This has great energy from the start, with notes of bay leaf, warm brick and juniper leading the way, backed by a solid core of red currant, raspberry and plum coulis flavors. The long finish lets sanguine and iron accents flow through while still leaving plenty of room for the fruit. Best from 2020 through 2035. 96 Points

**Normally \$1085.25 for the 6 bottles. Super Special \$759.00**

## **Aged Bourgogne Pack (6 available)**

Contains 1 bottle each:

### **Domaine de la Tour Bourgogne Pinot Noir 1990 (4767). Normally \$55.95**

This is good. Direct from the domaine.

### **Domaine Dubreuil-Fontaine Bourgogne Les Crenilles 2011 (1179). Normally \$39.95**

Burghound: A lovely nose features notes of flowers, pear and lemon peel. There is excellent vibrancy and detail to the utterly delicious middle weight flavors that possess an appealing sense of freshness to the agreeably dry and solidly complex finish. This would make a fine choice for a house white plus it should repay a few years in the cellar if desired. A Sweet Spot Wine. 87 Points

### **Domaine Bitouzet-Prieur Bourgogne Rouge 2012 (2045). Normally \$49.95**

Antonio Galloni Vinous: The 2012 Bourgogne is fleshy, sensual and inviting. Crushed flowers, sweet spices and anise linger on the finish. The 2012 was bottled about six weeks before this tasting. I will not be surprised if it turns out even better than this note suggests. 88 Points

### **Domaine Dubreuil-Fontaine Bourgogne Rouge La Chapelle Notre-Dame 2012 (1996). Normally \$37.50**

San Francisco Wine Trading Company: "According to importer Alan Sobczak, "There is Bourgogne Rouge and then there is Christine Dubreuil's La Chapelle Notre Dame." Purchased by Christine's father 38 years ago, the small vineyard site couldn't be better for producing mineral-rich Pinot as it is a stone's throw away from the majestic grand cru hill of Corton. Aged in a combination of stainless steel and neutral oak barrels, the 2012 is a profoundly satisfying red with its deep notes of dusty cherry, red currant, iron and fennel." -SFWTC Staff

**Domaine Duroche Bourgogne Chardonnay 2013 (2412). Normally \$42.50**

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Jancis Robinson: Creamy, rich on the nose. Lots of fruit here for the money. Then attractive chalky chew on the end. Light nose but well constructed and very definitely dry burgundy. 16/20

**Normally \$268.80 for the 6 bottles. Super Special \$188.00**

## **Fabien Coche Pack (1 available)**

Contains 1 bottle each:

**Domaine Fabien Coche Saint-Romain Blanc 2014 (3491). Normally \$77.95**

**Domaine Fabien Coche St-Aubin 1er Cru Les Combes 2014 (3492). Normally \$99.95**

**Domaine Fabien Coche Pommard Vieille Vignes 2014 (3505). Normally \$107.95**

**Domaine Fabien Coche Pommard 1er Cru La Platiere 2014 (3506). Normally \$122.95**

**Domaine Fabien Coche St-Aubin 1er Cru Les Combes 2015 (4525). Normally \$101.50**

**Domaine Fabien Coche Pommard Vieille Vignes 2015 (4535). Normally \$106.50**

**Normally \$616.80 for the 6 bottles. Super Special \$431.00**

## **Vignobles Dampt Chablis Pack (3 available)**

Contains 1 bottle each:

**Vignobles Dampt Chablis 1er Cru Beauroy 2014 (3560). Normally \$56.95**

Bill Nanson "The Burgundy Report": A more delicate floral nose, tighter below. Softer, sweeter, but supple and with a lovely complexity that melts over the tongue. Bright, a little salty grapefruit in the finishing flavours. Tasty wine.

**Vignobles Dampt Chablis 1er Cru Vaucoupin 2014 (3561). Normally \$58.50**

Bill Nanson "The Burgundy Report": A proper seashore width – a little saline, modest in-depth. Round, mouth-filling, some sweetness, indeed richness but all is very well-balanced – tasty wine which really impresses in the pretty and long finish. Yum!

**Vignobles Dampt Chablis Les Preuses Grand Cru 2014 (3566). Normally \$109.95**

Bill Nanson "The Burgundy Report": Hmm, this is lovely – wide, faintly floral, modestly mineral. Bigger in all directions a growing brightness of flavour rather than a line – round, complex, indeed a little exciting, layered, waves of finishing flavour. Lovely!!!

**Vignobles Dampt Chablis 1er Cru Fourchaume 2016 (4737). Normally \$66.50**

**Vignobles Dampt Chablis 1er Cru Les Fourneaux 2016 (4735). Normally \$61.50**

**Vignobles Dampt Chablis 1er Cru Mont de Milieu 2016 (4736). Normally \$63.95**

**Normally \$417.35 for the 6 bottles. Super Special \$292.00**