

# *Thatched Tavern*



## *Wine List*

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# Wine by the Glass

## White

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| 9  | <b>Berri Estates Unoaked Chardonnay, SE Australia</b><br>AUSTRALIA 14%<br>North-eastern Italy can grow great Chardonnay and this is a perfect example, lemon freshness combines with a peachy roundness.        | 250ml £5.50<br>175ml £4.00<br>125ml £3.00 |
| 10 | <b>Cullinan View Chenin Blanc, Robertson</b><br>SOUTH AFRICA 13%<br>Deliciously fresh and creamy with peachy fruit character. A classic South African style.  | 250ml £5.15<br>175ml £3.75<br>125ml £2.85 |
| 12 | <b>Luis Felipe Edwards Lot 66 Sauvignon Blanc, Rapel Valley</b><br>CHILE 12.5%<br>Hand harvested, gently pressed to retain the natural fruit aromas and flavour of citrus fruit, melon, pineapple and pear.     | 250ml £5.15<br>175ml £3.75<br>125ml £2.85 |
| 18 | <b>Pinot Grigio del Veneto, Collezione Marchesini</b><br>ITALY 12%<br>Lovely buttery, crisp and dry style with typical pear fruit from this area of central northern Italy in the southern section of Lombardy. | 250ml £5.50<br>175ml £4.00<br>125ml £3.00 |

## Rosé

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| 61 | <b>Cullinan View Chenin Blanc Rosé, Robertson</b><br>SOUTH AFRICA 12%<br>Vibrant rosé made in an off-dry style, lovely crisp zing with summer berry fruit flavours. | 250ml £5.50<br>175ml £4.00<br>125ml £3.00 |
| 63 | <b>Sancerre Rosé Le Rabault, Joseph Mellot</b><br>FRANCE 12.5%<br>Pinot Noir exudes tantalising fragrances of summer berries, richly ripe and delicately fresh.     | 250ml £8.75<br>175ml £6.50<br>125ml £4.90 |

## Red

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| 33 | <b>Luis Felipe Edwards Lot 40 Cabernet Sauvignon, Rapel Valley</b><br>CHILE 13%<br>Deep red with ripe berry-fruit and wispy green pepper. Medium bodied, ripe tannins and lingering fruit on the finish.               | 250ml £5.15<br>175ml £3.75<br>125ml £2.85 |
| 36 | <b>Hardys 'The Riddle' Shiraz-Cabernet, SE Australia</b><br>AUSTRALIA 14%<br>Spicy pepper, raspberry and cherry of the Shiraz and the blackcurrant, capsicum and mint of the Cabernet. Lightly oaked, soft and mellow. | 250ml £5.50<br>175ml £4.00<br>125ml £3.00 |
| 45 | <b>Berri Estates Merlot, SE Australia</b><br>AUSTRALIA 14%<br>Several specially selected vineyards provide a delicious combination of raspberries, blueberries and soft plum characters.                               | 250ml £5.50<br>175ml £4.00<br>125ml £3.00 |
| 47 | <b>Marqués de Morano Rioja Tinto</b><br>SPAIN 12%<br>A lighter style for Rioja, just a hint of traditional oakiness and abundant juicy ripe berries.   | 250ml £6.00<br>175ml £4.50<br>125ml £3.40 |

## Champagne and Sparkling

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| 65 | <b>Piper-Heidsieck Brut</b><br>CHAMPAGNE 12%<br>Young, lively fruit flavours, a fresh, vivid aroma and assertive crispness characterise this vivacious Champagne.                                | 125ml £6.75 |
| 75 | <b>Prosecco Extra Dry, Fantinel</b><br>ITALY 11.5%<br>Fresh, dry and fruity. A pleasant and extremely elegant bouquet with delightful, floral-based hints. A smooth, velvety and poetic flavour. | 125ml £4.00 |

*I love waking up in the morning not knowing what I'm gonna do or who I'm gonna meet. Just yesterday I was sleeping under a bridge, and today I'm on the grandest liner in the world drinking champagne with you fine people. I'll have some more please."*

Jack Dawson in Titanic (1997)



*I was in love with a beautiful blonde once. She drove me to drink; that's the one thing I'm indebted to her for."*

W. C. Fields in Never Give a Sucker an Even Break



*"My dear girl, there are some things that just aren't done, such as drinking Dom Perignon '53 above the temperature of 38 degrees Fahrenheit."*

Bond in Goldfinger (1964)

*"I can certainly see you know your wine. Most of the guests who stay here wouldn't know the difference between Bordeaux and Claret."*

Basil Fawlty (John Cleese) in Fawlty Towers



*"I only drink champagne when I'm happy, and when I'm sad.*

*Sometimes I drink it when I'm alone.*

*When I have company, I consider it obligatory.*

*I trifle with it if I am not hungry and drink it when I am.*

*Otherwise I never touch it - unless I'm thirsty."*

Lily Bollinger



*"Alcohol - the cause of and solution to all of life's problems."*

Homer Simpson

## Champagne and Sparkling wine

Elegant and refined Champagne is the highest expression of sparkling wine and sets up any occasion for celebration. With a mouth-watering quality they make ideal partners for fish and other seafood, as well as light chicken dishes, salads and many lightly flavoured starters.

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| 65 | <b>Piper-Heidsieck Brut</b><br>CHAMPAGNE 12%  | £37.00  |
|    | Young, lively fruit flavours, a fresh, vivid aroma and assertive crispness characterise this vivacious Champagne.   |         |
| 66 | <b>Piper-Heidsieck Rosé Sauvage Brut</b><br>CHAMPAGNE 12%   | £44.00  |
|    | Fresh, red berry aromas and a hint of spice on the nose. Predominantly made from Pinot Noir, the palate is well structured with hints of ripe, red fruit flavours and a crisp, lively mousse. |         |
| 67 | <b>Laurent-Perrier Brut L-P</b><br>CHAMPAGNE 12%  | £42.00  |
|    | Dry and lemony with a crisp, biscuity finish. From the three classic grape varieties, Chardonnay, Pinot Noir and Pinot Meunier.   |         |
| 68 | <b>Laurent-Perrier Cuvée Rosé Brut</b><br>CHAMPAGNE 12%   | £70.00  |
|    | The briefest liaison with grape skins tantalisingly leaves this delicate colour yet exudes a floral fragrance evolving soft red berry richness.   |         |
| 71 | <b>Dom Pérignon Brut</b><br>CHAMPAGNE 12.5%   | £140.00 |
|    | Long and satisfying on the palate with layers of yeasty, nutty flavours, superbly fat and ripe. Complex, luxury Grand Cru Champagne made only in the best years.                              |         |
| 72 | <b>Krug Brut</b><br>CHAMPAGNE 12%   | £160.00 |
|    | A genuine masterpiece that combines an immensity of concentrated richness and true time honoured greatness.   |         |
| 75 | <b>Prosecco Extra Dry, Fantinel</b><br>ITALY 11.5%  | £19.95  |
|    | Fresh, dry and fruity. A pleasant and extremely elegant bouquet with delightful, floral-based hints. A smooth, velvety and poetic flavour.  |         |

## Juicy, fruit-driven, ripe white

Richly flavoured with the attention firmly on their ripe, often tropical fruit character, these wines have plenty of personality. The higher quality wines show more sophistication in the way the fruit and structure are balanced. They have the weight of flavour to cope with strongly flavoured seafood, chicken and pork dishes which may be lightly spiced or have light creamy sauces.

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| 1  | <b>Mâcon-Lugny Les Petites Pierres, Louis Jadot</b><br>FRANCE 13%<br>A stylish white with a floral, fruity aroma and fresh, lemony palate. From one of the most popular villages of the Côte Mâconnais, noted for the excellence of its wines. | £22.95 |
| 9  | <b>Berri Estates Unoaked Chardonnay, SE Australia</b><br>AUSTRALIA 14%<br>A crisp style with a fresh, yet ripe lemon character with no oak ageing.   | £15.95 |
| 10 | <b>Cullinan View Chenin Blanc, Robertson</b><br>SOUTH AFRICA 13%<br>Deliciously fresh and creamy with peachy fruit character. A classic South African style.   | £14.95 |
| 11 | <b>Finca Flichman Chenin Blanc, Mendoza</b><br>ARGENTINA 13%<br>The foothills of the Andes contribute a ripe, crispness to this peachy fruit style.  | £15.95 |
| 26 | <b>Hardys 'The Riddle' Chardonnay-Semillon, SE Australia</b><br>AUSTRALIA 13%<br>A popular blend, combining a soft creamy texture with lime flavours and subtle oak characters that deliver a crisp dry white wine.                            | £15.95 |

## Very dry, delicate, light white

Refreshingly dry with delicate flavours, these wines have a crispness to them which makes them seem lively and bracing. The better wines show more complexity and flavour balance. Ideally suited to partner light, delicately flavoured fish, shellfish and light salads, they are particularly good with Mediterranean dishes.

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| 2  | <b>Chablis Gloire de Chablis, J. Moreau et Fils</b><br>FRANCE 12.5%<br>A traditional Chablis, dry, flinty and elegant with distinctive Chardonnay character on the finish.   | £29.95 |
| 18 | <b>Pinot Grigio del Veneto, Collezione Marchesini</b><br>ITALY 12%<br>Lovely buttery, crisp and dry style with typical pear fruit from this area of central northern Italy in the southern section of Lombardy.  | £15.95 |
| 19 | <b>Vendange Pinot Grigio, California</b><br>USA 12%<br>Easy-drinking, medium-bodied and aromas of melon and pear, a very popular style from the Central Valley.  | £16.95 |
| 21 | <b>Houghton Private Bin Chardonnay-Verdelho, W Australia</b><br>AUSTRALIA 14%<br>Wonderfully fresh and fruity, unoaked with ripe fruit characters and a long, clean finish. A soft, fresh and fruity palate with melon and tropical aromas and flavours dominating a long, flavoursome finish. | £16.95 |

## Rosé wine

Delicious summer-fruit flavoured wines, generally European wines are the driest with 'new world' wines having a touch more fruit richness to them; white Zinfandels are sweet. They can be quite flexible with food as long as the sweetness level of the dish is matched. Chicken, fish and summer-cuisine can all be enhanced with a chilled glass.

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| 61 | <b>Cullinan View Chenin Blanc Rosé, Robertson</b><br>SOUTH AFRICA 12%<br>Vibrant rosé made in an off-dry style, lovely crisp zing with summer berry fruit flavours. | £15.95 |
| 62 | <b>Faustino V Rioja Rosado</b><br>SPAIN 12.5%<br>20 year old Tempranillo vines dedicate their intense strawberry flavours to this delicious lively vibrancy.        | £19.95 |
| 63 | <b>Sancerre Rosé Le Rabault, Joseph Mellot</b><br>FRANCE 12.5%<br>Pinot Noir exudes tantalising fragrances of summer berries, richly ripe and delicately fresh.     | £25.95 |

## Dessert wine

Dessert wines come in two main styles, racy and refreshingly sweet or luscious and sticky. Racy and refreshingly sweet wines tend to be best with lighter fruit-dominated desserts such as a fruit salad, whilst the luscious, stickier wines are best served with something much sweeter and richer.

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| 64 | <b>Muscat de Beaumes de Venise, Cave des Vignerons</b><br>FRANCE 15.5%<br>Distinctive aromas of orange blossom and elderflower unfold a luscious sweetness in perfect harmony. | Half Bottle £14.50<br>125ml £4.95 |
| 76 | <b>Château Les Justices, Sauternes</b><br>FRANCE 14%<br>Shows superb balance with the sweet, rich, complex fruit flavours being backed up by refreshing finish.                | Half Bottle £17.95                |

## Half Bottle

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| 2  | <b>Chablis Gloire de Chablis, J. Moreau et Fils</b><br>FRANCE 12.5%<br>A traditional Chablis, dry, flinty and elegant with distinctive Chardonnay character on the finish.         | £15.50 |
| 14 | <b>Sancerre La Fuzelle, Adrien Maréchal</b><br>FRANCE 12.5%<br>Distinctively elegant. Laden with racy crispness and abundant gooseberry crunch.                                    | £15.50 |
| 41 | <b>Château Lyonnat, Lussac Saint-Emilion</b><br>FRANCE 12.5%<br>A small district of St Emilion with a common terrain, the style is full of soft plums and brambly cassis flavours. | £15.50 |
| 51 | <b>Fleurie Les Muriennes, Thorin</b><br>FRANCE 13%<br>The name Fleurie aptly describes the fresh, floral style of the wine.  | £12.25 |

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## Spicy, peppery, warming red

Made from grapes such as Shiraz (Syrah) these wines have a natural peppery or spicy nature. Top wines also how rich, ripe, powerful and warming fruit flavours. A good selection with strongly flavoured beef and lamb dishes. The richest, ripest wines when paired with spicy foods, act as if to turn the heat up.

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| 36 | <b>Hardys 'The Riddle' Shiraz-Cabernet, SE Australia</b><br>AUSTRALIA 14%<br>Spicy pepper, raspberry and cherry of the Shiraz and the blackcurrant, capsicum and mint of the Cabernet. Lightly oaked, soft and mellow.  | £15.95 |
| 38 | <b>Robert Mondavi Twin Oaks Shiraz, California</b><br>U.S.A. 13.5%<br>Vibrant and concentrated fruit flavours. Fermented in American oak, aromas of lifted dark berry fruits and plums, well-balanced tannins, good length and an attractive balanced finish. | £19.95 |
| 52 | <b>Côtes du Rhône, Château Saint-Roman, Cuvée Réservee</b><br>FRANCE 13%<br>Rich and generous with a distinctive peppery finish, from a fine quality single estate in the southern Rhône Valley.  | £18.50 |
| 57 | <b>Errázuriz Carmenère, Aconcagua Valley</b><br>CHILE 14%<br>Full and flavoursome, made with Chile's 'own' grape variety. It has a rich, spicy flavour and firm, ripe tannins.  | £19.95 |
| 60 | <b>Ravenswood Old Vine Zinfandel, Lodi County</b><br>USA 15%<br>Powerful and spicy with typical black pepper, plum and berry-fruit aromas and flavour. A very full-bodied palate but with ripe, velvety tannins giving a smooth, rounded finish.              | £25.95 |

## Light, simple, delicate red

Softly structured, silky with straightforward red-fruit flavours, the top wines show more complexity without an increase in weight. These are the most flexible reds to match with food. Great with tomato-based sauces and many southern European dishes based around vegetables, chicken, pork or salmon.

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| 47 | <b>Marqués de Morano Rioja Tinto</b><br>SPAIN 13%<br>A lighter style for Rioja, just a hint of traditional oakiness and abundant juicy ripe berries.  | £17.95 |
| 48 | <b>Finca Flichman Tempranillo, Mendoza</b><br>ARGENTINA 13.5%<br>Tempranillo thrives in Argentina and shows a fresh, berry fruit flavour with warm roasted finish.                              | £16.50 |
| 50 | <b>Beaujolais-Villages Combe aux Jacques, Louis Jadot</b><br>FRANCE 12.5%<br>Intensely fragrant, vivacious and succulent, full of vibrant berry fruit flavours, pepper notes and floral aromas. | £23.95 |
| 51 | <b>Fleurie Les Muriennes, Thorin</b><br>FRANCE 13%<br>The name Fleurie aptly describes the fresh, floral style of the wine.   | £23.95 |

Abv% may vary.

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## Full-flavoured, nutty, oaked white

The fruit flavours of these wines are complemented by the influence of oak, adding notes of vanilla, spice and nuts to the finish. The combination of ripe fruit and oak make these the most complex white wines. The European wines are delicious with seafood and all but the darkest meats with butter or cream-based sauces, whilst the richer 'new world' examples match well with even spicier and richer sauces.

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| 3 | <b>Meursault, Marie-Louise Parisot</b><br>FRANCE 13%<br>This famous Côte de Beaune villages renowned for this full creamy barrique character and style full of stone fruit ripeness.  | £39.95 |
| 4 | <b>Puligny-Montrachet, Louis Jadot</b><br>FRANCE 13.5%<br>Distinctively Côte de Beaune, overflowing with generous rich barrique character and stylish stone-fruit charm.  | £42.95 |
| 5 | <b>Chassagne-Montrachet 1er Cru Morgeot, Clos de la Chapelle, Domaine Duc de Magenta, Louis Jadot</b><br>FRANCE 13.5%<br>A fine wine that consistently exudes a warm buttery style, full of ripe nectarine and citrus richness from this Jadot-managed walled vineyard. | £59.95 |
| 8 | <b>Barossa Valley Estate E Minor Chardonnay, Barossa Valley</b><br>AUSTRALIA 13.5%<br>Crisp and clean with tropical fruit and vanilla oak, typical varietal freshness.  | £19.95 |

## Dry, herbaceous or aromatic white

Unoaked with a zesty, tangy character often with defined green fruit, herb or floral aromas, backed by a mouth-tingling, refreshing palate. The best wines and those from warmer countries show more intense flavours. Great with white fish, chicken and other white meat dishes, particularly when cooked with green herbs or in creamy sauces. The most aromatic and less dry wines work well with lightly spiced dishes.

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| 12 | <b>Luis Felipe Edwards Lot 66 Sauvignon Blanc, Rapel Valley</b><br>CHILE 12.5%<br>Hand harvested, gently pressed to retain the natural fruit aromas and flavour of citrus fruit, melon, pineapple and pear.  | £14.95 |
| 13 | <b>Pouilly-Fumé Cuvée du Troncsec, Joseph Mellot</b><br>FRANCE 12.5%<br>Loire Sauvignon Blanc at its best, classic gunflint and rich gooseberries on the nose, creamy fullness on the palate and a crisp, dry finish.                              | £29.95 |
| 14 | <b>Sancerre La Fuzelle, Adrien Maréchal</b><br>FRANCE 12.5%<br>Distinctively elegant. Laden with racy crispness and abundant gooseberry crunch.  | £29.95 |
| 15 | <b>Veramonte Sauvignon Blanc Reserva, Casablanca Valley</b><br>CHILE 13.5%<br>Fine example of cool-climate Chilean Sauvignon with fresh-cut grass and gooseberries and a hint of green pepper.   | £19.95 |
| 16 | <b>Nobilo Southern Rivers Sauvignon Blanc, East Coast</b><br>NEW ZEALAND 13%<br>Fresh and crisp with classic characters of gooseberry and tropical flavours. Excellent weight and mouthfeel and a dry, lingering finish.                           | £22.50 |
| 17 | <b>Villa Maria Private Bin Sauvignon Blanc, Marlborough</b><br>NEW ZEALAND 13.5%<br>Herbaceous and flavoursome from this world-renowned estate. The palate is lively and intense, with mouth-filling, tropical fruit flavours.                     | £25.95 |
| 22 | <b>Luis Felipe Edwards Reserva Gewürztraminer, Rapel Valley</b><br>CHILE 13%<br>Perfect topography produces a classic example of this aromatic grape; big flavours of Lychees, apricots, honey and warm spice.                                     | £18.95 |
| 23 | <b>Vidal Estate Riesling, Marlborough</b><br>NEW ZEALAND 13%<br>A fine example of the Riesling grape, showing lime and floral aromas combined with the minerality and citrus fruit flavours typical of the grape in an off-dry, 'New World' style. | £18.95 |

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## Oaked, intense, concentrated red

Often made from grapes such as Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot and Pinot Noir these represent the harmonious marriage of wine and oak-ageing. They are weighty, complex and at the top end extremely elegant. A match for full-flavoured lamb, beef and strongly flavoured game dishes. The elegant style of the wines from the top European regions can partner quite simply prepared dishes.

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| 28  | <b>Château Citran, Cru Bourgeois Haut-Médoc</b><br>FRANCE 13%                             | £39.95 |
| A lively almost sensual aroma of rose blossoms and sweet cherries. Profoundly vibrant with its unusually high proportion of Merlot.   |   |        |
| 29  | <b>Château Haut-Bages-Averous, Pauillac (2nd wine of Ch. Lynch-Bages)</b><br>FRANCE 12.5% | £69.95 |
| A predominantly Cabernet Sauvignon blend exhibiting definitive cedarwood charm and mouth-filling black berry richness.  |   |        |
| 30  | <b>Chateau Talbot, 4ème Cru Classé Saint-Julien</b><br>FRANCE 13%                         | £94.95 |
| Good oak character nicely integrated with the fruit. Château Talbot is typical of producing wine of great structure and ageing potential.   |   |        |
| 31  | <b>Chateau Musar Red Gaston Hochar, Bekaa Valley</b><br>LEBANON 14%                       | £45.95 |
| Exemplary classic red. Sumptuous, rich dark fruit and spice aromas followed by intense flavours of red cherries, dark chocolate, ripe plums, black olives, figs and velvet smooth tannins.  |   |        |
| 37  | <b>Errázuriz Shiraz Max Reserva, Aconcagua Valley</b><br>CHILE 15%                        | £29.95 |
| Thriving in the hot Chilean climate to give a sumptuous blackberry spice and warm barrique character that marries with violet blooms.   |   |        |
| 43  | <b>Luis Felipe Edwards Reserva Merlot, Colchagua Valley</b><br>CHILE 14%                  | £18.95 |
| Bright purple with black fruits and pepper. Some floral hints mingle with light toffee and subtle oak.  |   |        |
| 44  | <b>Villa Maria Private Bin Merlot-Cabernet Sauvignon, East Coast</b><br>NEW ZEALAND 14%   | £23.95 |
| The New Zealand climate brings out the typical varietal blackcurrant aroma and flavour of the Cabernet Sauvignon, softened by the Merlot. Aged in both French and American oak for twelve months, this approachable, smooth, ripe red wine is ready for drinking. |   |        |
| 49  | <b>Faustino I Rioja Gran Reserva</b><br>SPAIN 13%   | £34.95 |
| Mature and velvety smooth with great complexity, the flagship of the Faustino range, Rioja at its best.   |   |        |
| 53  | <b>Châteauneuf-du-Pape, Château Saint-André</b><br>FRANCE 13.5%                           | £29.95 |
| Big and intense in style, heady aromas of spiced plums. An excellent example for this appellation.  |   |        |
| 54  | <b>Amarone della Valpolicella Classico, Bolla</b><br>ITALY 14.5%                          | £39.95 |
| The traditional method of semi-drying the grapes first ensures an enveloping, velvet richness with marzipan, raisin and date flavours.  |   |        |
| 58  | <b>Finca Flichman Malbec, Mendoza</b><br>ARGENTINA 14.5%                                  | £18.50 |
| An extra mellowness from time in barrel blends well with the full-bodied, ripe berry character with a touch of spice.   |   |        |
| 80  | <b>Hardys Oomoo Shiraz, McLaren Vale</b><br>AUSTRALIA 13%                                 | £23.95 |
| Deep purple, with ripe cherry and blueberry tones, coupled with and enhanced by a refined yet rich, savoury middle palate of dark chocolate, layered with hints of cherry and vanilla oak on the finish.  |   |        |

Abv% may vary.

## Juicy, medium-bodied, fruit-led red

Whilst medium-bodied the key to these wines is the delicious rich, ripe fruit. The best show more integration between fruit and structure giving a long finish. They make great partners for fuller-flavoured pork and chicken dishes, particularly those with dark, rich sauces. Delicious with grilled lamb, roast beef, game, char-grilled vegetables or baked pasta.

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| 32  | <b>Kleine Zalze Cabernet Sauvignon, Coastal Region</b><br>SOUTH AFRICA 14%      | £17.95 |
| A pronounced classic style, full of rich blackcurrant flavours, hints of cedarwood and vanilla-oak.                           |   |        |
| 33  | <b>Luis Felipe Edwards Lot 40 Cabernet Sauvignon, Rapel Valley</b><br>CHILE 13% | £14.95 |
| Deep red with ripe berry-fruit and wispy green pepper. Medium bodied, ripe tannins and lingering fruit on the finish.         |   |        |
| 34  | <b>Tintara Horseshoe Row Cabernet, S Australia</b><br>AUSTRALIA 12.5%           | £19.95 |
| Elegant with ripe blackcurrant and blackberry fruit with subtle notes of cashew nuts on the finish.                           |   |        |
| 39  | <b>Bourgogne Pinot Noir Couvent des Jacobins, Louis Jadot</b><br>FRANCE 12.5%   | £27.95 |
| Layers of classic fresh strawberry aromas and plump soft cherries exude a light silky elegance.                               |   |        |
| 40  | <b>Vidal Estate Pinot Noir, Hawke's Bay</b><br>NEW ZEALAND 13.5%                | £27.95 |
| Raspberry sweetness showing through a youthful character, yet more structure and complexity developing from barrique-ageing.  |   |        |
| 41  | <b>Château Lyonnat, Lussac Saint-Emilion</b><br>FRANCE 12.5%                    | £29.95 |
| A small district of St Emilion with a common terrain, the style is full of soft plums and brambly cassis flavours.            |   |        |
| 45  | <b>Berri Estates Merlot, SE Australia</b><br>AUSTRALIA 14%                      | £15.95 |
| Several specially selected vineyards provide a delicious combination of raspberries, blueberries and soft plum characters.    |   |        |
| 46  | <b>Blackstone Merlot, California</b><br>USA 13.5%                               | £18.95 |
| A sumptuousness of dark berry and black cherry aromas and spicy clove, generous rich softness and gentle barrique complexity. |   |        |
| 55  | <b>Chianti Superiore Il Leo, Ruffino</b><br>ITALY 13%                           | £23.95 |
| Vibrant cherry and violet-scented Sangiovese, backed by a smooth, yet refreshing finish.                                      |   |        |
| 56  | <b>Cullinan View Pinotage, Robertson</b><br>SOUTH AFRICA 13.5%                  | £17.95 |
| Rich, full and spicy with good levels of fruit aromas and flavour, made with South Africa's own grape variety.                |   |        |

Abv% may vary.