

NEW ARRIVALS

The Update this week is full of new hearty reds to check out. Highlighted here are a few of our favorites.

2015 Beaux Frères Pinot Noir Willamette Valley (\$59.99)

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–*Wine Spectator*, 92 points.

2014 Avennia Les Trouvés Red Blend Columbia Valley (\$19.99)

“Mourvèdre (62%) takes the lead on this wine followed by Syrah (21%) and Grenache. It’s aromatic and appealing, with notes of roasted meat, black pepper, herb and plum. The red- and black-fruit flavors are concentrated and bring a compelling sense of texture. Smoke and savory flavors linger on the finish. It’s a standout at this price. Editors’ Choice.”

–*Sean P. Sullivan*, 92 points.

2016 Involuntary Commitment Red Columbia Valley (\$17.99)

A new wine made by Chris and Will Camarda of Andrew Will Winery fame. A blend of 61% Cabernet Franc, 22% Cabernet Sauvignon and 17% Merlot that was aged in neutral oak for 11 months. The wine offers great depth of flavor at a price that is perfect. You can sense the black fruits, tobacco leaf and earthy aroma, yet on the palate it is more currants and plums.

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Red Wines

2015 Caymus Cabernet Sauvignon Napa Valley \$101.99/\$83.99/\$75.59

“This wine has a signature style that is dark in color, with rich fruit and ripe, velvety tannins—as approachable in youth as in maturity. Caymus farms Cabernet grapes in eight of Napa’s 16 sub-appellations, with diversification enabling the winery to make the best possible wine in a given year. This Cabernet offers layered, lush aromas and flavors, including cocoa, cassis and ripe dark berries.” –Winemaker notes. **New vintage.**

2013 Silver Oak Cabernet Sauvignon Alexander Valley \$81.99/\$71.99/\$64.79

“It has an alluring nose of blackberry bramble, baking spices and black olive. Aromas of vanilla, cassis and sage fill the glass, revealing the influence of American oak barrel aging. On the palate, notes of raspberry are complemented with lingering acidity and a finish of dusty, silky tannins. Given proper cellaring, this wine will provide drinking pleasure through 2036.”

–Winemaker notes. **New vintage.**

2015 Beaux Frères Pinot Noir Willamette Valley \$74.99/\$59.99/\$53.99

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–*Wine Spectator*, 92 points. **New item.**

2014 Abeja Cabernet Sauvignon Columbia Valley \$57.99/\$49.99/\$44.99

“This is the grape that we believe will increasingly be recognized as the icon varietal of Washington State and comprises the majority of our production. This Cabernet is stylish, elegant, and impeccably balanced. We accomplish this by meticulous viticultural management, utilization of a rare sorting system and gentle handling of the fruit.” –Winemaker notes. **New vintage.**

2014 Dunham Cellars Trutina Red Blend Columbia Valley \$35.99/\$27.99/\$25.19

“Made from a blend of 44% Merlot, 38% Cab Sauvignon, 10% Malbec and 8% Cab Franc, the 2014 Trutina gives up lots of graphite and cedary spice intermixed with notions of coffee bean, blackcurrants and licorice. Beautiful on the palate, with full-bodied richness and no hard edges. It should drink beautifully through 2024+.” –*Wine Advocate*, 91 points. **New vintage.**

2014 Steele Cabernet Sauvignon Red Hills Lake County California \$25.99/\$21.49/\$19.34

“Full-bodied but easy to drink, this well-modulated wine from a section of Lake County known for excellent reds combines nicely ripe flavors with a smoothly tannic texture. It has ripe plum and raisin notes, a lightly spicy, smoky oak accent and a lingering finish.”

–*Wine Enthusiast*, 90 points. **New vintage.**

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2015 Domaine La Manarine Rouge Côtes-du-Rhône \$19.99/\$15.89/\$14.30

A 100% Grenache from this family-owned, organic estate with holdings in an area of unique terroir in the Southern Rhône known as “Le Plan de Dieu,” whose soil is full of ‘galets,’ the smooth, round stones characteristic of the region. While the aromas have that classic herbal garrigue note, on the palate the fruit is bold, satisfying, and ripe flavors of blackberries and lusciously ripe raspberries. **New vintage.**



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2015 Ravenswood Winery Old Vine Zinfandel Lodi
\$26.99/\$13.39/\$12.05

“Our Lodi Zin explodes with blueberries, black plums, vanilla and cocoa. Lush and mouthfilling, with incredibly silky tannins that slide into a long, flavorful finish. Uncork now for a tempting taste, or cellar for up to 10 years of flavor development. 79% Zinfandel, 20% Petite Sirah and 1% Alicante Bouschet.” –Winemaker notes. **New vintage.**

2014 Bogle Essential Red California \$16.99/\$10.79/\$9.71

“A sleek texture and delicious, focused fruit flavors, such as cranberry and black cherry, make this full-bodied wine mouthfilling and compelling. It offers density and richness, too, which helps extend the lightly sweet finish. Best Buy.”

– *Wine Enthusiast*, 90 points. **New vintage.**

White Wines

2015 Buty Chardonnay Conner Lee Vineyard Columbia Valley
\$50.99/\$41.09/\$36.98

“Grown in silt-sand soil from 1989 plantings, our estate-grown Chardonnay is native yeast fermented, lees stirred with partial malolactic fermentation. It is aged in perfectly-matched mature French cooperage, with only 5% new. Texturally our Chardonnay is creamy and smooth with lovely acidity and richness. Twenty-four barrels produced.”

–Winemaker notes. **New vintage.**

2016 Pieropan Soave Classico Garganega Veneto Italy
\$22.99/\$17.79/\$16.01

“The delicate nose is reminiscent of almond blossoms and marzipan; good depth of fruit on the palate, nicely balanced by a zingy acidity that enhances its long length. A blend of 85% Garganega 85% and 15% Trebbiano di Soave.” –Winemaker notes. **New vintage.**

2016 Wente Morning Fog Chardonnay San Francisco Bay
\$19.99/\$13.99/\$12.59

“Bright and crisp flavors of pear, melon, citrus and green apple are balanced by subtle hints of toasty oak, and vanilla from barrel aging. With mouth-filling body, lingering minerality and balanced acidity, this wine delivers a long, refreshing finish. Blend: 98% Chardonnay, 2% Gewurztraminer.” –Winemaker notes. **New vintage.**

2015 Avancia Cuvée de O Godello Valdeorras Spain
\$19.99/\$13.99/\$12.59

“Green-hued straw. High-pitched aromas of fresh citrus fruits and honeysuckle carry a smoky mineral overtone. Vibrant and focused on the palate, offering juicy Meyer lemon and pear flavors that deepen slowly as the wine opens up. Shows an emphatic stony character on the incisive finish, which leaves behind juicy citrus fruit and floral notes.”

– *Vinous* /Antonio Galloni, 91 points. **New vintage.**

2016 Zenato Pinot Grigio Veneto Italy \$15.99/\$11.19/\$10.07

“Lemon-green in color, aromas of Key limes and white peaches complement undertones of green apples and grains of paradise. On the palate, it is smooth and refreshing with a long, pleasant finish.”

–Winemaker notes. **New vintage.**

2016 Northwest Wine Academy Müller-Thurgau Puget Sound
\$14.99/ \$11.19/\$10.07

“Müller-Thurgau is a white grape variety which was created by Hermann Müller from the Swiss Canton of Thurgau in 1882. It is a crossing of Riesling with Madeleine Royale. With fresh and bright acidity, this brilliant, white-gold libation starts with a refreshing air of honeysuckle, and finishes with a lively punch of green apple and a kiss of lime on your palate. Cases Produced: 68.” –Winemaker notes. **New item.**

2016 Zoe Albariño Blend Rias Baixas Spain \$14.99/\$11.19/\$10.07

New to the west coast! Intense aromas of fruits (pear, apple, lemon), as well as aromatic herbs. Very intense in the mouth, with reminiscence of fruits and flowers. Elegant and persistent. This Rias Baixas wine ages very well in the months following its bottling. A blend of 67% Albariño, 25% Caiño Blanco, 5% Treixadura, 2% Loureiro and 1% Godello from its own vineyards. **New item.**

2016 Domaine de Bernier Chardonnay Loire \$13.99/\$10.29/\$9.26

This Chardonnay is produced by the Couillaud Family at the Château de la Ragotière a few minutes from the Atlantic near the mouth of the Loire River, where the maritime climate is ideal for producing whites that are refreshing and bright. The Couillaud age most of this wine on its lees until bottling to add weight and texture. **New vintage.**

2016 Bodegas Lan Duquesa de Valladolid Rueda Spain
\$13.99/\$9.39/\$8.45

Complex and intense aromas of hay and fern with hints of white flowers. Powerful and complex in the mouth with the characteristic acidity from the Verdejo variety and aromatic herbs notes which are predominant. Well- balance with a long-lingering palate. **New vintage.**

2016 Les Costieres de Pomérols Picpoul de Pinet Picpoul de Pinet
\$12.99/\$9.39/\$8.45

“Salty and mouthwatering, this creamy white encases pureed peach, almond and yellow apple notes that are fresh and well-meshed. Hints of crunchy herb grace the crisp finish. Drink now. Best Value.”

–*Wine Spectator*, 87 points. **New vintage.**

From Our Cellar-Limited-Inquire

2010 Leonetti Cellar Walla Walla Reserve \$195.99
Wine Advocate, 100 points

2012 Leonetti Cellar Walla Walla Reserve \$166.99
Wine Advocate, 98 points

2013 Leonetti Cellar Walla Walla Reserve \$167.99
Wine Advocate, 96 points



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