

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9TH

PARCEL LOTS 3-5

FIRST SESSION/LIVE SESSION
LOTS 1-874

AT Gilt
455 Madison Avenue IN NYC
BEGINNING AT 4PM EST

DINNER SERVED AT
APPROXIMATELY 7PM

RESERVATIONS IN ADVANCE
MANDATORY FOR DINNER

THERE WILL BE
GENERAL SEATING AS WELL

All notes taken from the Wine Advocate unless otherwise indicated. IWC is Steve Tanzer, BH is the Burghound, WS is the Wine Spectator, MB is Michael Broadbent, CC is Clive Coates, RJ is Richard Juhlin and JK is John Kapon.

AN EXCEPTIONAL COLLECTION OF YOUNG
BORDEAUX MAINLY IN ORIGINAL WOODEN
CASE AND OTHER FINE WINES FROM
AROUND THE WORLD

A smattering of Romaneé Conti amongst other Burgundies, righteous Rhones, enticing Italians, and some of Cali's finest including multiple lots of Harlan and a rare 12 bottle lot of Screaming Eagle, 2001 to be exact. A tremendous collection of tremendous wines courtesy of this longstanding collector. All wines in outstanding condition.

- 1 Carruades de Lafite - Vintage 2000**
Pauillac
owc
"Wonderfully ripe and decadent, with tobacco, meat and ripe berry aromas, with hints of currants. Full-bodied, and very velvety, with unctuous fruit flavors. Long and exotic aftertaste. Terrific wine."(93pts)
12 bottles per lot \$1800-2400
- 2 Chateau Beychevelle - Vintage 2000**
St. Julien
owc
"Wonderful floral and blackberry aromas follow through to a compressed palate of full-bodied tannins and ripe fruit. Yet very fine and silky on the palate. Best Beychevelle I have had in years."(92pts WS)
12 bottles per lot \$600-800

- 3 Chateau Branaire Ducru - Vintage 2005**
St. Julien
owc
"...is a big, structured, intensely rich effort with raspberry, blueberry, and spring flower garden characteristics, stunning purity, full-bodied power, and good underlying acidity as well as harmony."(95pts)
12 bottles per lot \$800-1050
- 4** 12 bottles per lot \$800-1050
owc
- 5** 12 bottles per lot \$800-1050
owc
- 6 Chateau Calon Segur - Vintage 2000**
St. Estephe
owc
"...gorgeous aromas of creosote intermixed with spring flowers, black cherries, cassis, licorice, and stony, liquid minerals. A powerful, tannic, full-bodied and opulent wine, it possesses considerable structure that is reasonably well-concealed by considerable glycerin and intensity."(94pts)
12 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 7 Chateau Cheval Blanc - Vintage 1995**
St. Emilion
1lbsl
"...enthraling smoky, black currant, coffee, and exotic bouquet. Complex, rich, medium to full-bodied flavors are well-endowed and pure, with surprisingly firm tannin in the finish."(92pts)
6 bottles per lot \$1000-1250
- 8 Chateau Cheval Blanc - Vintage 2000**
St. Emilion
owc
"...saturated purple color along with a reticent but striking bouquet of blackberries, blueberries, truffles, and mocha. In spite of its tightness, aeration reveals scents of licorice, menthol, and saddle leather. Opulent and full-bodied, with low acidity, sweet tannin, and a 60-second finish, it is unquestionably as profound as the 1990 and 1982. I still believe the 2000 has the potential to be the most compelling Cheval Blanc since the mythical 1947 and 1949..."
(100pts)
6 bottles per lot \$4000-6000
- 9 Chateau Cheval Blanc - Vintage 2003**
St. Emilion
"Blackberry, mineral and lightly toasted oak. Subtle and complex. Full-bodied, with wonderfully sweet fruit character and ultrarefined tannins. Goes on and on. Gorgeous and seductive."(96pts WS)
4 bottles per lot \$1200-1600

PARCEL LOTS 10-11

- 10 Chateau Clerc Milon - Vintage 2005**
Pauillac
owc
"A blend of nearly equal parts Cabernet Sauvignon (48%) and Merlot (40%), and the rest Cabernet Franc, it exhibits plenty of charcoal, roasted coffee, smoke, blackberry, and cassis notes along with a meaty-like character to its flavors and texture. Full-bodied with surprisingly high tannin as well as gorgeous depth and a multidimensional mouthfeel..."(92pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$500-700
- 11** 12 bottles per lot \$500-700
owc

PARCEL LOTS 12-14

- 12 Chateau Clinet - Vintage 2005**
Pomerol
owc
"Offers fabulous aromas of currant, tar, lead pencil and mineral. Full-bodied, with supersoft tannins that caress the palate. Beautiful and impressive. A fabulous wine. The best Clerc in a very long time."(95pts WS)
 12 bottles per lot \$1000-1300
- 13** 12 bottles per lot \$1000-1300
owc
- 14** 12 bottles per lot \$1000-1300
owc
- 15 Chateau Cos d'Estournel - Vintage 2005**
St. Estephe
owc
"Black in color, with aromas of orange peel, new leather, currant, berry and Christmas pudding. Full-bodied, with layers of velvety tannins and a long, long finish of fruit and spices. The cashmere texture is all there. 2003 plus 2000 equals 2005."(98pts WS)
 12 bottles per lot \$1800-2400

PARCEL LOTS 16-17

- 16 Chateau Ducru Beaucaillou - Vintage 2003**
St. Julien
owc
"Intense aromas of blackberry, currant and cherry. Full-bodied, with masses of big, velvety tannins and a finish that lasts for minutes. A blockbuster. A classic big, juicy claret."(97pts WS)
 12 bottles per lot \$1300-1600
- 17** 12 bottles per lot \$1300-1600
owc

PARCEL LOTS 18-20

- 18 Chateau Duhart Milon - Vintage 2005**
Pauillac
owc
"The finest Duhart-Milon ever made? This structured, tannic, dense ruby/purple-tinged Pauillac offers up hints of cassis, licorice, chocolate, and earth. Medium to full-bodied with good purity, strong tannins, and undeniable elegance, it reveals a character not dissimilar from its renowned sibling, Lafite-Rothschild."(94pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$600-800
- 19** 12 bottles per lot \$600-800
owc
- 20** 12 bottles per lot \$600-800
owc
- 21 Chateau Figeac - Vintage 2000**
St. Emilion
owc
"A profound effort, the surprisingly full-bodied 2000 Figeac has an opaque purple color accompanied by a terrific bouquet of camphor, graphite, black currants, licorice, and smoked herbs. With well-balanced, powerful tannin, concentration, and pinpoint precision, finesse, and purity..."(93pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$1000-1400
- 22 Chateau Figeac - Vintage 2005**
St. Emilion
owc
"This is subtle and complex, showing blackberry, fresh tobacco and light vanilla, with a hint of Indian spices. Full-bodied, with super well-integrated tannins and a finish that lasts for minutes. Refined and classy."(95pts WS)
 12 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 23 Chateau Gruaud Larose - Vintage 2000**
St. Julien
owc
"Absolutely wonderful aromas of flowers, currants and citrus. Full-bodied, yet very, very refined, with a center core of fruit that tastes like crushed raspberries and goes on and on. Greatest wine from this estate since 1945."(95pts WS)
 12 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 24 Chateau Haut Brion - Vintage 2000**
Graves
8scl
"Yet, like a great diplomat, it is a wine of intensity, authority, and measured restraint. A supremely elegant offering, its dense ruby/purple color, and burgeoning perfume of scorched earth, liquid minerals, plums, black currants, cherries, lead pencil, and subtle spicy oak are followed by a delicate yet powerfully flavorful, multi-layered, highly nuanced, and extraordinarily pure and seamless wine."(98pts)
 6 bottles per lot \$3000-4000

25 Chateau Haut Brion - Vintage 2003
Graves
owc
"Complex aromas of black licorice, tobacco and cedar with red fruits. Full-bodied, with superseductive, silky tannins, loads of fruit and a finish that lasts for minutes. A beauty in all the sense of the word."
(96pts WS)
 12 bottles per lot \$2600-3200

26 Chateau Haut Brion - Vintage 2003
Graves
 1 magnum per lot \$550-750

27 Chateau Hosanna - Vintage 2005
Pomerol
2x6 bottle owc's
*"A thrilling bouquet of subtle menthol intermixed with black raspberries, vanillin, smoke, spring flowers, and a hint of mocha soars from the glass of this blend of 80% Merlot and 20% Cabernet Franc. A small estate producing only 1,200-1,500 cases, this site was previously the tenderloin sector of Chateau Giraud before it was acquired by Christian Moueix and divided into two vineyards, Hosanna, the better section, and Certan Marzelle."**(95pts)*
 12 bottles per lot \$1500-2000

28 Chateau Kirwan - Vintage 2000
Margaux
owc
*"A very reserved wine at this stage, but still shows attractive plum and berry character, with hints of mineral. Full-bodied, with a solid core of fruit and very refined tannins. Lasts a long time on the finish. Very, very silky."**(92pts WS)*
 12 bottles per lot \$350-450

29 Chateau Kirwan - Vintage 2005
Margaux
owc
*"Has loads of coffee, blackberry and cigar box aromas, turning to crushed blackberry. Full-bodied, with big, chewy tannins and an aftertaste of vanilla, blackberry and espresso. Mouthpuckering. Very concentrated and structured for this wine."**(93pts WS)*
 12 bottles per lot \$500-700

30 Chateau La Confession - Vintage 2005
owc
*"Opaque purple, with a sweet blue and blackberry perfume intertwined with licorice and graphite, the 2005 La Confession exhibits massive concentration and extraction, but this full-bodied wine pulls back from being over-the-top because of intrinsic freshness and admirable purity."**(95pts)*
 12 bottles per lot \$600-800

31 Chateau La Fleur de Gay - Vintage 2005
Pomerol
owc
*"...exhibits pure black raspberry fruit intermixed with truffle and kirsch notes. As the wine sits in the glass, toast and charcoal aromas also emerge. This opulent, medium to full-bodied, exceptionally pure Pomerol boasts laser-like precision and finesse."**(92pts)*
 12 bottles per lot \$1000-1350

32 Chateau La Lagune - Vintage 2000
Haut Medoc
 12 bottles per lot \$600-800

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33 Chateau La Mission Haut Brion - Vintage 2000
Graves
6nl
*"While still tight from bottling, its inky purple color is accompanied by extravagantly sweet aromas of blackberries, blueberries, toast, scorched earth, coffee, asphalt, graphite, and smoke. Super-intense and unctuously-textured, with a sumptuous mid-palate and finish, this is an explosively rich, layered effort that possesses everything I could ever want from a terroir that has given me as much hedonistic and intellectual pleasure as any other wine in the world."**(100pts)*
 6 bottles per lot \$3000-4000

33A 6 bottles per lot \$3000-4000

34 Chateau Haut Brion
- Vintage 2000 *Graves 8scl* (2)
Chateau La Mission Haut Brion
- Vintage 2000 *Graves* (2)
 Above 4 bottles per lot \$2000-2600

35 Chateau La Mission Haut Brion - Vintage 2005
Graves
owc
*"...a blend of 69% Merlot, 30% Cabernet Sauvignon, and a touch of Cabernet Franc. While there is little difference between La Mission and Haut-Brion s terroirs (their vineyards are only separated by a two-lane road), La Mission possesses more fat, texture, and intensity. An enormously endowed wine with huge tannin and structure, the 2005 offers a quintessential Graves bouquet of burning embers, charcoal, blackberries, truffles, black currants, and a meaty character. Reminiscent of the 1989, with more structure as well as a longer window of drinkability, the 2005 may be a modern day, improved version of a vintage such as 1955, which was well-endowed, very tannic, and took a long time to come around."**(97pts)*
 12 bottles per lot \$5000-7000

- 36 Chateau Lafite Rothschild - Vintage 2000**
 Pauillac
 owc
"...has an opaque ruby/purple color, followed by an extraordinary aromatic expression of liquid minerals/stones interwoven with the tell-tale graphite notes, mulberry, black currants, caramel, and tobacco. In the mouth, it is remarkably light on its feet, but somehow seems to pack intense flavors into layer upon layer of fruit and richness that cascade over the palate. A compelling wine, with extraordinary precision, great intensity, and a seamlessness..."(100pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$10000-15000
- 37 Chateau Lafite Rothschild - Vintage 2004**
 Pauillac
 owc
"This beautiful, stunningly dense purple-colored effort offers up precise notes of graphite, black cherries, cassis, scorched earth, and minerals. Medium to full-bodied with fabulous fruit, impressive richness, refreshing acidity, and sweet tannin, this beauty should be approachable in 4-5 years, and last for three decades."(95pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$3500-4800
- 38 Chateau Lafite Rothschild - Vintage 2005**
 Pauillac
 owc
"...boasts a dark ruby/purple color in addition to that exceptional Lafite perfume of graphite, spring flowers, crushed rocks, and sweet black cherry and black currant fruit that exudes class and nobility. The wine is medium-bodied with extremely high levels of tannin in addition to sensational purity, length, and overall harmony."(96+pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$8000-12000
- 39 Chateau Latour - Vintage 1994**
 Pauillac
 hwasl
"It exhibits an opaque dark ruby/purple color, and a backward, intense textbook nose of walnut and cassis scents complemented by smoky pain grille notes that build in the glass. This full-bodied, powerful, layered Latour reveals high tannin, but no bitterness or astringency. The superb purity, fabulous precision, and remarkable length should ensure 35-40 years of longevity."(94pts)
 1 Imperial per lot \$1500-2000
- 40 Chateau Latour - Vintage 1995**
 Pauillac
 owc
"A beauty, the opaque dense purple-colored 1995 exhibits jammy cassis, vanillin, and minerals in its fragrant but still youthful aromatics. Medium to full-bodied, with exceptional purity, superb concentration, and a long, intense, ripe, 40-second finish, this is a magnificent example of Latour."(96pts)
 1 double magnum per lot \$1500-2000
- 41 Chateau Latour - Vintage 2000**
 Pauillac
"A young wine that electrifies every taste bud in your mouth. Compacted aromas of crushed currants and minerals, with roses and lilacs. Full-bodied, with masses of silky, refined tannins and a finish that lasts for minutes. Stunning. Best Latour since 1990."(100pts WS)
 1 magnum per lot \$1500-2000
- 42 Chateau Le Tertre Roteboeuf - Vintage 2005**
 St. Emilion
 owc
"A sensational effort, Tertre Roteboeuf's 2005, along with the 2000, is one of the most profound wines made by Francois Mitjavile. A dense ruby/purple color is followed by a stunning perfume of sweet black currants, jammy cherries, licorice, and spice. Full-bodied and opulent with high, but remarkably sweet, velvety tannins as well as a stunning texture and a finish that lasts nearly a minute, this prodigious St.-Emilion should be drinkable in 3-4 years, and last for two decades or more. Kudos to the proprietor."(98pts)
 6 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 43 Chateau Leoville Barton - Vintage 2000**
 St. Julien
"...should prove to be one of the longest-lived wines of the vintage and one of the most compelling Leoville Bartons ever made."(96pts)
 1 double magnum per lot \$450-550
- 44 Chateau Leoville Las Cases - Vintage 1982**
 St. Julien
 bsl, wasl, sdc
"...this youthful yet profoundly complex wine gets my nod as the finest Leoville-Las-Cases ever made."(100pts)
 1 magnum per lot \$700-900
- 45 Chateau Leoville Poyferre - Vintage 2000**
 St. Julien
 owc
"Wow, this wine has really come on strong. A brilliant effort, it boasts an opaque purple color in addition to a gorgeously sweet nose (make that explosive nose) of blackberries and cr me de cassis intermixed with minerals, smoke, and earth."(95pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$1000-1300
- 46 Chateau Lynch Bages - Vintage 2000**
 Pauillac
 owc
"This is a superstructured wine with loads of plum, blackberry and licorice. Full-bodied, with chewy tannins and a long finish. Gorgeous. Tight. Needs time."(96pts WS)
 12 bottles per lot \$1400-1800

- 47 Chateau Lynch Bages - Vintage 2000**
Pauillac
owc
 10 bottles per lot \$1200-1500
- 48 Chateau Lynch Bages - Vintage 2000**
Pauillac
owc
 6 magnums per lot \$1400-1800
- 49 Chateau Lynch Bages - Vintage 2003**
Pauillac
owc
"Loads of rich, plummy fruit with vanilla undertones follows through to a full-bodied palate, with soft tannins and a long, long finish. Gorgeous."
(92pts WS)
 12 bottles per lot \$600-800

- 54 Chateau Montrose - Vintage 2003**
St. Estephe
*"The enormous 2003 Montrose is built along the lines of the 1989 rather than the 1990. It boasts a dense black/purple color in addition to an extraordinary bouquet of scorched earth, blackberries, and cassis, fabulous purity, a skyscraper-like texture, and substantial tannin in the finish. This superb, huge, ripe wine is one of the vintage s most prodigious offerings."**(97pts)*
 12 bottles per lot \$1800-2400
- 55 Chateau Montrose - Vintage 2003**
St. Estephe
 6 bottles per lot \$900-1200

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- 56 Chateau Montrose - Vintage 2005**
St. Estephe
owc
*"...is an exceptionally tannic, broodingly backward offering displaying a dense ruby/purple color along with a provocative perfume of crushed rocks, flowers, cassis, black raspberries, and blueberries. It continues to add weight and richness, good traits considering the substantial, forbiddingly high tannin levels and zesty acidity. If you are over the age of fifty, this backward, powerful wine will probably be more enjoyable to your descendants."**(95pts)*
 12 bottles per lot \$1200-1500
- 57** 12 bottles per lot \$1200-1500
owc
- 58** 12 bottles per lot \$1200-1500
owc
- 59** 12 bottles per lot \$1200-1500
owc

- 60 Chateau Mouton Rothschild - Vintage 1996**
Pauillac
"Incredible nose of ultraripe fruit, it's yet subtle and complex. Full-bodied, with very ripe, almost sweet fruit and a long, long caressing finish. Superb."
(96pts WS)
 5 bottles per lot \$1250-1600

- 61 Chateau Mouton Rothschild - Vintage 1998**
Pauillac
owc
*"It is an extremely powerful, super-concentrated wine offering notes of roasted espresso, creme de cassis, smoke, new saddle leather, graphite, and licorice. It is massive, with awesome concentration, mouth-searing tannin levels, and a saturated flavor profile that grips the mouth with considerable intensity. This is a 50-year Mouton."**(96pts)*
 12 bottles per lot \$2400-3000

PARCEL LOTS 50-51

- 50 Chateau Lynch Bages - Vintage 2005**
Pauillac
owc
*"Displays very beautiful aromas of crushed blackberry and dark chocolate, with a hint of coffee. Full-bodied, with a tightly wound palate of ripe tannins. Long and caressing."**(93pts WS)*
 12 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 51** 12 bottles per lot \$900-1200
owc
- 52 Chateau Margaux - Vintage 2003**
Margaux
*"A wine of extraordinary complexity and intensity, it reveals a deep purple color, a style not unlike the 1990 Margaux..."**(99pts)*
 1 magnum per lot \$800-1150
- 53 Chateau Monbousquet - Vintage 2005**
St. Emilion
owc
*"A blend of approximately two-thirds Merlot, one-third Cabernet Franc and 8-10% Cabernet Sauvignon, the 2005 exhibits plenty of toasty oak, roasted herb, meat juice, blackberry, cherry, and spice characteristics along with a touch of incense. Full-bodied and opulent, with an atypically rigid structure, this is a remarkable achievement for such a humble terroir."**(95pts)*
 12 bottles per lot \$550-750

- 62 Chateau Mouton Rothschild - Vintage 2003**
Pauillac
owc
"During its sojourn in barrel, it reminded me of a hypothetical blend of the 1982 and 1986 Moutons, but since bottling, it appears different, and even more tannic than those two vintages."(95pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$3000-4000
- 63 Chateau Mouton Rothschild - Vintage 2003**
Pauillac
 1 magnum per lot \$500-650
- 64 Chateau Mouton Rothschild - Vintage 2005**
Pauillac
owc
"...exhibits a restrained but promising nose of cedar, tobacco leaf, creme de cassis, and toasty oak. Full-bodied, tannic, and extremely backward, with the vintage's tell-tale acidity, it appears to be even more closed in the bottle than it was from barrel. It does possess a long finish and multilayered mouthfeel. This is an undeniably outstanding, yet restrained, shy wine for a Mouton Rothschild."(96pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$5000-6500
- 65 Chateau Palmer - Vintage 2005**
Margaux
owc
"...should continue to improve, and may merit an even higher score after additional aging. Stunningly rich and powerful, the dark purple-tinged 2005 Palmer is a blend of 53% Cabernet Sauvignon, 40% Merlot, and 7% Petit Verdot. Aromas of incense, burning embers, black currants, plums, licorice, and flowers are followed by a full-bodied Margaux with more weight and power even than its nearby first-growth rival, Chateau Margaux. The abundant acidity and tannins are beautifully coated by the wine's exceptional fruit extract and overall harmony and richness. It is so concentrated that one is hard pressed to find even a hint of new oak."(97pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$2400-3000
- 66 Chateau Pavie - Vintage 2005**
St. Emilion
owc
"...exhibits a thick-looking purple color to the rim as well as an exquisite perfume of blueberry and blackberry liqueur, unsmoked cigar tobacco, crushed rocks, damp earth, and hints of truffles and incense. The vineyard's limestone soils have provided massive concentration, a laser-like precision, fresh, zesty acidity, and massive tannin. Despite the wine's enormous concentration and intensity, there is a lightness to its style."(98+pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$2400-3200
- 67 Chateau Petrus - Vintage 1995**
Pomerol
3nl
"...this is not a Petrus that can be approached in its youth (i.e., the perfect duo of 1989 and 1990). The wine exhibits an opaque ruby/purple color, followed by a knock-out nose of pain grille, jammy black fruits, and roasted coffee. On the palate, it possesses teeth-staining extract levels, massive body, and rich, sweet black fruits buttressed by powerful, noticeable tannin. A formidably endowed wine with layers of extract, this is a huge, tannic, monstrous-sized Petrus."(96pts)
 4 bottles per lot \$3500-5000
- 68 Chateau Petrus - Vintage 1996**
Pomerol
"...Justin said "still too young to drink give it 5 to 7," and that should be a minimum requirement! Lots of stones with big tannins and a big finish definitely tight on the palate but lots of breed and class...acids linger in the belly and some dried, plummy fruit emerges with good cedar flavors on the finish...the wine does flesh out with time in the glass and holds well, tremendous structure here."(94pts JK)
 1 bottle per lot \$600-800
- 69 Chateau Petrus - Vintage 2000**
Pomerol
owc
"From the bottle, it is a perfect wine. The color is inky plum/purple to the rim and the nose scents of smoke, blackberries, cherries, licorice, and an unmistakable truffle/underbrush element. On the palate, this enormous effort is reminiscent of dry vintage port, with fabulous ripeness, a huge, unctuous texture, enormous body, and a colossal 65-second finish."(100pts)
 6 bottles per lot \$15000-20000
- 70 Chateau Petrus - Vintage 2003**
Pomerol
"Extraordinary nose of berry, chocolate and flowers. Amazing, jaw-dropping quality. Full-bodied, with supersilky, seductive tannins and a finish that lasts for minutes. Out of this world."(98pts WS)
 1 bottle per lot \$1200-1500
- 71 Chateau Pichon Baron - Vintage 1995**
Pauillac
owc
"...possesses an expansive mid-section, superb ripeness, medium body, and high tannin in the impressively long finish. The wine is backward, but the low acidity and high extract should come together to create an outstanding claret."(90pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$600-800

72 Chateau Pichon Lalande - Vintage 2005
Pauillac
owc
"Beautiful currant, berry and licorice aromas follow through to a full body, with tar and berry character, fine tannins and a long finish. I was expecting a little more from this, but it's still outstanding."(93pts WS)
 12 bottles per lot \$1200-1500

PARCEL LOTS 73-75

73 Chateau Rauzan Segla - Vintage 2005
Margaux
owc
"...this blend of 55% Cabernet Sauvignon and the rest primarily Merlot and tiny dollops of Cabernet Franc and Petit Verdot exhibits a gorgeous perfume of spring flowers, subtle mint, black cherries, black currants, licorice, and a hint of new oak. It offers medium to full body, sweet tannins, and a layered mouthfeel that builds incrementally to a sensational finish."(94+pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$900-1250

74 12 bottles per lot \$900-1250
owc

75 12 bottles per lot \$900-1250
owc

PARCEL LOTS 76-78

76 Chateau Smith Haut Lafitte - Vintage 2005
Graves
owc
"The inky/blue/purple-tinged 2005's extraordinary nose reeks of charcoal, incense, scorched earth, abundant blackberry, blueberry, and cherry fruit, toast, and spice. Good acidity, huge but sweet tannin, and fabulous precision as well as definition characterize this full-bodied, super-concentrated effort. It should prove to be among the longest-lived wines yet made by the Cathiards."(95pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$600-800

77 12 bottles per lot \$600-800
owc

78 12 bottles per lot \$600-800
owc



79 Chateau d'Yquem
Sauternes
All beautiful yet varying color and outstanding condition
 - **Vintage 1934** *owc* (1)
 - **Vintage 1935** *owc* (1)
 - **Vintage 1937** *owc* (1)
 - **Vintage 1939** (1)
 - **Vintage 1940** *spc, owc* (1)
 - **Vintage 1942** *owc* (1)
 - **Vintage 1944** *owc* (1)
 - **Vintage 1946** *owc* (1)
 - **Vintage 1949** *rebouche en 1992, owc* (1)
 - **Vintage 1950** *rebouche en 1992, owc* (1)
 - **Vintage 1953** *owc* (1)
 - **Vintage 1954** *owc* (1)
 - **Vintage 1955** *rebouche en 2007, owc* (1)
 - **Vintage 1967** *owc* (1)
 - **Vintage 1975** (1)
 - **Vintage 1981** (1)
 - **Vintage 1982** (1)
 - **Vintage 1986** (1)
 - **Vintage 1988** (1)
 - **Vintage 1990** (1)
 Above 20 bottles per lot \$12000-16000

80 Chateau d'Yquem
Sauternes
 - **Vintage 1998** (2)
 - **Vintage 1999** (4)
 Above 6 bottles per lot \$700-950

81 Chateau d'Yquem - Vintage 2000
Sauternes
2x6 bottle owc's
 12 bottles per lot \$1800-2400

82 Chateau d'Yquem - Vintage 2003
Sauternes
owc
"Subtle and racy, with lemon rind, vanilla cream and dried pineapple. Very spicy and intense. Full-bodied, with great length and flavor. Electrified yet refined, with medium sweetness and a wonderful finish. I love the class of this, and the length. Has afterburners."(98pts WS)
 6 bottles per lot \$1000-1300

83 Charmes Chambertin - Vintage 2005
V. Girardin
"In contrast to several of the prior wines, there was no reduction here but the nose was decidedly backward, tight and almost closed, revealing only grudging notes of earth and iron-infused red berry fruit that complements well the rich, full, sweet and generous flavors that are delicious, complex and concentrated. This won't win any award for elegance but there is plenty of character and punch."(90-3pts BH)
 12 bottles per lot \$700-1000

- 84 Clos Vougeot - Vintage 2001**
Leroy
2tl
"As I'm fond of pointing out, no other producer in Burgundy serves their Clos de Vougeot after their Richebourg and while the 2000 was perhaps the finest I have ever tried chez Leroy, the 2001 may very well be just as good. It doesn't quite have the complexity and refinement of either the Richebourg or the RSV but for raw power, they cannot match this Clos de Vougeot. A great effort."(94pts BH)
5 bottles per lot \$800-1050
- 85 DRC Assortment - Vintage 2000**
banded owc
12 bottles per lot \$8500-11000
- 86 Echezeaux**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
- **Vintage 1996** (2)
- **Vintage 1998** (1)
- **Vintage 2001** *bsl, wasl* (1)
Above 4 bottles per lot \$1100-1500
- 87 Echezeaux - Vintage 1999**
Lucien Le Moine
1tl
4 bottles per lot \$300-400
- 88 Echezeaux - Vintage 2000**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
banded owc
"This was surprisingly forward and expressive for such a young wine in large format. The note from 750ml follows but I would add that the nose is particularly perfumed with terrific spiciness and better overall depth. From 750 ml: Fine quality here with intense crushed black fruits and sexy, perfumed aromas of fresh flowers, Asian spices and earth with focused, rich, relatively powerful flavors that are balanced and harmonious. This is not especially structured and comes across as fine rather than its usual robust character. Delicious and quite long."(91pts BH)
6 bottles per lot \$1400-1800
- 89 Echezeaux - Vintage 2002**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
banded owc
"Sweet, pure and completely classic mostly red pinot fruit aromas are enhanced by subtle nuances of floral notes, damp earth, underbrush and even a hint of game. The big, muscular but utterly refined flavors are superbly intense, reserved and backward supported by remarkably sophisticated tannins and stunning length. This is a very concentrated wine of real breed and impeccable balance that should age for 3 decades, perhaps longer."(93pts BH)
6 bottles per lot \$1800-2400
- 90 La Tache - Vintage 1998**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
"Stunning nose of red and black fruits, oriental spices, tea and leather notes. Intensely sappy flavor with wave after wave of ever changing flavors. The personality here is edgy, cool, confident and pure with the ripe acidity framing the flavors."(95pts BH)
5 bottles per lot \$4000-5500
- 91 La Tache - Vintage 2000**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
numbers are sequential
"Quite deeply colored with the classic La Tche nose of dried rose petals plus a fantastic array of aromas and spices too numerous to even try to describe that lead to fine, detailed and beautifully textured flavors and terrific length remarkably complex and has sneaky finishing intensity. I like this a lot for its superb style, grace and penetrating minerality..."(94pts BH)
4 bottles per lot \$2600-3200
- 92 Richebourg**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
- **Vintage 1996** (1)
- **Vintage 1998** (1)
- **Vintage 2000** (1)
Above 3 bottles per lot \$1200-1500
- 93 Richebourg - Vintage 1998**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
banded owc
"...quite expressive with soy, hoison and black pinot fruits and a multilayered flavor profile of good intensity, detail and exceptional length. Very concentrated with medium sized tannins..."(94pts BH)
6 bottles per lot \$2200-2800
- 94 Richebourg - Vintage 2000**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
banded owc
"Really quite regal but in more of a middle weight than its normal massive, well muscled and structured character. This isn't at the usual level of excellence at the moment but there is so much sap that I believe it will come together."(92pts BH)
6 bottles per lot \$2200-2800
- 95 Romanee Conti - Vintage 1996**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
hbsl, hwasl
"This is backward to the point of being almost inexpressive though with extended airing, subtle aromas of black fruit, hoisin, spice, underbrush, anise and violets frame understated, refined, elegant and classy flavors of incredible breed and fantastic complexity. This will live for decades and it is so young that it hasn't even begun to reveal what it will ultimately be capable of delivering. In short, opening a bottle anytime before 2010 will indeed be egregious infanticide."(96pts BH)
1 bottle per lot \$4500-6000

- 96 Romanee Conti - Vintage 2001**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
 “Silk, velvet and mouth coating sap completely buffer the ripe structure and this RC possesses what all of the great ones do absolutely perfect harmony; this is seamless and there are no edges. It is as it were a perfect sphere with a haunting finish that I could taste hours later. This is destined to be a great wine.”
 (97pts BH)
 1 bottle per lot \$4000-5000
- 97 Romanee St. Vivant - Vintage 1996**
Leroy
 2nl
 “Really exotic and intense, with spicy oak, concentrated blackberry, cassis and earth flavors, this is an exciting, multidimensional ‘96. Ultrafine tannins and racy acidity provide structure for the flavors, which keep pumping on a finish that goes on forever.”(98pts WS)
 2 bottles per lot \$1000-1400
- 98 Romanee St. Vivant - Vintage 1997**
Leroy
 “Leroy’s Roman e-St.-Vivant has seemingly taken on weight, substance, and structure since I tasted it a year ago. Dark plums, spices, mocha, and dried prunes burst from the glass. This medium-to-full-bodied liquid velvet is packed with chewy red and black fruits.”(95pts)
 4 bottles per lot \$1200-1600
- 99 Romanee St. Vivant - Vintage 1998**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
 banded ovc
 “A beautifully spicy nose is finally beginning to open to reveal wonderfully complex and spicy aromatics and fruit that is still 100% primary. The medium full, rich, spicy and intense flavors possess ripe tannins underpinning the considerable structural spine.”
 (91pts BH)
 6 bottles per lot \$1800-2400
- 100 Romanee St. Vivant**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
 - **Vintage 1998** (2)
 - **Vintage 2000** 2vlbsl (2)
 - **Vintage 2001** 1nl (2)
 Above 6 bottles per lot \$2000-2600
- 101 Romanee St. Vivant - Vintage 2002**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
 banded ovc
 “Highly aromatic, indeed almost kaleidoscopic in the sheer breadth of aromas but it’s the spice that is so remarkable. The flavors are quite fine with beautiful detail and a drop dead gorgeous velvety texture that is soft in the middle yet quite firm on the terrifically long finish.”(94pts BH)
 6 bottles per lot \$3200-4200
- 102 Bienvenue Batard Montrachet - Vintage 2002**
Domaine Leflaive
 ovc
 “... (from 44 year old vines, which are the oldest vines of the Domaine) Classic Bienvenues aromas of honeysuckle and white flowers introduce wonderfully rich and concentrated flavors that are wonderfully punchy and the intensity here is incredible. A profound Bienvenues that possesses such impeccable balance that it should age effortlessly.”(93pts BH)
 6 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 103 Bienvenue Batard Montrachet - Vintage 2004**
Ramonet
 “Spicy aromas of lemon and minerals. Dense, pure and spicy on the palate; penetrating rather than fleshy, and very ‘04 in style. Perhaps a bit mute today but there’s power behind the persistent stone and minerals flavors.”(92pts IWC)
 12 bottles per lot \$1400-1800
- 104 Chevalier Montrachet - Vintage 2002**
Domaine Leflaive
 “Gorgeous aromas of minerals, gravel, and spices are found in the big, rich, opulent 2002 Chevalier-Montrachet. Medium-bodied and velvety-textured, this lush, spicy wine coats the palate with layers of toasted minerals, honey, and pears.”(93-96pts)
 5 bottles per lot \$1500-2000
- 105 Montrachet - Vintage 2005**
Amiot Guy
 “...from two tiny parcels of vines on the Chassagne side totaling only .09 ha planted in 1923 that have never been worked by tractor because the slope is so steep and thus the vines are worked only by hand... backdrop of wood toast and vanilla mixes with impressively complex and dense floral aromas that are almost exotic and this exotic character continues onto the big, rich, sweet and vibrant flavor profile that possesses even better depth. This is clearly a serious wine with considerable power and reserve on the opulent and hugely long finish.”(93pts BH)
 6 bottles per lot \$1400-1800
- 106 Chateaufeuf du Pape - Vintage 2003**
Barbe Rac, M. Chapoutier
 2x6 bottle ovc’s
 “...possesses a deep ruby/plum/purple color as well as a big, sweet nose of kirsch liqueur, pepper, garrigue, and spice box. This structured, dense, full-bodied, moderately tannic, long, rich effort should hit its apogee in 3-4 years, and last for two decades.”(95+pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$700-1050

- 107 Chateaufeuf du Pape - Vintage 2003**
Cuvee de la Reine de Bois, Domaine de la Mordoree
 2x6 bottle owc's
 "...is extraordinary. I had wondered if the culling out of a special lot for the La Plume du Peintre would have any impact on the Cuvee de la Reine des Bois, but it has not. This is stunning Chateaufeuf du Pape with an inky ruby/purple color and a sweet nose of blackberries, camphor, licorice, spice box, and violets. The wine is full-bodied, rich and layered, and similar in style to the 2001. It's a beauty, and should drink well for 15 or more years."(96pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$700-950
- 108 Chateaufeuf du Pape - Vintage 2003**
Cuvee Reserve, Domaine de la Vieille Julienne
 2x6 bottle owc's
 "Sadly, the 2003 Chateaufeuf du Pape Reservee (150 cases of a wine that reached 16.5% natural alcohol) is one of the most profound Chateaufeuf du Papes ever produced, but latching onto a few bottles is virtually impossible. A blend of 95% Grenache and 5% Syrah, it is an astonishingly rich wine, offering up notes of black raspberry liqueur intermixed with kirsch, crushed rocks, and white flowers. The wine has superb richness, amazing intensity, yet comes across as relatively light on its feet for a wine of such massive richness and intensity."(100pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 109 Chateaufeuf du Pape - Vintage 2003**
Deux Freres, P. Usseglio
 2x6 bottle owc's
 "Dense purple to the rim, with a huge nose of scorched earth, blackberry and blueberry liqueur, cr me de cassis, roasted meat juices, and a hint of Provençal herbs interwoven with licorice and a touch of balsamic, it is voluptuously textured, with striking body, low acidity, and amazing concentration."(98pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$1400-1800
- 110 Chateaufeuf du Pape - Vintage 2000**
Hommage a Jacques Perrin, Chateau de Beaucastel
 2x6 bottle owc's
 "The 2000 possesses an impenetrable black/purple color as well as a sumptuous bouquet of melted licorice, creosote, new saddle leather, blackberry and cherry fruit as well as roasted meats. Sweet and full-bodied, with great intensity, huge power, and a finish that lasts for 67 seconds by my watch, this is an amazing tour de force in winemaking. Even in a flattering, forward-styled vintage such as 2000, it will need 7-8 years of cellaring."(97pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$2000-2800
- 111 Cote Rotie - Vintage 2003**
La Mordoree, M. Chapoutier
 2x6 bottle owc's
 "The finest Cote Rotie Chapoutier has produced since 1991, the dense purple-hued 2003 Cote Rotie La Mordoree reveals a sumptuous perfume of new saddle leather, barbecued meats, herbs, black raspberries, and creme de cassis. This stunningly concentrated, full-bodied, rich wine takes Cote Rotie to a new quality level. Sadly, there are only 330 cases of this elixir. It can be drunk young or cellared for 15-20+ years."(96+pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$600-800
- 112 Ermitage - Vintage 2003**
Le Meal, M. Chapoutier
 2x6 bottle owc's
 "There are just over 300 cases of the 2003 Ermitage Le Meal, which tips the scales at 16% natural alcohol. Its dense purple color is accompanied by aromas of pen ink, graphite, scorched earth, creme de cassis, and beef blood. Full-bodied with great intensity, amazing freshness as well as length, this monumental Hermitage should hit its prime in 5-7 years, and last for 3-4 decades."(99pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$1200-1600
- 113 Masseto - Vintage 1994**
Tenuta dell' Ornellaia
 2lbsl, 1tl
 "Someone bought a three-liter of '94 Masseto off the list at Barolo, and everyone was much obliged! "Super-concentrated" was observed fat, plummy, rich and smooth with only a shred of the green found in the regular finished with olive, cedar, cocoa and plum."(92pts JK)
 8 bottles per lot \$800-1000
- 114 Masseto - Vintage 1995**
Tenuta dell' Ornellaia
 "A superb single-vineyard Merlot from a high-quality Tuscan producer; the 1995 Masseto vino da tavola exhibits a saturated dark ruby/purple color; in addition to a sweet nose of jammy black cherries, chocolate, and smoky new oak. The vintage's high tannin level is present, but it is complemented by admirable concentration, glycerin, and spice."(91pts)
 3 bottles per lot \$650-850
- 115 Masseto - Vintage 1997**
Tenuta dell' Ornellaia
 owc
 "A big and powerful Tuscan Merlot, with loads of fruit and good concentration. Dark ruby color, with intense aromas of blackberries, spices and dried herbs. Full-bodied, with big velvety tannins and a long, long finish. Greatest Masseto ever made."(96pts WS)
 6 bottles per lot \$2200-2800
- 116 Masseto - Vintage 2000**
Tenuta dell' Ornellaia
 owc
 "The all-Merlot 2000 Masseto, warm, spicy, and very ripe in aroma, is broad and enveloping on the palate, lush, silky, and, again, rather ready, though the force and length on the finish suggest that there are easily a dozen years of life ahead of it."(92pts)
 1 magnum per lot \$400-550
- 117 Masseto - Vintage 2004**
Tenuta dell' Ornellaia
 "Shows wonderful aromas of flowers and berries, with hints of vanilla and Indian spices. Full-bodied and powerful, with layers of chewy tannins and a long, flawless finish. Compact and dense, yet racy and refined..."(98pts WS)
 5 bottles per lot \$1250-1600

118 Masseto - Vintage 2005
Tenuta dell' Ornellaia
"Smells like chocolate mousse, with crushed raspberry and hints of flowers. Full-bodied, with chewy tannins and a rich, fruity finish. This is powerful and structured Merlot, with layers and layers of everything. Needs time to come around."(96pts WS)
 3 bottles per lot \$900-1200

125 Dominus - Vintage 1997
2x6 bottle ovc's
"...tips the scales at 14% alcohol, it is well-hidden by the wine's sweet, rich, concentrated style. The wine's deep ruby/garnet color is accompanied by beautiful aromatics of licorice, Asian spices, black cherries, and cassis. An elegant, complex, medium to full-bodied wine, it has a long, silky-textured finish."(94pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$1100-1400

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119 Ornellaia - Vintage 1998
Tenuta dell' Ornellaia
2x6 bottle ovc's
"A cool and sleek Tuscan red, with tarragon and fresh sage aromas, blackberry and cherry undertones. Full-bodied, with a wonderfully silky palate of fine tannins and a long, fruity finish. Very sophisticated and reserved."(96pts, Wine of the Year, WS)
 12 bottles per lot \$1400-1800

120 12 bottles per lot \$1400-1800
ovc

121 Ornellaia - Vintage 1999
Tenuta dell' Ornellaia
2x6 bottle ovc's
"Wow. Currants, berries, cherries and minerals, but all subtlety. Full- to medium-bodied, with silky tannins and a long finish. Complex wine."(94pts WS)
 12 bottles per lot \$750-950

122 Ornellaia - Vintage 2004
Tenuta dell' Ornellaia
2x6 bottle ovc's
"Dark ruby-purple in color, with complex aromas of dark chocolate, cola, vanilla, cedar and currant. Full-bodied yet ultrarefined, with dense, seamless, caressing tannins. Everything is in the right proportion. Superb. Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Cabernet Franc and Petit Verdot."(97pts WS)
 12 bottles per lot \$1200-1500

123 Ornellaia
Tenuta dell' Ornellaia
 - **Vintage 2004** *ovc* (6)
 - **Vintage 2005** (6)
 Above 12 bottles per lot \$1200-1500

124 Sassicaia
Tenuta San Guido
 - **Vintage 1999** *ovc* (6)
 - **Vintage 2003** (6)
 Above 12 bottles per lot \$1200-1600

126 Dominus - Vintage 1997
 3 bottles per lot \$260-350

127 Dominus - Vintage 1999
2x6 bottle ovc's
"A wine of great intensity, depth and complexity. Beautifully crafted, ripe, rich and creamy, showing off pretty vanilla and mocha-scented oak before a deep core of currant, blackberry, black cherry and mineral flavors fold in. Firm tannins add structure on the finish."(95pts WS)
 12 bottles per lot \$700-1000

128 Dominus - Vintage 2001
2x6 bottle ovc's
"The impeccably made 2001 Dominus boasts a dense plum/purple color in addition to a fragrant, promising perfume of cocoa, cedar, coffee, roasted herbs, and copious quantities of black fruits..."(95pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$1000-1500

129 Harlan Estate Red - Vintage 1992
"Offers a dense purple color, and a splendid sweet nose of minerals, blackcurrants, toast, and spice. Opulent and rich, with full body, and well-integrated sweet tannin, this expansive yet graceful wine possesses layers of flavor that caress the palate."(96pts)
 3 bottles per lot \$1350-1800

130 Harlan Estate Red - Vintage 1993
"Great t 'n a in the nose that is chock full of minerals a core of perfect cassis fruit and chocolate develops into slate, flint, gunpowder, charcoal and light pepper nuances excellent finish that is sleek in its enormity."(96pts JK)
 4 bottles per lot \$1400-1800

131 Harlan Estate Red
 - **Vintage 1991** (1)
 - **Vintage 1994** (1)
 Above 2 bottles per lot \$1300-1800

132 Harlan Estate Red
 - **Vintage 1992** magnum (1)
 - **Vintage 1993** magnum (1)
 - **Vintage 1994** magnum (1)
 Above 3 magnums per lot \$4000-5000

- 133 Harlan Estate Red - Vintage 1995**
"This opaque purple-colored Cabernet offers up a nose of smoke, coffee beans, black and blue fruits, minerals, and roasted herbs. It is extremely full-bodied, with spectacular purity, exquisite equilibrium, and a seamless personality with everything in total harmony."(99pts)
 4 bottles per lot \$2200-2800
- 134 Harlan Estate Red - Vintage 1996**
"The opaque purple-colored 1996 Harlan Estate reveals extraordinary intensity, a spicy, black currant, tobacco, cedar, and fruit cake-scented bouquet, full body, a texture oozing with glycerin and concentrated fruit, and moderate tannin in the blockbuster finish. It is one of the most concentrated and complete red wines one could hope to taste."(98pts)
 3 bottles per lot \$1200-1500
- 135 Harlan Estate Red - Vintage 1996**
 3 magnums per lot \$3000-4500
- 136 Harlan Estate Red - Vintage 1997**
"The 1997 Harlan Estate is one of the greatest Cabernet Sauvignon-based wines I have ever tasted. A blend of 80% Cabernet Sauvignon, with the rest Merlot and Cabernet Franc, this enormously-endowed, profoundly rich wine must be tasted to be believed. Opaque purple-colored, it boasts spectacular, soaring aromatics of vanilla, minerals, coffee, blackberries, licorice, and cassis. In the mouth, layer after layer unfold powerfully yet gently. Acidity, tannin, and alcohol are well-balanced by the wine's unreal richness and singular personality. The finish exceeds one minute."(100pts)
 6 bottles per lot \$5000-7000
- 137 Harlan Estate Red - Vintage 1997**
 1 magnum per lot \$2000-2600
- 138 Harlan Estate Red - Vintage 1998**
"...one of the three or four most riveting wines of this irregular vintage it possesses a degree of sweetness, richness, and intensity not found in most 1998s. The color is opaque black/purple/plum. The bouquet offers scents of ripe blackberries, cedar, licorice, and smoke. Medium to full-bodied, with sweet tannin, low acidity, and stunning ripeness and length..."(95pts)
 Above 2 bottles and 1 magnum per lot \$1100-1450
- 139 Harlan Estate Red - Vintage 1999**
"Aromatic nose - a little more floral with a pinch of cola and the classic cassis and cedar a blackberry spike and a splash of fresh paint lots of minerals chunky coffee and chocolate on the palate great balance of fruit and finish picture perfect!"(96pts JK)
 4 bottles per lot \$1200-1600
- 140 Harlan Estate Red - Vintage 1999**
 2 magnums per lot \$1600-2000
- 141 Harlan Estate Red - Vintage 2000**
"A tremendous wine. Dense, tight and chewy, with firm, mouthcoating tannins wrapped around a core of mocha-laced currant and blackberry. Well-focused, precisely balanced and full of concentrated flavors. A great cellar candidate."(94pts WS)
 6 bottles per lot \$1500-2000
- 142 Harlan Estate Red - Vintage 2000** magnum (1)
- Vintage 2001 magnum (1)
- Vintage 2002 magnum (1)
 Above 3 magnums per lot \$3000-4000
- 143 Harlan Estate Red - Vintage 2001**
"...the 2001 Harlan Estate is a perfect wine... An inky/purple color is accompanied by a stupendous bouquet of lead pencil shavings interwoven with coffee, new saddle leather, melted licorice, cedar wood, black currant liqueur, and violets. Explosive richness, a marvelous, full-bodied texture, and fabulous purity, concentration, complexity, and nobleness are the stuff of legends."(100pts)
 1 magnum per lot \$1200-1600
- 144 Joseph Phelps Winery - Vintage 1994**
Insignia
"...is spectacular. I have had the wine a half-dozen or more times, and it is unquestionably opulent, sexy, flamboyant, explosively rich, concentrated, and a thrill to drink. Already gorgeous, it promises to evolve gracefully for two decades or more. The color is a healthy saturated dark purple. The spicy nose offers aromas of black currants, allspice, pain grille, and soy, with scents of a burning wood fire thrown in for additional complexity."(96pts)
 9 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 145 Joseph Phelps Winery - Vintage 2005**
Insignia
"The beautiful, dense ruby/purple-tinged 2005 Insignia (a 12,500-case blend of 92% Cabernet Sauvignon, 7% Petit Verdot, and 1% Malbec) possesses sweet aromas of black cherries, cassis, chocolate, camphor, and a subtle hint of roasted herbs. Medium to full-bodied and elegant, with a European style imposed on the rich, velvety, California fruit, this cuvee will benefit from several years of bottle age, and should easily keep for three decades."(95pts)
 6 bottles per lot \$600-800
- 146 Screaming Eagle Cabernet Sauvignon - Vintage 2001**
 4x3 bottle owc's
"It boasts an opaque purple color along with gorgeously pure, intense aromas of cr me de cassis, subtle smoke, and the ever-present licorice. Opulent, full-bodied, and extraordinarily rich, yet somehow remaining light on its feet, this Cuv e always stands out for its glorious purity and fragrance."(98pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$16000-20000

**ROUMIER, ROMANEE CONTI AND
CHAMPAGNE OF AN ENTHUSIASTIC AND
KNOWLEDGEABLE GENTLEMAN**

This collector has made tasting and traveling for wine part of his daily modus operandi, and he has become quite connected accordingly, building a beautiful collection over the past few years to include some of the world's finest wines. Burgundy is his true passion, and he has decided to offer wines from a couple of its finest producers to keep up with his never-ending purchasing habits! All wines removed from temperature-controlled storage conditions.

147 Bonnes Mares - Vintage 1988

G. Roumier

3wrl

"Pungent cat's pee thing, aromatically exquisite balance and length great pungency the cat stays in the bag but blends into the alcohol aromas and flavors very spicy and tight, but where's the fruit? There was some bottle variation here, as the second bottle proved to be more ripe and open with more fleshy cherry and rose, less tannins, but more acids. To be honest, I preferred the stinky bottle by a...er, nose. A vintage to keep your palate on..."(93pts JK)

3 bottles per lot \$1200-1500

148 Bonnes Mares - Vintage 1989

G. Roumier

2wrl, different importers

"Big and complex, with masses of fruit and tannins and a long, almost tough finish. A traditional, big wine that is drinkable now. 550 cases made." (93pts WS)

2 bottles per lot \$800-1000

149 Bonnes Mares - Vintage 1991

G. Roumier

"...completely intact if definitely reserved and brooding with only hints of earthy, and highly complex, dark pinot fruit aromas. The big but detailed flavors are somewhat austere but the underlying depth of the medium full flavors plus the sheer length suggest that this will mature into a terrific wine." (91pts BH)

2 bottles per lot \$900-1200

150 Bonnes Mares - Vintage 1993

G. Roumier

3wrl

"The 1993 Roumier Bonnes-Mares was a gorgeous example of 1993 but also actually rich in fruit, even more so than the bottle I had four days prior at CRU with Allen at a Roumier dinner (who's in charge of scheduling??? Oops, that's me). The nose was full of rich, red, vitaminy fruit; make that a symphony of red, purple and black fruits. Vibrant, fresh and long, its nose was incredible and had secondary earth aromas. The palate was so 1993 with its wave of t'n a, cedar, leather and earth. It was still a baby, but what a baby, oh, baby...I better stop."(96pts JK)

3 bottles per lot \$2200-3000

151 Bonnes Mares - Vintage 1994

G. Roumier

1 magnum

per lot \$600-800

152 Bonnes Mares - Vintage 1995

G. Roumier

"This was clearly infanticide as the ripe and very densely fruited dark berry fruit nose and robust, powerful, muscled and concentrated flavors are still tight, backward and reserved though the initial signs of what is to come are now in evidence. There is massive density and incredible sap and while there are prominent tannins, they are ripe and seem relatively well integrated."(96pts BH)

3 bottles per lot \$1200-1500

153 Bonnes Mares - Vintage 1996

G. Roumier

"...this has finally begun to open on the spicy, pure, airy and elegant nose while displaying really lovely aromatic complexity that continues on the relatively round sappy and sweet flavors that unlike many '96s, possesses excellent acid/fruit/tannin balance on the gorgeously persistent finish. While one can discern some initial development, this is still a baby and will definitely be a long-distance runner..."(94pts BH)

3 bottles per lot \$1200-1800

154 Bonnes Mares - Vintage 1999

G. Roumier

"1999 was a concentrated vintage with big yields. A more intriguing nose - deeper and darker more black fruits, with still some red in there with a reduction sauce quality truffles, earth, stone, nut and spice round out the initial aromas a very balanced and beautiful nose - full yet soft, stylish, and long nose gets better and better as well! Coiled and wound on the palate ('doesn't want to show you anything,' observed Brian) with a touch of stems on the finish amongst its noticeable tannins - will be an incredible wine!..."(95+pts JK)

3 bottles per lot \$1500-2000

155 Chambolle Musigny

Les Amoureuses, G. Roumier

- Vintage 1991 (1)

- Vintage 1992 wrl (1)

Above 2 bottles per lot \$550-700

156 Chambolle Musigny - Vintage 1993

Les Amoureuses, G. Roumier

2wrl

"The 1993 G. Roumier Chambolle-Musigny 'Les Amoureuses' had violet, nut, light caramel and some earth in its reticent nose. The palate was long, smooth and satiny, earthy, rusty and dusty with traces of game. It was very fine and long, and its density was superior. Pure and sexy, it was a 'wow' wine on the palate."(95pts JK)

2 bottles per lot \$1200-1600

157 Chambolle Musigny - Vintage 1995
Les Amoureuses, G. Roumier
"Initial hints of tar and smoke give way to elegantly complex, massively dense fruit and flavors and awesome length. The concentration of sweet extract and mouth coating richness are incredible but the sheer length of this is hard to believe. A picture perfect example of power without weight. This has only just begun to reveal its potential and should age beautifully for a very long time to come. Superb juice."(95pts BH)
3 bottles per lot \$1050-1350

158 Chambolle Musigny - Vintage 1996
Les Amoureuses, G. Roumier
"...absolute ink with lush, sexy, spicy violets and black fruits with velvet wrapped tannins and stunning depth. It is quite structured but the structure and power are hidden beneath all the pinot extract. This is seamless from start to finish and a brilliant Amoureuses."(93pts BH)
3 bottles per lot \$1200-1400

159 Chambolle Musigny - Vintage 1999
Les Amoureuses, G. Roumier
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3 bottles per lot \$1400-1800

160 La Tache - Vintage 2006
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
1tl
"The positively gorgeous if presently reserved nose offers up the hallmark spice and floral components that are broad and deep though requiring some real glasswork to coax out but it's worth the effort as the nose here, restrained or not, is brilliant. The big and generous flavors are an exercise in contrasts as they are at once round and rich while remaining wonderfully defined and precise with more minerality coming to the fore than any of the prior wines displayed, all wrapped in a linear, precise and palate staining finish that not withstanding the initial aromatic reserve, is indeed explosive."(96pts BH)
3 bottles per lot \$3000-4000

161 Musigny - Vintage 1995
G. Roumier
"This too is quite floral on the ripe black fruit nose that is nuanced by unbelievably complex spice notes of anise, clove, leather and tea. The big, powerful and sleekly muscled flavors are beautifully concentrated and this is currently a bruiser of a Musigny with its robust but not inelegant tannins seamlessly merging into a hugely long and palate staining finish. This is one of those wines that has real presence and that extra dimension of true greatness that will age for decades."(97pts BH)
2 bottles per lot \$3000-4000

162 Musigny - Vintage 2000
G. Roumier
"Quite floral and plummy with round, rich, velvety, extremely ripe flavors and tannins that are completely coated in sap. This finishes with tremendous length and intensity. Quite structured but the sap tends to bury it. Extremely impressive..."(93pts BH)
2 bottles per lot \$1200-1600

163 Musigny - Vintage 2006
G. Roumier
"An exceptionally fresh and intensely floral and spicy black fruit aromas that are both ripe and strikingly elegant while complementing to perfection the extremely rich, full, sweet and serious yet seductive full-bodied flavors that also brim with dry extract, all wrapped in a deep, intense, long and seamlessly long finish that just seems to go on and on. This is simply at another level compared to all of the prior wines and is definitely one of those "wow" wines."(94pts BH)
2 bottles per lot \$2600-3500

164 Musigny - Vintage 2006
J.F. Mugnier
"A gorgeously elegant and kaleidoscopic nose of high-toned red and black berry fruit aromas liberally laced with natural spices that offer impressive nuance and notable complexity introduces supple, finely detailed and beautifully textured flavors wrapped in a dusty, mineral-infused finish. This dances on the palate yet it is forceful with excellent finishing drive and intensity on the explosive and hugely long finale. This is one of those 'wow' wines. Don't miss it."(93-96pts BH)
4 bottles per lot \$1600-2200

165 Romanee Conti - Vintage 2006
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
"Here too is a very reserved yet ultra classy and refined, indeed even ethereal nose that is quite simply kaleidoscopic in its breadth, combining red, blue and black fruits with spice, earth, minerality and a hint of underbrush that stands aside for the perfectly balanced, pure and stylish medium full flavors that are very firmly but not aggressively structured while delivering flat out unbelievable length yet all the while remaining completely understated in personality. As are all the very best vintages of RC, this is spherical with nothing out of place and this will age effortlessly for decades. The La Tache is truly spectacular but there is simply another dimension of depth present here. A wine of sheer class and the epitome of the phrase 'power without weight'."(97pts BH)
1 bottle per lot \$3500-4500

- 166 Romanee St. Vivant - Vintage 2006**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
"This is more elegant still but equally restrained as the almost discreet nose runs toward the plum and blue berry side of the fruit spectrum. The floral-infused, structured and very serious flavors culminate in a youthfully austere finish offering huge depth and length with both precision and linearity though there is a trace of dryness to the underlying tannins, which presently compromises the balance just enough where this is not quite at the same level as the very best in the range"(93pts BH)
 3 bottles per lot \$2200-3000
- 167 Montrachet - Vintage 1990**
Ramonet
nl, wc
"We started with a 1990 Ramonet Montrachet out of magnum. The 1990 had an amazing nose full of vigor; it was classic Ramonet all the way. The nose was full of butter, cream and sweet corn combined with the perfect toast, and a perfect minerality. It was sexxy juice. The palate was rich, long and fabulous and also smooth, tasty and classic. If anything negative could be said about the wine, it would be that it was more ready to drink than I would have thought out of magnum. Brian liked the 1990 and found it 'crisp and clean, as it should be'."
(96+pts JK)
 1 bottle per lot \$1000-1300
- 168 Bollinger Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1998**
Vieilles Vignes, Francais
2x1 bottle ovc's
"Enormously rich and overwhelmingly charming. The fruit bomb detonates with colourful elements of liquorice, smoke, chocolate and wood. Impressive!"(94pts RJ)
 2 bottles per lot \$600-800
- 169 Dom Perignon Vintage Champagne**
Rose
 - **Vintage 1982** *torn foil* magnum(1)
 - **Vintage 1985** *ocb* magnum(1)
 Above 2 magnums per lot \$1600-2200
- 170 Dom Perignon Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1995**
Rose
(94pts RJ)
 3 magnums per lot \$1500-2000
- 171 Krug Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1995**
Clos d'Ambonnay
4x1 bottle ocb's
"The nose begins savoury providing complex earthy / meaty aromas with a touch of truffles and smoked game, complimented by pronounced autolytic influence and giving way to classic notes of toasted hazelnuts, honeycomb and strawberry shortcake. The intense, concentrated palate issues a razor sharp backbone of acid and an incredibly long, layered finish of praline and minerals, making for a vibrant powerhouse now and promising further balance and complex evolution in years to come."(98pts)
 4 bottles per lot \$10000-13000

ROUSSEAU AND ROMANEE CONTI OF A EUROPEAN GENTLEMAN

Exit Roumier, enter Rousseau. That's a fair trade. DRC, you're not going anywhere! A beautiful selection of one of Burgundy's elite courtesies of a new European ambassador. All wines ideally transported here to America.

- 172 Chateau Beausejour Duffau - Vintage 1990**
St. Emilion
lvls
"The wine is fabulously concentrated, with outstanding purity, and a nearly unprecedented combination of richness, complexity, and overall balance and harmony."(100pts)
 2 bottles per lot \$1200-1500
- 173 Chambertin - Vintage 2002**
A. Rousseau
"Deep red and dark berry liqueur aromas are strongly marked by toasty vanillin oak and Asian spices. The palate offers brighter red berry flavors, with energetic mineral and floral pastille notes and youthfully assertive oak spices sweetening the back end. With time in the glass the wine's oakiness dissipated and powerful, impressively concentrated raspberry and cassis flavors came to the fore."
(95pts IWC)
 2 bottles per lot \$800-1000
- 174 Chambertin - Vintage 2004**
A. Rousseau
"The medium full flavors are reserved, tight, precise and very pure with extraordinarily good punch and precision, all wrapped in a firm, dusty and linear finish. I particularly like the mouth coating quality of the flavors as there is ample dry extract here, which serves to perfectly buffer the firmly tannic spine."(93pts BH)
 3 bottles per lot \$500-700
- 175 Chambertin - Vintage 2005**
A. Rousseau
"...rich, full and driving finish that possesses an exuberant underlying sense of energy, all wrapped in a core of rock solid but ripe and balanced tannins. Like the potential of the Beze, this too has a chance to ascend as one of the top vintages ever typified by such years as '34, '49, '52, '62, '66 and '91. Arguably the Chambertin of the vintage."(99pts BH)
 3 bottles per lot \$2200-3000

- 176 Chambertin - Vintage 1996**
Clos de Beze, A. Rousseau
 2lbsl, 2lstl
"Intoxicating aromas of raspberry, smoked meat, underbrush and oak char, plus an almost exotic sweetness. Sweet, pure fruit began a bit reticent but exploded with aeration to show great thrust and pinot tang. Despite its substantial volume, this wine's fresh berry flavors are sharply delineated. Sweetly oaky in the mouth and on the suavely tannic, very long finish. Finishing note of cinnamon."(94pts IWC)
 2 bottles per lot \$800-1000
- 177 Chambertin - Vintage 2002**
Clos de Beze, A. Rousseau
"Black raspberry, licorice and chocolatey oak on the nose. Offers compelling lushness, sweetness and fat for a 2002; wonderfully harmonious from the outset. Very suave, clearly defined flavors of blackberry and blueberry retain their shape through to the very long aftertaste. Tannins are quite fine."(94+pts IWC)
 2 bottles per lot \$700-900
- 178 Chambertin - Vintage 2003**
Clos de Beze, A. Rousseau
"Loads of spices are intermingled with blackberries and black cherries in the wonderful aromatics of the 2003 Chambertin-Clos de Beze. A bold, ample, medium to full-bodied wine, it expands on the palate, revealing great breadth and richness. Hugely spicy, this candied blackberry-dominated effort sports a persistent finish crammed with solid tannin."(93pts)
 3 bottles per lot \$750-1000
- 179 Chambertin - Vintage 2004**
Clos de Beze, A. Rousseau
"A densely fruited and superbly complex nose of spice, earth, ripe red fruit aromas, leather and underbrush leads to rich, supple, elegant and pure flavors where the structure arrives all at once on the seriously long finish."(93pts BH)
 3 bottles per lot \$500-750
- 180 Chambertin - Vintage 2005**
Clos de Beze, A. Rousseau
"A positively kaleidoscopic nose features a wonderful panoply of spice and fruit aromas that offer something new and different with every sniff. The rich, full and utterly classic flavors are a study of the harmonious liaison of refinement and power that culminate in an explosive and driving finish that is even longer than that of the Clos St. Jacques yet it sacrifices nothing in terms of balance, harmony or transparency. A strikingly good wine packed with upside potential."(98pts BH)
 3 bottles per lot \$2000-2800
- 181 Charmes Chambertin**
A. Rousseau
 - **Vintage 2003** (3)
 - **Vintage 2004** (3)
 - **Vintage 2005** (3)
 Above 9 bottles per lot \$750-1000
- 182 Clos de la Roche**
A. Rousseau
 - **Vintage 2002** (6)
 - **Vintage 2003** (3)
 - **Vintage 2004** (6)
 Above 15 bottles per lot \$950-1250
- 183 Clos de la Roche - Vintage 2005**
A. Rousseau
"A more elegant and slightly more complex nose of red berry and blue fruit aromas nuanced with an array of subtle hints of game, spice, earth and underbrush leads to rich, intense and even more detailed flavors that culminate in a linear and driving finish that offers impressive punch and energy. Like the Mazis, there is a sleek muscularity here and a real sense of underlying tension on the explosive finish."(91-3pts BH)
 6 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 184 Echezeaux - Vintage 2006**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
"I very much like the overall sense of balance and about the only nit is a trace of backend warmth."(92pts BH)
 2 bottles per lot \$600-800
- 185 Gevrey Chambertin**
Clos St. Jacques, A. Rousseau
 - **Vintage 2002** (2)
 - **Vintage 2003** (2)
 - **Vintage 2004** (2)
 Above 6 bottles per lot \$750-1000
- 186 Gevrey Chambertin - Vintage 2005**
Clos St. Jacques, A. Rousseau
"Pure, sweet, fresh black cherry fruit, marrowy and enveloping carnal richness, mysteriously enticing florality, low-toned, chalky minerality and accents of black tea and star anise are featured in this remarkably seamless wine. Meat, minerals and mystery dominate a finish that is profoundly layered yet preserves sheer palate-cleansing refreshment and positively vibrates with vividly fresh fruit intensity..."(94-96pts)
 6 bottles per lot \$1500-2000
- 187 Gevrey Chambertin - Vintage 2005**
Clos St. Jacques, A. Rousseau
 1 magnum per lot \$600-800
- 188 Grands Echezeaux**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
 - **Vintage 2005** (1)
 - **Vintage 2006** (2)
 Above 3 bottles per lot \$1500-2000
- 189 La Tache - Vintage 2005**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
"In sum, this is a huge but utterly classy and stylish wine that will undoubtedly go down as one of the all time great LT's."(99pts BH)
 1 bottle per lot \$2400-3200

- 190 La Tache - Vintage 2006**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
"The big and generous flavors are an exercise in contrasts as they are at once round and rich while remaining wonderfully defined and precise with more minerality coming to the fore than any of the prior wines displayed, all wrapped in a linear, precise and palate staining finish that not withstanding the initial aromatic reserve, is indeed explosive."(96pts BH)
 2 bottles per lot \$2000-2600
- 191 Musigny - Vintage 1971**
Domaine Ponnelle
2vblsl, 2lsl, 1sdc, excellent color and condition
 3 bottles per lot \$1200-1500
- 192 Richebourg - Vintage 2005**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
"...swirling coaxes superbly elegant and pure aromas that are wonderfully broad and include red, black, blue and violet aromas as well as seemingly a full cupboard of Asian spices that complement to perfection the extremely rich, full and sweet flavors that are quite floral in the mouth, all wrapped in a detailed and punchy finish where the tannic spine is completely buried. While it sounds moderately odd to describe it this way, there is a swagger to the '05 Riche and this will clearly be one very long distance runner..."(97pts BH)
 1 bottle per lot \$1200-1600
- 193 Richebourg - Vintage 2006**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
"...inherent tendency for there to be a certain robustness in Richebourg to create a harmonious whole. Now that the wine is in bottle, it struck me as a block of stone from which only the vaguest outlines of the final form of the statue have yet to emerge. Superb potential."(95pts BH)
 2 bottles per lot \$1600-2000
- 194 Romanee Conti - Vintage 2006**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
"As are all the very best vintages of RC, this is spherical with nothing out of place and this will age effortlessly for decades."(97pts BH)
 1 bottle per lot \$3500-4500
- 195 Romanee St. Vivant - Vintage 2006**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
"This is more elegant still but equally restrained as the almost discreet nose runs toward the plum and blue berry side of the fruit spectrum."(93pts BH)
 2 bottles per lot \$1500-2000
- 196 Ruchottes Chambertin - Vintage 2005**
Clos des Ruchottes, A. Rousseau
"A more deeply pitched and very cool nose offers up very ripe dark berry fruit, truffles, spice hints and a touch of the sauvage, the latter of which can also be found on the rich, full and sweet medium weight plus flavors that deliver fine punch and precision on the delineated and exceptionally pure mineral infused finish. While always a fine wine in the Rousseau stable, 2005 is one of the best vintages that I have seen and it will age well."(94pts BH)
 3 bottles per lot \$900-1200

**1999, 2001 AND 2005 ROMANEE CONTI
 OF A MID-ATLANTIC MAN**

This longstanding collector is no stranger to Burgundy, and he has decided to let some of his young DRC's go since he drinks older as he gets older. A great opportunity to get more of the world's most collectible wine, including the increasingly rare 1999 La Tache. All wines removed from his temperature-controlled cellar.

- 197 Echezeaux - Vintage 1999**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
2 bottles different importer
"Explosive fruit of blackberries, vanilla and oriental spice with extremely ripe, relatively supple black fruit, round, sexy flavors underpinned by good structure, ripe tannins and fine acid/fruit balance. This is still very tight but there is good vigor, indeed even force behind this wine. One of the better DRC Echezeaux in a long time, in fact as good as the terrific '88 though stylistically different."(92pts BH)
 6 bottles per lot \$2200-2800
- 198 Grands Echezeaux - Vintage 1999**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
2 bottles different importer
"I have now tasted the '99 GE some 6 times since my original review in Issue 5 and it continues to improve, indeed to the point that I have raised my score modestly. There is still a touch of new oak framing the penetrating red and blackberry fruits, vanilla and oriental spice aromas and it continues onto the beautifully detailed and quite robust flavors that deliver excellent precision. This is a big wine with richness, superb length and impressive refinement and it's clear that this will live for decades. In sum, this is very classy juice."(94pts BH)
 6 bottles per lot \$3200-4200
- 199 Grands Echezeaux**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
- Vintage 1999 (1)
- Vintage 2005 (1)
 Above 2 bottles per lot \$1300-1700

PARCEL LOTS 200-201

- 200 La Tache - Vintage 1999**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
3 bottles different sequence numbers
"The 1999 La Tache was/is no slouch, either. Pure game, Pat admired. The LT had a spectacular nose as well. The wine seemed more mature with its gamy notes and animal fat, but it was actually more spiny and full of enough brick to make a very very fine house. Great appeared over and over in my notes. It was qualitatively equal to the RC yet LT all the way."(99pts JK)
 6 bottles per lot \$12000-16000
- 201** 6 bottles per lot \$12000-16000

PARCEL LOTS 202-204

202 La Tache - Vintage 2001
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
"Strikingly extravagant nose of rose petals, oriental spices, pungent tea and leather notes plus ultra elegant pinot fruit. The powerful, chiseled, pure flavors are remarkably detailed, precise and fine with mind bending complexity yet for all the emotional drama of this wine, it remains understated and almost aloof at the moment. The finish is dense, structured and quite firm though there is nary a hard edge to be found In short, aristocratic in every sense."
(96pts BH)
 3 bottles per lot \$3000-4000

203 3 bottles per lot \$3000-4000

204 3 bottles per lot \$3000-4000
different sequence numbers

205 La Tache - Vintage 2005
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
"...the '05 LT is almost a combination of the RSV's class, grace and sensuality and the Riche's power, taut muscularity and huge length as the overall palate impact is equivalent to a vinous bomb exploding on the cuts-like-a-knife finish that can be measured in minutes not seconds."
(99pts BH)
 2 bottles per lot \$5000-6500

206 Richebourg - Vintage 1999
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
1 bottle different importer
"Practically black with a supersaturated multidimensional nose of black cherries, spice and trace of new oak. Bigger and larger scaled than the RSV and much more linear and direct, it is the richest, most robust wine in this lineup with decidedly muscular tannins. The flavor profile is somewhat austere yet the length is phenomenal and this could be the longest lived wine among these in '99. This has as much potential as any DRC Richebourg I've ever had."
(95pts BH)
 6 bottles per lot \$6000-8000

207 Richebourg - Vintage 1999
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
 2 bottles per lot \$2000-2600

208 Richebourg - Vintage 2001
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
2vlbsl, 2nl
"...this is aromatically austere though with coaxing, reveals wonderfully complex aromas of a simply incredible array of black fruits, earth, spice, crushed herbs and notes of chocolate with flavors that are supple I particularly like the stupendously long and incredibly intense finish that offers a surprising sensation of almost pungent minerality."
(94pts BH)
 2 bottles per lot \$1000-1400

209 Romanee St. Vivant - Vintage 1999
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
3 bottles different importer
"Remarkably dense aromas of classic Vosne spice and crushed blackberries, full-bodied, very sappy flavors with a terrific inner core of complexity and still more spice. The purity of extract displayed here is mind bending and the overall harmony of expression is something to see."
(94pts BH)
 6 bottles per lot \$3800-4800

210 Romanee St. Vivant
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
- Vintage 1999 (1)
- Vintage 2005 (1)
 Above 2 bottles per lot \$1600-2000



**ORIGINAL WOODEN CASES OF YOUNG DRC
IN PERFECT CONDITION**

You can never get enough of a good thing, especially when it comes to Romanee Conti and a selection of banded OWC's in mint condition. All wines properly stored.

- 211 DRC Assortment - Vintage 1998**
banded owc
12 bottles per lot \$8500-11000
- 212 DRC Assortment - Vintage 2002**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
banded owc
6 bottles per lot \$4000-5000
- 213 Echezeaux - Vintage 1998**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
banded owc
6 bottles per lot \$1500-2000
- 214 Echezeaux - Vintage 2002**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
#00016, owc
"Sweet, pure and completely classic mostly red pinot fruit aromas are enhanced by subtle nuances of floral notes, damp earth, underbrush and even a hint of game. The big, muscular but utterly refined flavors are superbly intense, reserved and backward supported by remarkably sophisticated tannins and stunning length. This is a very concentrated wine of real breed and impeccable balance that should age for 3 decades, perhaps longer."(93pts BH)
1 magnum per lot \$900-1200
- 215 Grands Echezeaux - Vintage 1997**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
banded owc
"The ruby-colored 1997 Grands- ch zeaux offers red and black raspberry liqueur aromas. It is a medium-to-full-bodied, oily-textured wine that possesses good power and density. Smoked bacon, sweet wax, and spices are found in the fat, plump, seductive offering."(91pts)
6 bottles per lot \$1800-2400
- 216 Grands Echezeaux - Vintage 1998**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
banded owc
"Bright red-ruby. Perfumed, spicy aromas of cassis, cherry, raspberry and flowers; fresher and more tangy than the Ech zeaux. Juicy, vibrant and high-pitched, with tight, precise flavors framed by strong acidity. Finishes fairly tannic and long, with a hint of youthful austerity. I like this."(91+? IWC)
6 bottles per lot \$1800-2400
- 217 Grands Echezeaux - Vintage 1999**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
banded owc
"I have now tasted the '99 GE some 6 times since my original review in Issue 5 and it continues to improve, indeed to the point that I have raised my score modestly. There is still a touch of new oak framing the penetrating red and blackberry fruits, vanilla and oriental spice aromas and it continues onto the beautifully detailed and quite robust flavors that deliver excellent precision. This is a big wine with richness, superb length and impressive refinement and it's clear that this will live for decades. In sum, this is very classy juice."(94pts BH)
6 bottles per lot \$3200-4200
- 218 La Tache - Vintage 1998**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
banded owc
"Stunning nose of red and black fruits, oriental spices, tea and leather notes. Intensely sappy flavor with wave after wave of ever changing flavors. The personality here is edgy, cool, confident and pure with the ripe acidity framing the flavors."(95pts BH)
6 bottles per lot \$5000-7000
- 219 La Tache - Vintage 2002**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
#00033
"Despite the aromatic fireworks and opulent character, there is an underlying tenderness here that suggests that this will be approachable relatively early but the balance is so fine that this should easily age for 30 years, perhaps longer."(96pts BH)
1 magnum per lot \$3000-4000
- 220 La Tache - Vintage 2004**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
banded owc
"This too is sublime in its subtlety and grace with ineffably pure aromas and it strikes a balance between the opulence of the RSV and the restraint of the GE with an expressive yet ultra fine nose of rose petals, violets and seductive spice notes that introduce unbelievably refined flavors that seem crafted from silk and lace, culminating in a linear, mouth coating finish that detonates like a bomb and lasts and lasts."(95pts BH)
6 bottles per lot \$4500-6000
- 221 Richebourg - Vintage 1997**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
banded owc
"The ruby-colored 1997 Richebourg is big and flavorful. Its rose, violet, talcum powder, and crushed berry-scented nose leads to a boisterous, dense personality. Medium-to-full-bodied and loaded with spices freshly ground black pepper, and blackberries, this is a deeply ripe, expressive wine."(93pts)
6 bottles per lot \$2400-3000

222 Richebourg - Vintage 1999

*Domaine de la Romanee Conti
banded ovc*

“Practically black with a supersaturated multidimensional nose of black cherries, spice and trace of new oak. Bigger and larger scaled than the RSV and much more linear and direct, it is the richest, most robust wine in this lineup with decidedly muscular tannins. The flavor profile is somewhat austere yet the length is phenomenal and this could be the longest lived wine among these in ‘99. This has as much potential as any DRC Richebourg I’ve ever had.”(95pts BH)

6 bottles per lot \$6000-8000

223 Romanee Conti - Vintage 1998

*Domaine de la Romanee Conti
banded ovc*

“Deep ruby. A deeply pitched and distinctly different nose from what one usually finds in 10 year old RC as there are wonderfully dense and layered aromas of orange compote, red and black cherry along with the usual spice and floral notes, which introduces refined, pure and concentrated medium full flavors that possess the usual spectacular detail on the gorgeously persistent finish. This is beginning to lose its baby fat and the underlying sense of structure is becoming more prominent.”(96pts BH)

3 bottles per lot \$9000-12000

224 Romanee Conti - Vintage 1999

*Domaine de la Romanee Conti
banded ovc*

“The RC had ridiculous concentration and insane baby fat. Its richness, super freshness and super crushed berry core were the stuff of legends. It was still such a baby yet able to show an enormous amount of greatness. Broad-shouldered and flamboyant, the 1999 RC is up there with the greatest ever made. Aubert certainly thinks so, and even Dr. Conti recently admired the 99 after tasting almost 100 years of RC. It is indubitably one of the great, great wines of all time.”(99pts JK)

3 bottles per lot \$18000-24000

225 Romanee Conti - Vintage 2000

*Domaine de la Romanee Conti
banded ovc*

“Brooding, backward and quite a bit more reserved and less expressive with subtly spicy black fruit aromas trimmed by a subtly spicy black fruit aromas trimmed by a subtle hint of oak and followed by restrained, pure, gorgeously sappy and harmonious, completely seductive flavors that offer the best delineation of any of these wines. This is extraordinarily fine and detailed with length that lasts and lasts. Though this will undoubtedly add weight and complexity, it will likely always be understated and refined rather than powerful. This is a simply sublime combination of spice, silk and velvet delivered in a perfect sphere of impeccable balance. Incredible by any standard but especially so far the vintage.”(95pts BH)

3 bottles per lot \$9000-12000

226 Vosne Romanee - Vintage 2002

Cuvee Duvault Blochet, Domaine de la Romanee Conti #00061

“... (this was fashioned from a blend of all 6 of the grands crus; the ‘99 did not have La Roman e-Conti in it) Spice, pepper and exuberant black fruit and floral aromas lead to pure, delicious, round and very intense middle weight flavors that offer really lovely finishing detail and fine persistence. This is a very pretty wine and every bit the equal of the excellent 1999.”(91pts BH)

1 magnum per lot \$600-800



SEVEN DEADLY LOTS OF WICKED WHITE BURGUNDIES

All wines properly stored.

227 Chevalier Montrachet - Vintage 1995

Colin-Deleger (2)
M. Niellon (2)
Above 4 bottles per lot \$1000-1400

228 Chevalier Montrachet

D'Auvenay (Leroy)
- Vintage 1996 *Ispc* (2)
- Vintage 1997 (2)
Above 4 bottles per lot \$1400-1800

229 Chevalier Montrachet - Vintage 1996

M. Niellon
6lbsl, 3nl, 11stl
"This grand cru is unbelievable, possessing everything I could hope for in a white wine. Is this a candidate to merit a perfect score? The profound Chevalier-Montrachet, produced from vines planted in 1968 and 1972, offers a mind-blowingly intricate, precise and refined nose of minerals, chalk, rock dust and flowers. On the palate, this breathtaking wine enralls with its superbly defined and harmonious medium-to-full-body." (99pts)
6 bottles per lot \$4500-6000

230 Chevalier Montrachet - Vintage 1997

Domaine Leflaive
11bsl
"Discreet, direct and completely understated in style with subtle, superbly complex white flower, green apple and hints of minerals and anise lead to delineated, surprisingly intense flavors that display terrific mouth feel and fine finishing drive. This simply exudes breed complemented by a definite nervosité. Superb, compelling juice of indisputable class and this is a huge success for the vintage." (94pts BH)
12 bottles per lot \$2200-3200

231 Meursault - Vintage 1995

Perrieres, Coche-Dury
3sdc, 1spc
"Incredibly powerful. Thick and rich, with loads of toasted oak that tastes a bit hot, burning and bitter. A wine with a great track record (just try the Lafon's 1989 Perrieres, which drinks beautifully), this offers almost botrytislike flavors (honey, dried fruit, fig and date character) along with a thick midpalate. Full in body but medium in acidity, it's very concentrated. Definitely hold in the cellar." (95pts WS)
4 bottles per lot \$2200-3200

232 Meursault - Vintage 1996

Perrieres, Coche-Dury
2sdc
"When the world's wine lovers speak of Jean-Francois Coche the words Corton-Charlemagne are sure to follow. Personally, I feel his Meursault Perrieres is just as extraordinary, and sometimes more so. This vineyard contributes an element of refinement and class to Coche's hedonistic, powerful, and intense style. The 1996 is breathtaking because tasting it is a levitating experience. Its beguiling, almost spiritual bouquet is composed of precisely defined minerals. The palate is greeted by explosive, powerful, awesomely elegant, intense, mouth-coatingly sweet and yet bone dry stones, gravel, crisp pears, and toasty oak. This unbelievably dense and complex, yet pure and perfectly defined wine is massively structured and has an unending finish that reveals cardamon, anise, honeysuckle blossoms, and spices." (99pts)
2 bottles per lot \$1500-2000

233 Meursault - Vintage 1997

Perrieres, Coche-Dury
2sdc
"Smoked meat, spice and quince on the nose. Fat, sweet and very rich, yet manages to retain good freshness. Very long, strong finish coats the palate with ripe fruit and mineral flavors." (93pts IWC)
2 bottles per lot \$600-800



**ORIGINAL WOODEN CASES OF THE GREAT
2000 BORDEAUX AND FRIENDS**

Other Bordeaux and a nice selection of Cult Calis round out this excellent offering. All wines removed from a temperature-controlled cellar in Long Island.

234 Chateau Bellevue - Vintage 2003

St. Emilion

owc

"This 15+ acre estate, situated on a south/southwest-facing slope, has been making sensational wines since 2000, when the management of the vineyard and winemaking were taken over by Nicolas Thienpont and Stephane Derenoncourt. The 40-year-old, bio-dynamically farmed vineyard is planted with 80% Merlot and 20% Cabernet Franc. The 2003 possesses superb ripeness as well as a stony, mineral liqueur-like intensity, a reticent but promising perfume of black raspberries, sweet kirsch, and blacker fruits, a full-bodied, powerful, concentrated attack and mid-palate, and a blockbuster, long, powerful, moderately tannic finish. It is an infant..." (93+)

12 bottles per lot \$700-1000

235 Chateau Branaire Ducru - Vintage 2003

St. Julien

"...boasts a saturated plum/purple color as well as an extraordinarily complex nose of black currants, blackberries, espresso roast, white chocolate, minerals, and truffles. It displays amazing freshness and definition for such a complex, complete, and full-bodied wine." (95pts)

8 bottles per lot \$400-500

236 Chateau Brane Cantenac - Vintage 2000

Margaux

owc

"Deep ruby/purple-colored 2000's beautiful aromatics of smoke, black currants, tobacco, earth, and flowers jump from the glass. In the mouth, it is pure, elegant, medium-bodied, with savory tannin and adequate acidity, and a measured yet authoritatively flavored mid-palate and finish. How encouraging it is to see this property get its act together." (92pts)

12 bottles per lot \$500-700

237 Chateau Calon Segur - Vintage 1996

St. Estephe

owc

"The 1996, a 60% Cabernet Sauvignon, 40% Merlot blend, made from very low yields of 35 hectoliters per hectare (just over 2 tons of fruit per acre), appears to be a dazzling, traditionally made, uncompromising, classic Bordeaux..." (92pts)

12 bottles per lot \$700-950

238 Chateau Calon Segur - Vintage 2000

St. Estephe

owc

"...gorgeous aromas of creosote intermixed with spring flowers, black cherries, cassis, licorice, and stony, liquid minerals. A powerful, tannic, full-bodied and opulent wine, it possesses considerable structure that is reasonably well-concealed by considerable glycerin and intensity." (94pts)

12 bottles per lot \$900-1200

239 Chateau Calon Segur - Vintage 2003

St. Estephe

owc

"Loads of crushed berries, with mineral, lightly toasted oak and licorice. Full-bodied, with big, velvety tannins and a long, caressing finish. This is the sleeper of the vintage." (95pts WS)

12 bottles per lot \$750-950

240 Chateau Cheval Blanc - Vintage 2000

St. Emilion

owc

"...saturated purple color along with a reticent but striking bouquet of blackberries, blueberries, truffles, and mocha. In spite of its tightness, aeration reveals scents of licorice, menthol, and saddle leather. Opulent and full-bodied, with low acidity, sweet tannin, and a 60-second finish, it is unquestionably as profound as the 1990 and 1982. I still believe the 2000 has the potential to be the most compelling Cheval Blanc since the mythical 1947 and 1949..." (100pts)

10 bottles per lot \$6500-10000

241 Chateau Clos Fourtet - Vintage 2003

St. Emilion

owc

"Layers of concentrated black cherry, plum, and licorice-infused fruit. There is also a subtle hint of charcoal as well as loads of mineral, flower, blackberry, and cr me de cassis characteristics. This full-flavored, opulent, glycerin-filled 2003 offers impressive richness, silky tannin..." (94pts)

12 bottles per lot \$500-700

PARCEL LOTS 242-243

242 Chateau Grand Puy Lacoste - Vintage 2000

Pauillac

owc

"This large-scaled wine has a saturated ruby/purple color and a big creme de cassis nose, with a hint of licorice and tobacco. Still somewhat closed, this deep, full-bodied, luscious, muscular offering exhibits ripe tannin, loads of fruit, and tremendous purity. This is a gorgeous example of one of the most popular wines in the Medoc." (93pts)

12 bottles per lot \$900-1200

243 12 bottles

owc

per lot \$900-1200

PARCEL LOTS 244-245

- 244 Chateau Gruaud Larose - Vintage 2000**
St. Julien
owc
“Absolutely wonderful aromas of flowers, currants and citrus. Full-bodied, yet very, very refined, with a center core of fruit that tastes like crushed raspberries and goes on and on. Greatest wine from this estate since 1945.”(95pts WS)
 12 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 245** 12 bottles per lot \$900-1200
owc

- 246 Chateau La Conseillante - Vintage 2000**
Pomerol
owc
“A tremendous effort, and certainly the best La Conseillante since the marvelous duo of 1989 and 1990, this deep ruby/plum/purple-colored wine offers up notes of blackberries and kirsch liqueur intermixed with licorice, incense, spice box, and copious amounts of toasty oak. It is a relatively powerful effort for La Conseillante, with more tannin and structure than most vintages possess. As the wine sits in the glass, black raspberries, blueberries, smoke along with floral notes emerge. There is tremendous purity, medium to full body, great precision and concentration.”(96pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$1800-2400

- 247 Chateau La Mission Haut Brion**
Graves
 - **Vintage 1978** 2bsl, 2wasl (2)
 - **Vintage 1990** (2)
 - **Vintage 2000** (2)
 Above 6 bottles per lot \$2000-2600

- 248 Chateau Lafite Rothschild - Vintage 1990**
Pauillac
“One of the wines of the vintage.”(20/20 CC)
 5 bottles per lot \$2000-2800

- 249 Chateau L'Angelus - Vintage 2000**
St. Emilion
owc without lid
“The finest effort since the 1989 and 1990, this dense purple-colored wine has an extravagantly ripe, concentrated style. The 2000 (in a new engraved bottle) offers up aromas of blackberry liqueur and vintage port. As the wine sits in the glass, graphite, wet stones, smoke, barbecue spices, and olives also make an appearance. It unfolds on the palate in layers, is full-bodied, big and rich yet incredibly poised, well-balanced, and pure. Quite backward, this is one of the greatest Angelus made to date.”(96pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$1800-2400

PARCEL LOTS 250-251

- 250 Chateau L'Angelus - Vintage 2003**
St. Emilion
owc
“Beautiful aromas of ripe blackberry and raspberry aromas follow through to a full-bodied palate, with silky tannins and a long, long finish. Layered and delicious. Gorgeous.”(94pts WS)
 12 bottles per lot \$1000-1400
- 251** 12 bottles per lot \$1000-1400
owc

PARCEL LOTS 252-253

- 252 Chateau Leoville Barton - Vintage 2000**
St. Julien
owc
“The saturated purple-colored 2000 Leoville Barton is one of the greatest wines ever made at this estate. The wine has smoky, earthy notes intermixed with graphite, camphor, damp earth, jammy cassis, cedar, and a hint of mushroom. Enormous, even monstrous in the mouth, with tremendous extraction, broodingly backward, dense flavors, and copious tannins, this should prove to be one of the longest-lived wines of the vintage and one of the most compelling Leoville Bartons ever made.”(96pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$1200-1500

- 253** 12 bottles per lot \$1200-1500
owc

- 254 Chateau Leoville Poyferre - Vintage 2000**
St. Julien
owc
“Wow, this wine has really come on strong. A brilliant effort, it boasts an opaque purple color in addition to a gorgeously sweet nose (make that explosive nose) of blackberries and creme de cassis intermixed with minerals, smoke, and earth. The 2000 is opulent, full-bodied, and much more accessible than either of its two Leoville siblings, Leoville Las Cases or Leoville Barton, with low acidity, sweet tannin, and a layered, sumptuous finish. It continues to improve dramatically and looks to be a great success, rivaling the brilliant 1996 and 1990.”(95pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$1000-1400

- 255 Chateau Lynch Bages - Vintage 2000**
Pauillac
owc
“This is a superstructured wine with loads of plum, blackberry and licorice. Full-bodied, with chewy tannins and a long finish. Gorgeous. Tight. Needs time.”(96pts WS)
 12 bottles per lot \$1400-1800

- 256 Chateau Montrose - Vintage 2000**
St. Estephe
owc
"This estate has frequently hit the bull's eye over recent vintages, and the 2000 Montrose is the finest effort produced since the compelling 1990 and 1989. This gigantically sized, tannic, backward effort boasts a saturated inky purple color followed by a huge nose of acacia flavors, crushed blackberries, creme de cassis, vanilla, hickory smoke, and minerals. Extremely full-bodied, powerful, dense, and multi-layered, this unreal Montrose should last for 30+ years."(96pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$1500-2000
- 257 Chateau Mouton Rothschild - Vintage 2000**
Pauillac
owc
"The wine offers a saturated ruby/purple color in addition to reticent but promising aromas of toast, coffee, licorice, cr me de cassis, and roasted nuts. Dense, chewy, and backward, with tremendous purity and density in addition to obvious toasty oak, it is full-bodied, powerful, tannic, and backward. Twenty-four to 48 hours of aeration only hints at its ultimate potential. This blockbuster will be exceptionally long-lived."(97pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$6500-8500
- 258 Chateau Palmer - Vintage 2000**
Margaux
owc
"The wine is opulent, rich, and full-bodied, with tannin that has become sweeter with age. Its best showing yet, most importantly, has been from bottle. This is a great Palmer that should rival the best of recent vintages, which have all been stunning, as this estate continues to go from strength to strength..."(96pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$2000-2800
- 259 Chateau Pape Clement - Vintage 2000**
Graves
owc
"...continues to put on weight. An opaque purple color is accompanied by stunning aromas of wood smoke, cocoa, black currant and cherry liqueur, coffee, scorched earth, and new oak."(95pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 260 Chateau Pavie - Vintage 2000**
St. Emilion
owc
"...the color is an opaque purple, and the bouquet offers up notes of liquid minerals, blackberries, cherries, and cassis intermixed with spice box, cedar, and white flowers. On the palate, it exhibits a massive display of richness and extract, yet with pinpoint delineation and vibrancy as well as a 60+ second finish, this is the kind of phenomenal wine that Perse's critics were afraid he might produce - a no-compromise, immortal wonder that represents the essence of one of Bordeaux's greatest terroirs. Life is too short not to own and consume the 2000 Pavie."(100pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$3000-4000
- 261 Chateau Pavie - Vintage 2003**
St. Emilion
owc
"Its dense plum/purple color is accompanied by an extraordinary perfume of charcoal, cr me de cassis, melted licorice, espresso roast, and blackberries. The wine, which hits the palate with a dramatic minerality, comes across like a hypothetical blend of limestone liqueur intermixed with black and red fruits."(98pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$1400-1800
- 262 Chateau Pichon Baron - Vintage 2000**
Pauillac
owc
"A spectacular effort clearly my favorite vintage of this wine since the 1989 and 1990. An inky purple color offers up notes of barbecue spices intermixed with new saddle leather, cr me de cassis, melted licorice, creosote, and a hint of vanilla. The wine is full-bodied, tremendously concentrated, with sweet tannin and a seamless finish that goes on for close to one minute. This wine has great purity, tremendous texture, and fabulous upside potential."(96pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$1200-1500
- 262A Chateau Pichon Lalande - Vintage 2000**
Pauillac
owc
"In the mouth, it is a wine of extraordinary density, opulence, great presence, and richness. As the 2000 sits in the glass, notes of lavender and melted licorice emerge along with the distinctive tapenade aromas interwoven with creme de cassis, espresso roast, and cedar. The wine is full-bodied, with extraordinary purity and a tremendous texture. I suspect this wine will be relatively approachable young but evolve effortlessly. This is a dramatic, almost flamboyant style that is not classic Pauillac in one sense, but a classic wine."(97pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$1800-2400
- 263 Chateau Pontet Canet - Vintage 2000**
Pauillac
owc
"Extremely pretty aromas of mineral, blackberry and raspberry. Full-bodied, with well-integrated tannins..."(93pts WS)
 12 bottles per lot \$700-900
- 264 Chateau Smith Haut Lafitte - Vintage 2000**
Graves
owc
"A sensational effort, and undeniably the finest wine to ever emerge from this estate, the opaque purple-colored 2000 offers scents of tobacco, camphor, graphite, creme de cassis, and licorice. This full-bodied, concentrated effort possesses low acidity, a multi-layered texture, tremendous intensity of flavor, and a persistent finish with considerable ripe, well-integrated tannin. This is a brilliant example of equilibrium and finesse allied to considerable power and flavor."(94pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$500-700

- 265 Chateau Smith Haut Lafitte - Vintage 2005**
Graves
owc
"The inky/blue/purple-tinged 2005's extraordinary nose reeks of charcoal, incense, scorched earth, abundant blackberry, blueberry, and cherry fruit, toast, and spice. Good acidity, huge but sweet tannin, and fabulous precision as well as definition characterize this full-bodied, super-concentrated effort. It should prove to be among the longest-lived wines yet made by the Cathiards."(95pts)
12 bottles per lot \$600-800
- 266 Chateau Sociando Mallet - Vintage 2000**
Haut Medoc
owc
"...dense ruby/purple color and a bouquet of ink, mineral, graphite, vanilla, and cr me de cassis, the 2000 boasts superb concentration, great definition and intensity, ripe tannin, and a long finish of more than 40 seconds. This is top-flight, classified growth-quality stuff."(93pts)
12 bottles per lot \$500-700
- 267 Chateau Troplong Mondot - Vintage 2000**
St. Emilion
Iwisl
"Combining remarkable elegance allied to considerable power and depth, this is the finest wine from Troplong Mondot since the staggeringly great 1990. Its saturated purple color is followed by aromas of ink, cr me de cassis, graphite, and toasty oak. Full-bodied and powerful, with excellent balance, this is a wine of extraordinary richness and massiveness yet surreal freshness as well as vibrancy. The finish lasts for over 45 seconds and nearly conceals some hefty tannins."(95pts)
10 bottles per lot \$750-1000
- 268 Chateau Trotanoy - Vintage 1998**
Pomerol
owc
"This structured, formidably-endowed, deep ruby/purple-colored, full-bodied, super-rich wine exhibits notes of toffee, truffles, and abundant blackberry, cherry, and currant fruit. It cuts a large swath across the palate, and possesses copious but sweet tannin as well as a chewy, muscular mid-palate and finish. This is a compelling effort from one of the great vineyards of Pomerol."(95pts)
6 magnums per lot \$2600-3500
- 269 Clos de la Roche - Vintage 2001**
Dujac
ocb
"Powerful and dense aromas of earth, black and red fruit plus subtle notes of soy, coffee and hoisin explode from the glass that merge seamlessly into bigger, richer, rounder and more muscular flavors. Authoritative, gorgeously textured and very stylish with pronounced tannic structure and plenty of buffering sap. Impressive and extremely long..."(93pts BH)
6 bottles per lot \$1200-1600
- 270 Hermitage**
J.L. Chave
- **Vintage 1989** (2)
- **Vintage 1999** (2)
Above 4 bottles per lot \$800-1000
- 271 Abreu Cabernet Sauvignon - Vintage 1997**
Madrona Ranch
"... the finish lasts nearly a minute. The wine is opaque purple-colored, phenomenally concentrated, with that creme de cassis-like richness that only comes from strikingly low yields."(100pts)
3 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 272 Araujo Estate Cabernet Sauvignon**
Eisele Vineyard
- **Vintage 1991** (2)
- **Vintage 1994** (2)
- **Vintage 1996** (2)
- **Vintage 1997** (2)
Above 8 bottles per lot \$1500-2000
- 273 Bryant Family Cabernet Sauvignon**
- **Vintage 1994** (2)
- **Vintage 1999** (2)
Above 4 bottles per lot \$1200-1600
- 274 Dominus - Vintage 1994**
owc
"...strikingly thick, compellingly rich wine with the texture of a great Pomerol, despite being made primarily from Cabernet Sauvignon. The wine exhibits a dense purple color, and an incredibly fragrant nose of jammy black fruits, spice, smoke, and loamy, truffle-like scents. In the mouth, it is full-bodied, with thrilling levels of extract and richness, but no sense of heaviness or harshness. This seamless Dominus possesses no hard edges, as its acidity, tannin, and alcohol are beautifully meshed with copious quantities of ripe fruit."(99pts)
6 bottles per lot \$1000-1300
- 275 Harlan Estate Red - Vintage 1996**
owc
"It is one of the most concentrated and complete red wines one could hope to taste."(98pts)
3 bottles per lot \$1200-1500
- 276 Harlan Estate Red - Vintage 1997**
"...boasts spectacular, soaring aromatics of vanilla, minerals, coffee, blackberries, licorice, and cassis. In the mouth, layer after layer unfold powerfully yet gently. Acidity, tannin, and alcohol are well-balanced by the wine's unreal richness and singular personality. The finish exceeds one minute."(100pts)
2 bottles per lot \$1600-2200

277 Harlan Estate Red - Vintage 1998
owc
 "...one of the three or four most riveting wines of this irregular vintage it possesses a degree of sweetness, richness, and intensity not found in most 1998s." (95pts)
 1 magnum per lot \$600-800

278 Harlan Estate Red - Vintage 1999
owc
 "Aromatic nose - a little more floral with a pinch of cola and the classic cassis and cedar a blackberry spike and a splash of fresh paint lots of minerals chunky coffee and chocolate on the palate great balance of fruit and finish picture perfect!" (96pts JK)
 6 bottles per lot \$1800-2400

279 Joseph Phelps Winery - Vintage 1994
Insignia
ocb
 "...is spectacular. I have had the wine a half-dozen or more times, and it is unquestionably opulent, sexy, flamboyant, explosively rich, concentrated, and a thrill to drink. Already gorgeous, it promises to evolve gracefully for two decades or more. The color is a healthy saturated dark purple. The spicy nose offers aromas of black currants, allspice, pain grille, and soy, with scents of a burning wood fire thrown in for additional complexity." (96pts)
 3 double magnums per lot \$1300-1600

280 Shafer Cabernet Sauvignon - Vintage 1994
Hillside Select
owc
 "...is a prodigious Cabernet. I had it at a tasting in Japan, and the Japanese were as enthusiastic about it as my rating suggested they should be. They were crestfallen when informed they probably would not be able to buy multiple cases of the wine!..." (99pts)
 6 bottles per lot \$1800-2400

281 Shafer Cabernet Sauvignon - Vintage 1997
Hillside Select
 "Is the prodigious 1997 Cabernet Sauvignon Hillside Select a perfect wine? Bottled in June, 2000, this effort is about as spectacular as Cabernet Sauvignon can be. The soaring bouquet of sweet, lavishly rich black currants, plums, cherries, toast, minerals, and smoke cascades from the glass." (99pts)
 2 bottles per lot \$600-800

282 Penfold's Grange
 - **Vintage 1990** (2)
 - **Vintage 1991** *wasl* (2)
 Above 4 bottles per lot \$800-1100

283 Penfold's Grange - Vintage 1993
owc
 "Dark, peppery and earthy overtones add substance to this chewy, remarkably complex red wine. It delivers a ripe core of plum and dried currant, then branches out, hinting at anise and mineral on the finish. Approachable now, but oh what a future this has." (95pts WS)
 6 bottles per lot \$700-900

284 Penfold's Grange - Vintage 1995
owc
 "A massive wine, majestic in its proportions, combining power and grace in equal measure. Flavors of plum, blackberry, chocolate and pepper, with hints of cedar, licorice and mint, swirl through the exotic finish. Tannins swarm but don't overwhelm the finish, which echoes all day and night." (97pts WS)
 6 bottles per lot \$900-1200

285 Penfold's Grange - Vintage 1997
owc
 "... looks to be a classic Grange. The wine has a saturated purple color and a gorgeously sweet nose of blackberry liqueur intermixed with cherries, camphor, chocolate, plum, and mocha. The wine is opulently textured, extremely soft, layered, and seductive, with Grange's tell-tale personality well-displayed, but in a seamless, seductive style." (94pts)
 6 bottles per lot \$900-1200



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They say that they don't make them like they used to, and that can definitely be said for this incredible collection of Burgundy. There are not many in the world that can touch the breadth and scope of this cellar. It seems as if every great bottle of Burgundy ever made in the last 60-70 years must have had at least a bottle or thirty-six call this cellar home at one point or another. This offering represents a little housecleaning, and that housecleaning just happens to be the featured offering of our sale. It is an amazing selection of bits and pieces, old and young, from most of the top producers in Burgundy. It is a true Burgundy connoisseur's delight, a great opportunity to try numerous treasures that often don't come up for sale anymore. All wines removed from professional storage.

286 Beaune Rouge

*Vignes de L'Enfant Jesus, Greves, Bouchard, Pere et Fils
All outstanding color and condition*

- **Vintage 1934** *relabeled, possibly rereleased* (1)
rewaxed capsule

- **Vintage 1945** *lbl, lsl* (1)

- **Vintage 1959** *lbl* (1)

- **Vintage 1978** *bsl* (1)

Above 4 bottles per lot \$1600-2200

287 Bonnes Mares - Vintage 1969

Clair Dau

2lbl, 2wrl, outstanding color and condition

"It was time to go back to Burgundy and the other side of the room where The Don was holding court. 1969 Clair-Dau Bonnes Mares? Yessir. The Clair Dau was spectacular, showing that a 1969 Burgundy could actually be ripe. While autumnal in its flavor profile, there was still a wealth of minty (more menthol actually) freshness and brickhouse fruit. Fleshy, long and stylish, this was a great bottle of wine."
(95pts JK)

2 bottles per lot \$700-1000

288 Bonnes Mares - Vintage 1978

Clair Dau

2lbl

*"Another great old Clair-Dau Bonnes Mares with its brilliant nose of airy, highly complex and layered nose that is still elegantly fruited and which remains remarkably fresh for its age as there is only a trace of sous bois and leads to lovely, classy, equally complex and almost entirely structurally resolved flavors that display genuinely excellent length. This is drinking perfectly now and while there is no rush, there is also no benefit to holding this further as there is just the barest trace of acidity visible now on the backend."**(93pts BH)*

2 bottles per lot \$900-1200

289 Bonnes Mares

L. Jadot

- **Vintage 1985** *lsl* (2)

- **Vintage 1989** (2)

- **Vintage 1990** (2)

- **Vintage 1993** (2)

- **Vintage 1999** (2)

Above 10 bottles per lot \$1200-1500

290 Bonnes Mares - Vintage 1985

L. Jadot

lsl

*"From the dense color to the intense aroma and the rich, complex flavors of strawberry, plum, rose petal and toast, this powerful but beautifully balanced wine commands your attention and delivers everything it has, with finesse."**(95pts WS)*

6 bottles per lot \$1050-1400

291 Bonnes Mares - Vintage 1989

L. Jadot

6 bottles per lot \$500-650

292 Bonnes Mares - Vintage 1993

L. Jadot

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*"Earthy, deep and wonderfully fresh fruit leads to dense, solidly tannic, beautifully delineated and focused, rich flavors of exceptional purity and length. While the finish is firm, it is by no means hard and there is excellent buffering sève all underpinned by vibrant acidity. There is plenty of wine here but this is a wine for the patient and it should live for years to come."**(92pts BH)*

6 bottles per lot \$600-750

293 Bonnes Mares - Vintage 1999

L. Jadot

owc

"Bright, deep ruby-red. Very primary aromas of blackberry, violet and licorice, with a hint of charred oak. Juicy and tightly wound, with intense, pure, floral flavors of framboise, licorice and menthol. Distinctly austere and not showing its flesh today; still a baby and dominated by its structure. Very long, precise, firmly tannic finish. This got more and more interesting as it opened in the glass. 'From grapes picked between the rains,' noted Lardiere."
(92+pts IWC)

6 bottles per lot \$600-800

294 Bonnes Mares - Vintage 1990

Dujac

*"...enjoys the most saturated, deep ruby color, and a tightly knit, closed nose, which, with coaxing, offers up smells of meat, soy, sweet black fruits, and toasty vanillin oak. It is splendidly rich and well-delineated, with full body, exceptional extraction of flavor, impeccable balance, and a long, deep finish."**(94pts)*

2 bottles per lot \$900-1200

295 Bonnes Mares - Vintage 1990

R. Groffier

6hbsl, 6lwasl

6 bottles per lot \$700-1000

- 296 Bonnes Mares**
R. Groffier
 - **Vintage 1993** (3)
 - **Vintage 1995** (3)
 - **Vintage 2001** (3)
 - **Vintage 2002** (3)
 Above 12 bottles per lot \$1200-1500
- 297 Bonnes Mares - Vintage 2002**
J. Drouhin
owc
 "Expressive and explosive aromas of blue and black berries with interesting floral and leather nuances. The big, powerful and muscular flavors are tight, focused and beautifully detailed and blessed with an incredibly long and complex finish. This possesses that "wow" factor and it will require time to fully reveal its considerable potential." (94pts BH)
 3 magnums per lot \$750-1000
- 298 Chambertin - Vintage 1966**
Bouchard, Pere et Fils
3vlbsl, 3bsl, 3lwrl, outstanding color and condition
 6 bottles per lot \$2400-3000
- 299 Chambertin - Vintage 1990**
A. Rousseau
2lbsl
 "...had a great nose...tight but not massive...nice flavors of cherry, Pinot spice, truffles and earth...a definite 'catnip' quality...semi-sweet fruit on the palate with that vitamin-y undertone...excellent balance...this wine keeps getting better and better..." (95+pts JK)
 2 bottles per lot \$1500-2000
- 300 Chambertin - Vintage 1990**
Chezeaux
3lbsl, 3sdc
 "...generously endowed, amazingly rich wine, with a broad-shouldered, flashy, expansive texture, profound concentration, and a sweet fragrance of jammy black fruits, earth, and minerals." (95pts)
 3 bottles per lot \$700-900
- 301 Chambertin - Vintage 1993**
L. Jadot
lwsl
 5 bottles per lot \$650-850
- 302 Chambertin - Vintage 1995**
Leroy
 "This quite simply explodes from the glass with an incredible array of spices, red and black fruit aromas of stunning complexity that lead to thick, viscous, muscular and incredibly powerful flavors that seem carved from a solid pinot rock." (96pts BH)
 2 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 303 Chambertin - Vintage 1996**
L. Jadot
 "Rather delicate aromas of crystallized berries, smoke and sandalwood. Velvety and very sweet in the mouth, with pungent oak spice and a firm mineral underpinning. Ripe acids are in harmony with the wine. Great concentration. No hard edges."
(92-5pts IWC)
 6 bottles per lot \$600-750
- 304 Chambertin - Vintage 1998**
B. Dugat-Py
 "...is dark ruby-colored and offers a hugely spicy, candied cherry-scented nose. Loads of black fruits and sweet cherries, as well as asphalt and oak, can be found in this broad, medium to full-bodied wine. Sweet, almost jammy fruit coats the taster's palate throughout this offering's well-ripened personality and long, focused finish." (93-95pts)
 2 bottles per lot \$1050-1400
- 305 Chambertin - Vintage 2001**
B. Dugat-Py
 "Explosive doesn't adequately describe just how powerful and vibrant the black fruit aromas are but as forward and intense as the nose is, the flavors are equally backward, brooding and completely reserved in personality. Thick, palate staining and remarkably dense with length that I could still taste an hour later. This is massive but not hard or one-dimensional and as remarkable as this is already, the potential for future improvement is uncanny - indisputably one of the greatest wines of the vintage and it wouldn't surprise me at all if one day my score proved to be conservative because it is so rare to find this level of extract. In short, this is genuinely awesome." (94-7pts BH)
 1 bottle per lot \$800-1200
- 306 Chambertin**
Clos de Beze, Clair Dau
All outstanding color and condition
 - **Vintage 1961** lbsl, lscl (1)
 - **Vintage 1966** sdc (1)
 - **Vintage 1972** lbsl, lwrl, sdc (1)
 Above 3 bottles per lot \$1500-2200
- 307 Chambertin - Vintage 1996**
Clos de Beze, A. Rousseau
 "Intoxicating aromas of raspberry, smoked meat, underbrush and oak char, plus an almost exotic sweetness. Sweet, pure fruit began a bit reticent but exploded with aeration to show great thrust and pinot tang. Despite its substantial volume, this wine's fresh berry flavors are sharply delineated. Sweetly oaky in the mouth and on the suavely tannic, very long finish. Finishing note of cinnamon." (94pts IWC)
 2 bottles per lot \$800-1000
- 308 Chambertin**
Clos de Beze, R. Groffier
 - **Vintage 1999** (3)
 - **Vintage 2001** (3)
 Above 6 bottles per lot \$750-1000

- 309 Chambertin - Vintage 2002**
Clos de Beze, J. Drouhin
owc
"Wonderfully complex red fruit and earth aromas of real depth and detail lead to supple, strikingly textured and intense full-bodied flavors and a powerful, tremendously long finish. This is extremely classy juice with buried and unusually fine tannins and this should have the ability to age for several decades, perhaps longer."(93pts BH)
 3 magnums per lot \$1200-1500
- 310 Chambertin**
Cuvee Heritiers Latour, L. Latour
 - **Vintage 1947** 2bsl, excellent color (2)
 - **Vintage 1949** 2bsl, 1tl, 2scc, excellent color (2)
 Above 4 bottles per lot \$1600-2000
- 311 Chambolle Musigny - Vintage 1949**
Les Amoureuses, J. Groffier
wc, scc, excellent color and condition
 1 bottle per lot \$800-1200
- 312 Chambolle Musigny - Vintage 1997**
Les Amoureuses, G. Roumier
"The medium to dark ruby-colored 1997 Chambolle-Musigny Les Amoureuses reveals a floral nose of violets, black cherries, and spices. It is broad, sweet, easy-going, soft, sensual, and medium to full-bodied. On the palate, it is expansive, extremely expressive, refined, and gracious. Red and black fruits, flowers, good structure, and a delightfully long finish are found in this harmonious offering."(92pts)
 3 bottles per lot \$750-1000
- 313 Chambolle Musigny - Vintage 2002**
Les Amoureuses, Comte de Vogue
"This is exactly like the cask sample with more aromatic complexity than the '02 "1er", displaying a wonderfully seductive, even sexy nose of an impressive array of spices, deep violet notes and soaring red and black pinot fruit. The flavors provide quite a contrast however as they are reserved, almost brooding in character with a powerful, finely detailed and completely linear finish. The purity of expression here is stunning and the finish is akin to a vinous grenade in the mouth with a stellar vibrancy. Flat out wonderful."(93pts BH)
 4 bottles per lot \$600-800
- 314 Chapelle Chambertin - Vintage 2002**
L. Jadot
"...is the finest example of this vineyard I've ever put to my lips. Its awesome aromatics reveal coconut, vanilla, super-ripe blackberries, licorice, and cherries. On the palate, this stunning wine is extraordinarily expansive, conquering the taster with wave after wave of viscous (yet fresh and juicy) black fruits. Medium to full-bodied and seamless, this harmonious, chewy-textured gem lingers on the palate for over a minute. It has power, grace, muscle, and elegance. What more can you ask for?..."(97-99pts)
 6 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 315 Charmes Chambertin - Vintage 1947**
Seguin-Manuel
outstanding color and condition
 3 bottles per lot \$600-800
- 316 Charmes Chambertin - Vintage 1971**
C. Giroud
"Warm, rich, complex and fully mature aromas lead to big, dense, still firmly tannic flavors that display incredible vibrancy and vigor for a 30+ year old Burgundy and the finish is long a satisfying. This is a very impressive effort and while it is no model of finesse, the density and freshness this exhibits is nothing short of remarkable. First rate and this has another 20 years of life, even though I would not expect it to improve from here. Consistent notes."
(92pts BH)
 6 bottles per lot \$1200-1500
- 317 Charmes Chambertin - Vintage 1978**
C. Giroud
"...moderate sous bois and plenty of Gevrey earth followed by round, ripe, sweet, slightly robust flavors still under-pinned by noticeable tannins and this finishes with a fine velvety flourish. This is really quite lovely..."(91pts BH)
 6 bottles per lot \$1200-1500
- 318 Charmes Chambertin - Vintage 1991**
C. Dugat
"Older nose and a slight stink to the nose in a good way black fruits tangy Burgundy flavors deep t n a, touch of pungent purple to it very balanced between Old and New world characteristics..."(93pts JK)
 3 bottles per lot \$750-1050
- 319 Charmes Chambertin - Vintage 1995**
C. Dugat
"Brilliant ruby color. Blueberry, violet, smoky oak and floral aromas convey an almost syrupy sweetness. Dense and extremely concentrated; this shows an almost painful intensity today yet has no rough edges."(94pts IWC)
 3 bottles per lot \$600-800
- 320 Charmes Chambertin - Vintage 1996**
C. Dugat
ocb
"I have no argument with anyone who states that this wine merits a perfect score. It is a dark ruby/purple-colored wine that regales the olfactory senses with sweet and perfumed red and black cherry scents that are lively, profound, and verging on jammy-reminiscent of the filling of a deep dish cherry pie..."(97-99pts)
 3 bottles per lot \$900-1200

- 321 Charmes Chambertin - Vintage 2002**
C. Dugat
"The magnificently expressive 2002 Charmes-Chambertin boasts a floral, spicy nose packed with fresh red fruits. Spicy, concentrated, powerful, yet elegant, this cherry-dominated, medium-bodied wine exhibits spice box and coffee notes in its extensive finish. Harmonious, refined, and extroverted, it is a candidate for drinking between 2006 and 2015."(96-97pts)
 3 bottles per lot \$750-1000
- 322 Charmes Chambertin - Vintage 1993**
Serafin
"Like an Olympic sprint champion: light on its feet yet very muscular, bursting out of the starting block with amazing grace. Tons of blackberry, floral and earth character. Don't even touch until the next century. Sensational!"(96pts WS)
 3 bottles per lot \$450-600
- 323 Charmes Chambertin - Vintage 1999**
B. Dugat-Py
"This is virtually identical to what I tasted from cask as it is very Charmes in style yet grand cru length, size, power and richness. Everything is in perfect harmony in an ultra ripe style. Impressive juice."(93pts BH)
 3 bottles per lot \$750-1050
- 324 Charmes Chambertin - Vintage 1991**
Cuvee de Tres Vieilles Vignes, J. Roty
5stl, 4nl, 4sdc
"High-toned, wonderfully elegant fruit with flavors that are tight yet show outstanding complexity and depth. The tannins are ripe and still quite prominent on the long, intense finish yet are almost entirely buffered by all the old vine sap."(93pts BH)
 4 bottles per lot \$1000-1250
- 325 Charmes Chambertin - Vintage 1993**
Cuvee de Tres Vieilles Vignes, J. Roty
"Incredible spice, earth and game aromas are framed by noticeable oak and ash notes and lead to powerful, wonderfully textured and precise flavors that offer incredible depth and simply superb extract plus length to burn. While the wood is somewhat stronger than I personally prefer, this has so much style and sheer breadth that it is virtually impossible not to be wowed by it. The wine also possesses near perfect balance, which should enable it to age for years, perhaps decades as this is one stunner of a wine."(95pts BH)
 6 bottles per lot \$1800-2400
- 326 Charmes Chambertin**
Vieilles Vignes, D. Bachelet
 - **Vintage 1995** 1vlbsl, 1vlwrl (2)
 - **Vintage 1996** (2)
 - **Vintage 2002** (2)
 Above 6 bottles per lot \$800-1050
- 327 Clos de la Roche**
H. Lignier
 - **Vintage 1990** (1)
 - **Vintage 1993** (1)
 Above 2 bottles per lot \$700-900
- 328 Clos de la Roche - Vintage 1995**
Dujac
"...possesses powerful aromas of sweet black fruits. In the mouth, the wine explodes with dark berries, rocks, iron, and roasted spice, all embedded in this chewy, velvety-textured, medium-bodied wine."(92pts)
 3 bottles per lot \$600-800
- 329 Clos de la Roche - Vintage 1988**
Cuvee William, Ponsot
2bsl
"...it is a truly magnificent concentrated wine with gobs of highly extracted fruit and an astounding multidimensional palate impression that seems to last for up to two minutes. It is a knockout wine..."(92pts)
 2 bottles per lot \$500-700
- 330 Clos de la Roche - Vintage 1990**
Vieilles Vignes, Ponsot
bsl, wisl, sdc
"This is a prodigious effort. Given recent perplexing offerings from this producer, it is amazing how phenomenal Ponsot's wines can be. The 1990 exhibits a deep, dense, murky, ruby color as well as an explosive nose of gravel, spring flowers, and black and red fruits. Extremely rich and full-bodied, with spectacular concentration, an unctuous texture, and an extraordinarily long finish, this wine remains youthful, but its fat and succulent texture are hard to resist."(98pts)
 1 bottle per lot \$750-1000
- 331 Clos de Tart - Vintage 1959**
Vieilles Vignes, Mommessin
4.25cm bc, lbsl, nl, outstanding color and condition
 1 bottle per lot \$1200-1500
- 332 Clos des Lambrays**
Domaine des Lambrays
 - **Vintage 1949** 4cm bc, bsl, excellent color (1)
 - **Vintage 1953** 5.5cm bc, excellent color (1)
 Above 2 bottles per lot \$1300-1900
- 333 Clos St. Denis - Vintage 1993**
Dujac
"...the aromatic elegance and purity of the '93 Clos St. Denis is nothing short of sensational as is the dramatic complexity; this can be enjoyed merely on the nose alone good richness, precision and obvious class..."(91pts BH)
 3 bottles per lot \$900-1200

- 334 Clos St. Denis - Vintage 1990**
Vieilles Vignes, Chezeaux
3lbsl, 1stl
"The nose soars from the glass, offering a veritable smorgasbord of aromas from new oak and black plums, to cinnamon, coffee, and beef. In the mouth, the wine is softer and less powerful than the Griottes-Chambertin, but awesomely rich, with a nectar-like essence that defines its personality. It is truly an amazing wine!"(98pts)
 3 bottles per lot \$600-800
- 335 Clos Vougeot - Vintage 1953**
L. Latour
1-5cm bc, 1-4cm bc, 4bsl, excellent color
 4 bottles per lot \$800-1050
- 336 Clos Vougeot**
J. Grivot
 - **Vintage 1978** *3wisl, 3bsl* (3)
 - **Vintage 1985** *3lbsl, 2sdc* (3)
 Above 6 bottles per lot \$1200-1600
- 337 Corton - Vintage 1966**
Bouchard, Pere et Fils
outstanding color and condition
 4 bottles per lot \$400-500
- 338 Corton**
Clos des Cortons, Faiveley
 - **Vintage 1947** *4.75cm bc, bsl, lscl, outstanding color and condition* (1)
 - **Vintage 1966** *lbsl, outstanding color and condition* (1)
 Above 2 bottles per lot \$950-1350
- 339 Corton**
 - **Vintage 1990**
Clos Rognet, Meo Camuzet 1vlbsl, 1 wisl (2)
Renardes, Leroy crc (1)
 - **Vintage 1996**
Le Rognet, B. Ambroise (2)
Renardes, Leroy (2)
 - **Vintage 1999**
Le Rognet, B. Ambroise (2)
 Above 9 bottles per lot \$1100-1450
- 340 DRC Assortment - Vintage 2002**
owc
 6 bottles per lot \$4000-5000
- 341 Echezeaux - Vintage 1985**
Jayer-Gilles
6tal
"Complex, youthful and exuberantly spicy aromas soar from the glass and this is still very fresh. The robust, rich, powerful flavors are full and sweet with excellent depth and a finish that offers fully resolved tannins yet impressive vibrancy and length. In short, this is a terrific '85 that is not only in good shape but will be capable of at least another decade of life."(93pts BH)
 6 bottles per lot \$1000-1500
- 342 Echezeaux - Vintage 1986**
G. & H. Mayer
2lbsl
 2 bottles per lot \$700-900
- 343 Echezeaux - Vintage 1986**
H. Mayer
vlbsl
"Had a great nose full of meat and spice along with the Mayer deep purple. There was a touch of must on the palate, but it was still exquisite. Mayer was a master of the so-called lesser vintages."(93pts JK)
 3 bottles per lot \$2200-3000
- 344 Echezeaux - Vintage 1989**
G. & H. Mayer
3lbsl
"The 1989 G & H Mayer Echezeaux was concentrated and so Mayer, with lots of acid and rich, earthy, dark fruit flavors and sundried, intense, Sahara flavors."(95pts JK)
 3 bottles per lot \$1200-1500
- 345 Echezeaux - Vintage 1991**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
2vlbsl, 1vlsc, 1lscl
"Smooth, ripe and opulent, layering the currant, black cherry and raspberry fruit with grace notes of spice and toast. Intense in flavor and refreshingly balanced with a thread of acidity, this is approachable now..."(93pts WS)
 2 bottles per lot \$800-1000
- 346 Echezeaux - Vintage 1991**
G. & H. Mayer
"In stark contrast to the power and richness of the of the '90, the '91 is much more elegant and understated in style with finely detailed, moderately mature aromas that are a mix of primary and secondary aromas followed by precise, reserved and quite fine flavors underpinned by outstanding length. There is still solid structure here but it's ripe and beginning to soften and this should be at its peak in the 2005 area. This is really a lovely effort and wonderfully classy."(90pts BH)
 6 bottles per lot \$3000-4000

- 347 Echezeaux - Vintage 1993**
Dujac
"Gorgeously perfumed nose of stunning complexity offering a brilliant array of spice and earth notes leads to intense, medium weight, chiseled and very precise flavors that offer extremely impressive richness and complexity on the long backend."(91pts BH)
 3 bottles per lot \$700-1000
- 348 Echezeaux - Vintage 1993**
G. & H. Jayer
"A stunning nose of oriental spice and subtle earth and underbrush notes is followed by beautifully complex, intense and pure, medium weight flavors of impressive density and length. This is not as showy as it was when it was young but the underlying potential this displayed in its youth has been almost completely realized. This is knocking on the door of full maturity though for my tastes, I would give it another 2 to 4 years of cellar time before drinking the '93 Ech over the next 20+ years as it will definitely be a long-distance runner."(94pts BH)
 2 bottles per lot \$1200-1600
- 349 Echezeaux - Vintage 1995**
G. & H. Jayer
"A potent nose that displays a lovely mix of primary and secondary aromas, discreet wood and an attractive spice component leads to rich yet still firm flavors that offer good depth, ample power and excellent length. The tannins, while still noticeable, are ripe and well-integrated into the overall fabric of the wine, particularly on the long finish this is a lovely wine that is still on its way up."(91pts BH)
 6 bottles per lot \$2000-3000
- 350 Echezeaux - Vintage 1995**
H. Jayer
"A deeply earthy and very animale nose that is just beginning to display some secondary nuance on the densely fruited nose that continues onto the developing but not quite ready flavors that possess excellent concentration and much better phenolic ripeness than many '95s, all wrapped in a powerful, delicious and still firm and long finish. This is one of those wines that is still on its way up yet far enough along that one can easily begin to see how good it will finally be when it arrives at its majority"(93pts BH)
 2 bottles per lot \$1500-2000
- 351 Echezeaux - Vintage 1995**
H. Jayer
 2 magnums per lot \$3200-4200
- 352 Echezeaux - Vintage 1996**
G. & H. Jayer
"Deep, bright ruby-red. Explosive nose combines dark berries, kirsch, violet, spice and smoked meat. Sweet, sappy and large-scaled, but with great delineation of flavor for a wine of this size."
 (93pts IWC)
 6 bottles per lot \$2400-3200
- 353 Echezeaux - Vintage 1999**
G. & H. Jayer
 6 bottles per lot \$3500-4800
- 354 Echezeaux - Vintage 2003**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
"Unquestionably the finest Ech zeaux I have encountered from this famed estate, the 2003 explodes from the glass with candied raspberries, violet, and red cherries. Stunningly marrying elegance with richness and density, this medium to full-bodied wine is ample, pure, and velvety-textured. Loads of sweet red fruits are found in its persistent, sensual character."(95pts)
 6 bottles per lot \$1800-2400
- 355 Gevrey Chambertin - Vintage 1961**
Clos St. Jacques, Clair Dau
2lbsl, 1lsl, 1lwisl, 1sdc, outstanding color and condition
 2 bottles per lot \$500-700
- 356 Gevrey Chambertin - Vintage 1969**
Clos St. Jacques, Clair Dau
2lbsl
"Wonderfully complex, indeed riveting nose of mature older burg aromas and full, rich, intense, beautifully delineated, medium weight flavors of outstanding persistence and very impressive depth. Some '69s don't have the mid-palate to balance the acidity but this is impressively harmonious and extremely long."(93pts BH)
 2 magnums per lot \$1000-1350
- 357 Gevrey Chambertin - Vintage 2002**
Clos St. Jacques, L. Jadot
owc
"The black cherry, spice, pepper, and rose-scented 2002 Gevrey-Chambertin Clos St.-Jacques does not require any assistance. Big, lush, energetic, and elegant, its medium to full-bodied personality coats the taster's palate with a myriad of spicy black fruits. Majestically ripe cherries, blackberries, roasting spices, and stones can be found in its complex flavor profile as well as in its long, sweet, supple finish."(92-94pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$600-800
- 358 Gevrey Chambertin - Vintage 1996**
Lavaux St. Jacques, C. Dugat
"This wine is significantly better than most grand crus I have tasted. It has a medium-to-dark ruby color, an incredibly dense nose of super-ripe red and black fruits, and a sublime full-bodied character. This wine is redolent with luxurious, deeply-ripe, and seamless red and black cherry fruit. It is concentrated, powerful, broad, rich, dense, structured, and complex."(93-95pts)
 6 bottles per lot \$500-700
- 359 Grands Echezeaux**
Leroy
 - **Vintage 1959** vlbsl, outstanding col & cond (1)
 - **Vintage 1966** lbsl, outstanding col & cond (1)
 Above 2 bottles per lot \$950-1300

- 360 Grands Echezeaux**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
 - **Vintage 1969** vlbl (1)
 - **Vintage 1972** 1-4.25cm, 1-4.75cm (3)
 1lbl, 1bsl, 1nl, 2cuc
 - **Vintage 1980** vlbl, cuc (1)
 Above 5 bottles per lot \$1700-2200

- 361 Grands Echezeaux - Vintage 1985**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
 1vlbl, 1lbl, 1lsl, 1cuc
 "This offering has an absolutely glorious nose of oriental spices, sweet black fruits, smoke, and earth. In the mouth, it is opulent and rich, with super-ripe fruit and a silky texture. This fabulous wine is showing even better than I would have thought." (94pts)
 2 bottles per lot \$1700-2200

- 362 Grands Echezeaux - Vintage 2003**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
 "The 2003 Grands-Echezeaux, which bursts with aromas of jammy blackberries as well as black cherries, is medium to full-bodied and fleshy. Sappy black fruits and distinctive notes of black chocolate are found in its expressive, bold personality. Refined, pure, and muscular huge amounts of firm yet ripe tannin." (96pts)
 6 bottles per lot \$2000-2600

- 363 Griottes Chambertin - Vintage 1985**
Chezeaux
 lbl, lsl, lscl
 1 magnum per lot \$1000-1500

- 364 Griottes Chambertin - Vintage 1999**
C. Dugat
 "...this is an exceptional wine in every respect with an explosively ripe and seductive nose of fantastically complex black cherries and spice notes that are followed by rich, lush and opulent full-bodied flavors that possess monumental amounts of extract that coats and stains the palate, all wrapped in a velvety and incredibly long finish. This is really most impressive and while it's not clear that it's a candidate for really long-term aging, it is already so approachable that it could be drunk now with pleasure or aged for at least another decade. In short, this is absolutely terrific juice." (95pts BH)
 2 bottles per lot \$1200-1800

- 365 Griottes Chambertin - Vintage 2001**
C. Dugat
 "Knockout high-pitched nose combines blackberry, violet, bitter chocolate and mint. Superconcentrated and sweet, with superb density leavened by a strong mineral component. Wonderfully perfumed and elegant wine. The Charmes finishes with more obvious tannic structure and power, but this is classier and more aromatic." (95pts IWC)
 2 bottles per lot \$700-900

- 366 Griottes Chambertin - Vintage 2002**
C. Dugat
 "Dugat's 2002 Griotte-Chambertin is denser, broader, and more layered than his Charmes. It explodes from the glass with a myriad of spices. On the palate, espresso beans are intermingled with red cherries, blackberries, and mocha. Broad, ample, and seductive, it is a sensual, hugely concentrated wine with an admirably long, fruit-packed finish." (97-8pts)
 2 bottles per lot \$900-1200

- 367 La Romanee - Vintage 1953**
Leroy
 "Enticing nose of crushed grapes, nuts, seeds, light vanilla, plum and honey, with much still in reserve...mocha, leather and still young on the palate... If I was served this wine blind, I would guess 1978, said Ray...got a lotta oohs and aahs and oomph like 100mph without a driver...Truly pegged dried strawberries ...a leathery, mineral edge to the finish excellent bordering on outstanding for the first hour or two...gets a little more tea and coffee in the glass over time, with a tiramisu sweetness." (94pts JK)
 2 bottles per lot \$1500-2000

- 368 La Romanee - Vintage 1966**
Bouchard, Pere et Fils
 2lbl, 2lsl, 1lgsl, 2sdc, excellent color and condition
 2 bottles per lot \$1500-2000

- 369 La Romanee - Vintage 1969**
A. Bichot
 2bsl, excellent color and condition
 2 bottles per lot \$1000-1400

- 370 La Romanee - Vintage 1993**
Bouchard, Pere et Fils
 "...showing some nice concentration of red berry flavor and tannins that clamp down on the finish. Of medium body, with lovely rose petal and currant notes." (90pts WS)
 3 bottles per lot \$600-800

- 371 La Romanee - Vintage 1993**
Bouchard, Pere et Fils
 vlbl
 1 magnum per lot \$500-750

- 372 La Romanee - Vintage 1999**
Bouchard, Pere et Fils
 1lsl
 "Very deep, almost black ruby color. There is a healthy dose of new wood but there is absolutely no doubt that this wine has sufficient density to absorb it. The intensity of this wine is dialed way up with thick, super ripe aromas of black berries, oriental spices, tea, leather and a trace of underbrush coupled with extremely dense, extract of pinot noir flavors and fine, dusty tannins that create a massively structured wine..." (96pts BH)
 2 bottles per lot \$900-1200

373 La Tache - Vintage 1959

Domaine de la Romanee Conti
 5cm bc, bsl, ltl, nl, cuc, outstanding color
 "Amazing nose - so youthful - honey there with round and rich red fruits with a touch of Kahlua and chocolate has an incredible vanilla extract quality as well palate screams outstanding sweet, leathery fruit outstanding length Bipin called it 'flawless.' It must have been - Bipin actually finished his glass! '1959 was a big harvest with an extremely ripe, very mature crop that we brought in earlier than waqs usual in that era, which is to say September 25th. Our wines drank well for the first 20 years of their lives but now should be drunk. The vintage reminds me a lot of 1990.' There you have it."(99pts JK)

1 bottle per lot \$3000-4000

374 La Tache - Vintage 1966

Domaine de la Romanee Conti
 vlbsl, nl, cuc, #06569, outstanding color and condition
 "Aubert noted, 'We had excellent harvest conditions, beginning on October 5th, with a perfectly clean crop and good quantity. In short, it was perfect in every way and we did virtually no triage (sorting) work. Here at the Domaine, we produced.'"(94pts JK)

1 bottle per lot \$1500-2000

375 La Tache - Vintage 1969

Domaine de la Romanee Conti
 bsl, tal, cuc, #08429, outstanding color and condition
 "A pungent, smoked duck, Asian spice, sweet, red and black fruit, caramel-like bouquet explodes from the glass. If there is ever a wine that can be said to reek of terroir, it is this 1969."(94pts)

1 bottle per lot \$1000-1500

376 La Tache - Vintage 1971

Domaine de la Romanee Conti
 vlbsl, cuc, outstanding color and condition
 "Rose and oil were first and foremost, then there was this menage a toi of citrus, leather and cedar, you know, the tasteful kind ha ha. The vitamins, minerals, spice and overall depth were extraordinary. This is the 71 LT I know and love, I wrote. The musk qualities were bringing sexy back, and the wine itself was bordering on a sexual experience. This was sheer liquid nobility, and all these observations are just describing the aromas! The palate kept pace with the nose; first and foremost, there was rust, citrus and spine galore. Its t n a was enormous, searing my mouth with its laser-like precision and possessing enough acidity to go another 36 years. There was a touch of vanilla and cream soda, and a also hint of eucalyptus. Rich and rusty with great spice, the 71 La Tache also had a hint of tomato stew, in a good way. What a wine."(98pts JK)

1 bottle per lot \$2600-3500

377 La Tache - Vintage 1985

Domaine de la Romanee Conti
 sdc
 "Divine nose - a sweet, catnip quality cherry liqueur, roses, almost a little grapefruit without the pungency great earth and t 'n a round out the nose a leathery, rich palate with nice truffle flavors and big alcohol and tannins present still what I would call tannic, although smoothly so I thought the wine was outstanding with a long life ahead of it..."(95pts JK)

1 bottle per lot \$2200-3000

378 La Tache - Vintage 1990

Domaine de la Romanee Conti
 lbsl, nl
 "I cannot think of a more profound, young red Burgundy tasted than DRC's 1990 La Tache. Although it still requires another 3-4 years of cellaring, it is incredibly endowed, with an extraordinary perfume of Asian spices as well as jammy black raspberries, cherries, and blackberries infused with smoke, toast, and dried herbs. Full-bodied, but ethereal, with layers of flavor, as well as mind-boggling delicacy and complexity..."(100pts)

1 bottle per lot \$3200-4200

379 La Tache - Vintage 1995

Domaine de la Romanee Conti
 "It is intensely profound, and super-ripe yet harmonious. Its extraordinarily long finish (it tails off with a sweet kirsch kiss) flabbergasted me."(95pts)

1 bottle per lot \$750-1000

380 La Tache - Vintage 2003

Domaine de la Romanee Conti
 "The 2003 La Tache reveals aromas of milk chocolate, violets, roses, and dark cherries. Suave, displaying massive amplitude and a full-bodied, velvety-textured character, this behemoth's flavor profile brings to mind chocolate-covered black cherries. Immensely powerful and noble, it offers an interminable finish that is packed with flawlessly ripe, sweet tannin."(99pts)

6 bottles per lot \$7000-9000

381 Mazis Chambertin - Vintage 1995

D'Auvenay (Leroy)
 "The Mazis-Chambertin was made from amazingly low yields (9 h/h). Possessing a very dark, almost black color, and an engulfing, deeply intense, brooding nose, this wine's oily texture, wild berries and spices intertwined with minerals and rocks must be tasted to be believed. Highly structured, full-bodied and powerful, this super-concentrated offering needs 7-9 years of cellaring. I suspect it will be at it best over the subsequent 10-14 years."(95pts)

2 bottles per lot \$500-650

- 382 Mazis Chambertin - Vintage 1996**
L. Jadot
"Red-ruby. Highly nuanced nose combines black raspberry, soy sauce, graphite, chocolate, espresso, iris and flank steak. Sweet and intensely flavored, but strong framing acids and powerful extract give this wine a rather severe aspect today. Finishes very long and uncompromising."(91+?pts IWC)
6 bottles per lot \$450-600
- 383 Musigny - Vintage 1959**
Bouchard, Pere et Fils
1-4cm bc, 2lbsl, excellent color and condition
2 bottles per lot \$1400-1800
- 384 Musigny - Vintage 1966**
A. Bichot bsl, outstanding color and condition (1)
- Vintage 1969
J. Hudelot 5.25cm bc, lbsl, lscl, sdc (1)
Above 2 bottles per lot \$650-850
- 385 Musigny - Vintage 1991**
G. Roumier
"The 1991 Roumier Musigny was up for the challenge of being paired with its more esteemed brother. It was more typical in style, with that waiify elegance and forceful, feminine aromatics of red fruits, cured meat and green olives. There was ample t'n a in this well-balanced and long beauty."(95pts JK)
2 bottles per lot \$2000-3000
- 386 Musigny - Vintage 1995**
L. Jadot
"Quite dark-colored, Jadot's Musigny reveals touches of cinnamon and blackberries in its intensely floral nose. On the palate, this full-bodied, velvety-textured, powerful wine explodes with copious quantities of roasted herbs, coffee, blackberries and violets and has an admirable finish."(90-93pts)
6 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 387 Musigny - Vintage 1996**
L. Jadot
"This dark ruby-colored wine offers sublime aromas of violets, roses, and blackberries dusted with baby powder and has a full-bodied, thickly-textured, powerful, yet controlled personality. Its flavor profile is tense and tightly wound, but extraordinary layers of chocolate-covered cherries, sweetly charred oak, and coffee are discernable. It has the elegant femininity of a ballerina and the muscle of a body builder. Its seemingly unending finish is buttressed by loads of ripe tannins."(93-95pts)
6 bottles per lot \$1200-1500
- 388 Musigny - Vintage 2001**
G. Roumier
"...reveals remarkably complex aromas of a simply incredible panoply of black fruits, earth, spice, crushed herbs and notes of red and black cherries. The understated, powerful, very concentrated, perfectly harmonious flavors are astonishingly rich yet finely detailed, culminating in a stupendously long finish that offers intense minerality. This possesses superb elegance and is perhaps the most transparent wine in this entire flight, which is saying something. Moreover, it possesses that extra dimension, that of the rare "wow" factor!..."(94pts BH)
1 bottle per lot \$1000-1300
- 389 Musigny - Vintage 2002**
G. Roumier
"...a high-toned floral and spicy black fruit nose which leads to rich, full and sweet flavors that seamlessly merge into a finish of striking depth and superb concentration underpinned by very ripe and suave tannins. Like its '02 Bonnes Mares stable mate, this is truly a fantastic effort that should age brilliantly as it is already a multi-dimensional wine."(95pts BH)
1 bottle per lot \$1300-1600
- 390 Musigny - Vintage 2002**
J. Drouhin
"Stunningly pure, spicy and refined black fruit aromas lead to silky, velvety, concentrated and magnificently rich flavors that ooze class and breed. The intensity does a slowbuild from the richly textured mid-palate to an explosively long finish. In short, this is a classic example of the old adage of an iron fist in a velvet glove as the buried structure and perfect balance will permit this to age for a very long time indeed and if it adds additional complexity over time, my score will seem quite conservative."(94pts BH)
6 bottles per lot \$1400-1800
- 391 Musigny - Vintage 1990**
Vieilles Vignes, Comte de Vogue
"The Bordeaux-like, saturated dense ruby/purple color is followed by a tight-fisted nose and flavors of black fruits, underbrush, minerals, smoke, and new oak... This loaded effort should prove to be one of the longest-lived red Burgundies made in the last twenty years."(96pts)
12 bottles per lot \$4500-5500
- 392 Musigny - Vintage 1996**
Vieilles Vignes, Comte de Vogue
"Harmony defined. Full-bodied and without a glitch, here's a red Burgundy so supple it caresses the palate, all the while delivering a mineral, i terroir n -driven character that's simply spectacular."(96pts WS)
5 bottles per lot \$1800-2200

- 393 Pommard - Vintage 1964**
Clos des Epeneaux, Comte Armand
 1-4.25cm bc, relabeled, 2cuc, excellent color and condition
 2 bottles per lot \$700-900
- 394 Pommard - Vintage 1978**
Clos des Epeneaux, Comte Armand
 2lbls, 2lgsl, 1spc, magnum bsl
"Bricked through to the center. A pure, elegant, vibrant and soaring nose features strong sous bois, warm earth, subtle spice and plenty of underbrush notes, most of which are also picked up by the delicious, detailed, sappy and notably rich flavors that possess good precision and a truly lovely harmony of expression. The mouth coating finish is not as long as the very best here but it's remarkably pure and Zen-like, indeed it reminds me more than a little of the '49 in this respect. While the structure is fully resolved, the balance is so good that it should continue to hold at this level for some years to come."(93pts BH)
 Above 2 bottles and 1 magnum per lot \$850-1050
- 395 Richebourg - Vintage 1959**
C. Vienot
 1-4cm bc, 1sdc, excellent color and condition
 3 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 396 Richebourg - Vintage 1990**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
 2vlbsl, 2vlscl
"Amazing nose - incredible t'n a that is somehow ripe as will red fruits dominate with a hint of black here earth, truffle, leather, and game aromas are all divine singularly and collectively huge yet silky with a fabulous finish, fabulous fruit yes, this is fabulous wine, absolutely if you will secondary aromas of soy and mocha, with a pinch of sawdust massive ripeness and finish."(97pts JK)
 2 bottles per lot \$2400-3500
- 397 Richebourg**
- Vintage 1990
Gros Frere et Soeur (2)
J. Gros wisl (1)
- Vintage 1993
A. & F. Gros (1)
- Vintage 1996
A. Gros (1)
 Above 5 bottles per lot \$1350-1700
- 398 Richebourg - Vintage 1991**
A & F Gros
 6lbls
"This too has always drunk well, even just after its release and I have had the pleasure of having it many times. Bright, fresh and lively with only a trace of secondary aromas with rich but still tight flavors underpinned by ripe, balanced tannic structure and outstanding length. This shows dazzling complexity and is quite fine despite the extraordinary richness. Not as forward and a bit more structured than the Jean Gros yet virtually at the same quality level. Despite the hint of finishing tannin, this has arrived at its apogee and I would be drinking it over the next 10 to 15 years. A great Richebourg. Multiple notes."(94pts BH)
 6 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 399 Richebourg - Vintage 1993**
A. & F. Gros
"The intense and primary pinot fruit just explodes from the glass offering nuanced aromas of spice, smoke and earth. Still quite tight with precise, velvet-coated flavors that are dense, chewy and extremely long. Very pretty, very powerful wine that goes on and on and this should live for years. I have had the pleasure of trying this many times over the years and it never fails to impress..."(94pts BH)
 3 bottles per lot \$600-750
- 400 Richebourg - Vintage 1991**
Leroy
 vlbsl
"A beauty of deep and dark color, sweet and ripe flavors. this has tons of fruit balancing nicely against the firmly structured tannins. Delicious currant, spice and ginger flavors go into a lush finish..."(94pts WS)
 1 bottle per lot \$400-500
- 401 Richebourg - Vintage 1993**
Meo Camuzet
"Near-perfect Pinot Noir. Tough and hard but packed with so much flavor, earth and mineral, it just bounces like a ball all over the palate, teasing you with nuances you didn't think you were able to pick up."(99pts WS)
 1 bottle per lot \$750-1000
- 402 Richebourg - Vintage 1996**
L. Jadot
"Dark colored and aromatically displaying deep and sweet red cherries and blackberries sprinkled with perfume, this is a magnificent, expansive, expressive, and exquisite wine. It is full-bodied, elegant, powerful, velvety-textured, and jam-packed with candied red and black cherries, cassis, and minerals. Its long, defined, and classy finish displays soft, luxurious and extraordinarily supple tannins."(92-94pts)
 6 bottles per lot \$900-1200

- 403 Richebourg - Vintage 2002**
Meo Camuzet
"Brooding, backward and tight but with more aromatic intensity, revealing subtle black fruit aromas, earth and an intense spiciness followed by big, muscular and very powerful flavors and a huge amount of extract that completely buffers the very firm tannins. This will require lots of time but it should live for 25 years or more. Don't even think of opening this for at least ten years."(95pts BH)
 2 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 404 Romanee St. Vivant - Vintage 1990**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
vlbsl, vlsc
"I found the 1990 to have a pervasive earthy, cinnamon, clove, sweet fruit-scented nose intermingled with scents of spicy new oak. Although closed, the wine exhibits great depth, medium to full body, and copious quantities of hard tannins in the long, structured, austere finish. It requires a patient buyer."(92pts)
 1 bottle per lot \$750-1000
- 405 Romanee St. Vivant**
R. Arnoux
 - **Vintage 1990** vlbsl (1)
 - **Vintage 1991** (1)
 - **Vintage 1993** (1)
 Above 3 bottles per lot \$650-850
- 406 Romanee St. Vivant - Vintage 1995**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
"The RSV had a spiny, rusty nose as well with lots of t'n a and an initial enormous impression after the '71. The palate had a lighter body than what the nose indicated but was still nice, gamy and meaty with nice iron, brick and fireplace flavors, improving in the glass."(93pts JK)
 2 bottles per lot \$800-1000
- 407 Romanee St. Vivant - Vintage 1996**
Cathiard
5vlbsl
"Sexy, seductive, spicy and elegant. In short, this is everything a great Romanée St. Vivant should be with captivating complexity and endlessly fascinating flavor nuances culminating in a finish that seemingly lasts forever. I could taste this the next day, it was that compelling. As one would expect, this is still in its infancy and while there is plenty of mid-palate extract, this finishes with a wallop of tannins that will require every bit of a decade to resolve plus a touch of wood spice. Terrific."(93pts BH)
 6 bottles per lot \$600-800
- 408 Romanee St. Vivant - Vintage 1996**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
"Most peppery - white again..the most t'n a in the nose so far...white fruits in the nose as well with a touch of spearmint...a bit unyielding on the palate and the most peppery with a touch of wheatgrass...Steve called it the biggest and most rustic and felt the wine had more potential than I did."(93+pts JK)
 2 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 409 Romanee St. Vivant - Vintage 1996**
Leroy
vlbsl
"Really exotic and intense, with spicy oak, concentrated blackberry, cassis and earth flavors, this is an exciting, multidimensional '96. Ultrafine tannins and racy acidity provide structure for the flavors, which keep pumping on a finish that goes on forever."(98pts WS)
 1 bottle per lot \$500-700
- 410 Romanee St. Vivant - Vintage 1999**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
"Remarkably dense aromas of classic Vosne spice and crushed blackberries, full-bodied, very sappy flavors with a terrific inner core of complexity and still more spice. The purity of extract displayed here is mind bending and the overall harmony of expression is something to see."(94pts BH)
 2 bottles per lot \$1300-1600
- 411 Romanee St. Vivant - Vintage 2001**
J.J. Confuron
ocb
"Expressive, very spicy aromas cut by soy, anise and black cherries lead to silky, suave, pure and beautifully understated, rich flavors. There is solid structure here but it is buried under the velvety finish and goes on and on. This is not especially big or dense but this is very classy juice with superb harmony."(92pts BH)
 6 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 412 Romanee St. Vivant - Vintage 2003**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
"Perhaps the biggest Roman e-St.-Vivant produced at this domaine, the 2003 offers aromatics as well as flavors reminiscent of black fruits drenched in dark chocolate. Full-bodied, velvety-textured, as well as concentrated, it is immensely ripe, crammed with tannin, and vaunts an amazingly long finish."(95pts)
 3 bottles per lot \$1500-2000
- 413 Romanee St. Vivant**
Les Quatre Journaux, L. Latour
 - **Vintage 1952** 1-6cm bc, 2bsl, excellent color (2)
 - **Vintage 1953** 2bsl, 2tl, 1tl, excellent color (2)
 - **Vintage 1955** 2-3cm bc, 2bsl, excellent color (2)
 - **Vintage 1959** 1-4.5cm bc, 1-4cm bc, ex. color (2)
 Above 8 bottles per lot \$2600-3200

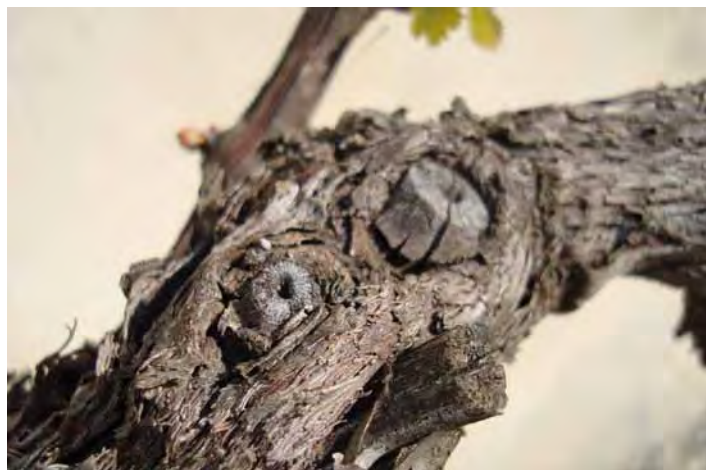
- 414 Volnay - Vintage 1985**
Clos de la Bousse d'Or, Pousse d'Or 3vlbsl (3)
Clos des Ducs, Marquis d'Angerville 2vlbsl, 1ltl (2)
 Above 5 bottles per lot \$750-950
- 415 Volnay - Vintage 1971**
Clos des Chenes, M. Lafarge
3lbsl, 2wasl, 2tl, excellent color and condition
"A soaring, complex and perfectly mature nose that displays only the initial touches of sous bois merges into rich, full, sweet and fully resolved flavors..."
(92pts BH)
 3 bottles per lot \$700-900
- 416 Volnay - Vintage 1969**
Clos des Ducs, Marquis d'Angerville
lbsl, vlscl, sdc, outstanding color and condition
 1 bottle per lot \$300-400
- 417 Volnay - Vintage 2002**
Clos des Ducs, Marquis d'Angerville
*"As it almost always is in its youth, this is a linear wine but the '02 ratchets up the minerality and that sense of almost exacting precision and detail yet here there is another level of elegance and purity with absolutely perfect harmony and a subtle, understated, almost Zen-like reserve."**(94pts BH)*
 6 bottles per lot \$600-800
- 418 Volnay - Vintage 2002**
Clos des Ducs, Marquis d'Angerville
owc
 1 Jeroboam per lot \$600-800
- 419 Volnay**
Les Caillerets, H. Boillot
- Vintage 1978 2lbsl, 2vlscl, 1bsl, 1nl (3)
- Vintage 1980 2lbsl, 2lsc, 1vlbsl, 1vlwrl (3)
 Above 6 bottles per lot \$700-900
- 420 Volnay - Vintage 1990**
Santenots, Comte Lafon
3bsl, 3wasl
*"Comte Lafon's spectacular 1990 Volnay Les Santenots retains a dense dark ruby color as well as stunning aromatics of cherry liqueur, minerals, spice box, and vanillin. Fleshy, full-bodied, muscular, youthful, and vigorous, this exuberant, stunningly proportioned and concentrated red Burgundy can be drunk now, but it will benefit from another 1-2 years of cellaring."**(94pts)*
 6 magnums per lot \$1200-1500

- 421 Vosne Romanee - Vintage 1989**
Cros Parantoux, H. Mayer
1vlbsl
*"A monumentally spicy nose opens with such breed and complexity that it is of undeniable grand cru quality. The medium-full, beautifully delineated yet velvety flavors offer terrific mouth feel, stunning length and no shortage of supporting structure; indeed this finishes with a certain chewiness. In sum, this is elegant, extremely complex and very long and unlike many '89s, this is not even breathing hard and while it probably won't last as long as the '88, it should hold for another 20 years."**(93pts BH)*
 3 bottles per lot \$4500-6000
- 422 Vosne Romanee - Vintage 1993**
Cros Parantoux, H. Mayer
1cuc
*"Massively constructed and still incredibly primary in every respect with its blend of spice and black pinot fruit plus a pungent, penetrating mineral firmness and vibrant acidity. The tannins coat the mouth yet they are ripe and the wine exudes balance and harmony. While this is stunning now, it is nowhere close to ready. Check back in 2008 though I suspect the 93 Cros will still be several years short of its peak as this has 30 years of aging potential. One of the truly great wines of the vintage."**(95pts BH)*
 3 bottles per lot \$4500-6000
- 423 Vosne Romanee - Vintage 1995**
Cros Parantoux, H. Mayer
1wasl
*"Deep, rich, expansive fruit offering intriguing notes of wonderfully rich Vosne spice and packed flavors displaying solid structure and ripeness. Rich, long and quite tannic at this point though the tannins are round and there is no evidence of any astringency. The pieces are all in place for a long, slow evolution and if this can develop additional complexity over time, my score may be conservative."**(92pts BH)*
 3 magnums per lot \$7500-10500
- 424 Vosne Romanee - Vintage 1996**
Cros Parantoux, H. Mayer
3lwasl, 3lbsl
*"Fabulous nose - very stylish, elegant and poised on the nose dust, smoke and sand in the nose...huge on the palate - spice, intensity, grip and length leather, plums, chocolate, milk and earth desert flavors (a new one for me - a shade of leather)."**(94pts JK)*
 6 bottles per lot \$9000-12000
- 425 Vosne Romanee - Vintage 1996**
Cros Parantoux, H. Mayer
 1 magnum per lot \$3500-5000
- 426 Vosne Romanee - Vintage 1997**
Cros Parantoux, H. Mayer
 6 bottles per lot \$6000-8000

- 427 Vosne Romanee - Vintage 1999**
Cros Parantoux, H. Jayer
Ilwisl
"Deep, spectacular nose full of black and purple fruits, deep dark violet, brimming with that cup runneth over 1999 fruit, complemented by brick, leather and earth aromas and traces of cinnamon. In the mouth, its fruit was tender, wound yet seductive with delicious brick and leather backbones. Still on the baby side, the fruit was coy and on the red side of currant flavors. Its gorgeous, smoky fruit was adolescent yet still ready to be Burgundy's next top model, silky smooth and classy with a just right, nice touch of toasty oak."(96+pts JK)
6 bottles per lot \$11000-15000
- 428 Vosne Romanee - Vintage 2001**
Cros Parantoux, H. Jayer
6 bottles per lot \$9000-1200
- 429 Vosne Romanee - Vintage 1980**
Les Brulees, H. Jayer
"Really pretty and lovely spicy fruit that reveal somewhat more mature aromas than the '80 Meurgers that now display the initial hints of sous bois but have retained very fine detail and good finishing power and richness. In short, a very fine effort, especially for the vintage that should be drunk up over the next 5 to 8 years."(91pts BH)
1 bottle per lot \$900-1200
- 430 Vosne Romanee - Vintage 1990**
Les Brulees, Leroy
"...roasted nose of meat and smoky black fruit is flashy and extroverted. In the mouth, this wine exhibits a broad-shouldered, expansive, succulent texture, with oodles of flavor and glycerin, as well as heady alcohol to go along with the spectacularly rich, unctuous finish. Even though the tannins are noticeable, it is a thrilling wine to drink at present."(96pts)
3 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 431 Vosne Romanee - Vintage 1962**
Les Malconsorts, Cathiard 1-5.5cm bc, 2bsl, (2)
2sdc, 2sos, excellent color
Les Malconsorts, Lamarche 4cm bc, bsl, tl, (1)
outstanding color, excellent condition
Above 3 bottles per lot \$1050-1350
- 432 Vosne Romanee - Vintage 2002**
Les Malconsorts, Cathiard
"Floral hints combine with earth and intense black fruits and lead to stunningly pure, detailed and focused flavors that are powerful and robust. This is quite masculine in character with length to burn and this will require time to shed its considerable structure as well as to absorb the last bit of remaining oak. While one could start sampling it with another 4 to 5 years in bottle, my view is that this will require 12 to 15 years before it is at its peak. In short, this is beautiful juice."(92pts BH)
6 bottles per lot \$750-1000
- 433 Vosne Romanee**
Les Suchots, R. Arnoux
- **Vintage 1993** (3)
- **Vintage 1999** (6)
Above 9 bottles per lot \$700-900
- 434 Batard Montrachet - Vintage 1982**
Domaine Leflaive
2hwasl, 2hbsl
"Understandably, while not quite as fresh as from magnum format (see the database), the nose is still impressively bright and elegant with mature and wonderfully complex aromas that are followed by rich, full and powerful flavors that are still vibrant and detailed, offering the same superb depth and stunning length. A flat out great B tard that is drinking perfectly well now and should continue to do so. In sum, a terrific wine at its peak."(94pts BH)
2 magnums per lot \$2400-3000
- 435 Batard Montrachet - Vintage 1983**
Domaine Leflaive
6 bottles per lot \$2000-2600
- 436 Batard Montrachet - Vintage 1983**
Domaine Leflaive
2wasl, 2bsl, 1wrl
3 magnums per lot \$2600-3500
- 437 Batard Montrachet - Vintage 1983**
L. Latour
6bsl
6 bottles per lot \$600-800
- 438 Batard Montrachet - Vintage 1985**
Domaine Leflaive
3lbsl
"Mature yet very fresh and utterly stunning nose of Chevalier-like precision with B tard richness and volume leading to wonderfully complex, expansive, deep flavors and length to burn. This is one of the finest examples of this cru that I have ever tasted from Leflaive and I just kept marveling over the seemingly endless aromatic nuances as it kept changing and evolving in the glass for almost two hours."
(95pts BH)
3 bottles per lot \$1400-1800
- 439 Batard Montrachet - Vintage 1986**
Domaine Leflaive
2lgs, 2lbsl, 2sdc
"The following white had a 'crazy/wacko/intense' nose. It was incredibly waxy, screaming with acidity and exotic green, Spanish olives. The nose was staggeringly complex; racy, buttery and almost briny with loads of minerals. It was so pungent without being pungent, if that makes sense. Brad felt there was 'too much acidity and not as balanced,' and someone said it reminded them of 'Sauzet' with its 'lemon tones.' It did have great pitch and harmony, also with anise, butter and corn flavors. It was an amazing bottle of the 1986 Domaine Leflaive Batard-Montrachet."(97pts JK)
2 bottles per lot \$800-1200

- 440 Batard Montrachet - Vintage 1986**
L. Latour
6lbls, 3sdc
6 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 441 Batard Montrachet - Vintage 1989**
Domaine Leflaive
1tl
“...possesses a gorgeous aroma of oranges, flowers, butter, and minerals. In the mouth, it is pure buttery fruit supported admirably by crisp acidity and a deft touch of toasty new oak.”(93pts)
2 bottles per lot \$800-1000
- 442 Batard Montrachet - Vintage 1990**
M. Niellon (1)
P. Pernot (1)
Ramonet (1)
Above 3 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 443 Batard Montrachet - Vintage 1992**
M. Niellon vlbsl, lstl (1)
P. Morey tl (1)
Sauzet sdc (1)
Above 3 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 444 Batard Montrachet - Vintage 1993**
Domaine Leflaive
6lbls
“Superbly complex and elegant fruit that is now displaying plenty of secondary development and leads to fat, forward yet stunningly detailed flavors that benefit from excellent acidity and cut plus a really impressive finish. Approachable now but certainly capable of holding further. Beautiful and classy juice. Consistent notes.”(92pts BH)
6 bottles per lot \$1200-1600
- 445 Batard Montrachet - Vintage 2002**
Domaine Leflaive
6vlbsl, 3nl, 2lstl
“Easily the most backward and reserved wine to this point as the nose reveals only hints of white flower and green fruit aromas but the flavors detonate on the palate like a bomb. The dense, big, rich and explosive full-bodied flavors are blessed with abundant dry extract and a finish that won't quit but for all of the size and weight, this is impeccably balanced. This has that “wow” factor and for the first time in a long, long time...”(93-95 BH)
6 bottles per lot \$1500-2000
- 446 Batard Montrachet - Vintage 2002**
Domaine Leflaive
owc
3 magnums per lot \$2400-3500
- 447 Batard Montrachet - Vintage 2004**
Domaine Leflaive
“Despite the presence of moderate reduction, the nose offers an elegant mix of wood spice, fresh and wonderfully nuanced high-toned white flower aromas and just a touch of exotic fruit that precedes sweet, rich and notably powerful flavors that possess exceptionally good dry extract levels which confer a textured, almost chewy mouth feel on the sleekly muscled and explosive finish. This is an impressive effort that is relatively racy by the usual standards found in B tard and one that should age for years.”(94pts BH)
6 bottles per lot \$1200-1500
- 448 Bienvenue Batard Montrachet - Vintage 1983**
Domaine Leflaive
3hgsl, 3bsl, 3lwrl, 3lwasl
“It had a similar style to the 1978 with its exotic fruit, although the 1983 was sweeter with much more pronounced tangerine. Again, crazy honey made an appearance, this time on the palate; crazy exotic honey city was the note at the time. The 1983 was very decadent and in a great spot.”(94pts JK)
3 bottles per lot \$600-750
- 449 Bienvenue Batard Montrachet - Vintage 1985**
Domaine Leflaive
2lstl, 1ltl, lbsl, hwasl, lwasl
“Classic Bienvenues nose of honeysuckle and white flowers that delivers a dazzling panoply of aromas. The flavors are still clean and extremely pure with round, rich, full, mouthcoating sappiness and superb length. This is as good a Leflaive Bienvenues as any of the decade.”(94pts BH)
3 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 450 Bienvenue Batard Montrachet - Vintage 1985**
Ramonet
“This is now completely mature though still fresh and beautifully complex, carrying white flower fruit and a touch of baked bread followed by lush, indeed even opulent honeysuckle notes on the rich, sweet, perfectly balanced finish. The intensity of the flavors is impressive and this is not far behind the '85 Montrachet. This is at its peak and while there is no rush to drink up, neither is there is reason to wait either. A gorgeous wine worthy of its grand cru status.”(93pts BH)
3 bottles per lot \$750-1000
- 451 Bienvenue Batard Montrachet - Vintage 1986**
Domaine Leflaive
lwasl
3 bottles per lot \$800-1000
- 452 Bienvenue Batard Montrachet - Vintage 1989**
Domaine Leflaive
3vlbsl, 3vlscl, 1stl
“Leflaive's grands crus include an excellent 1989 Bienvenue-Batard-Montrachet, which was backward and unevolved, although still impressive...”(90pts)
3 bottles per lot \$750-1050

- 453 Bienvenue Batard Montrachet - Vintage 1990**
Domaine Leflaive
"A very ripe yet elegant white flower fruit nose nuanced by mineral and citrus hints combines with round honeysuckle-infused medium weight flavors that possess excellent length."(93pts BH)
 3 bottles per lot \$750-1050
- 454 Bienvenue Batard Montrachet - Vintage 1993**
Domaine Leflaive
 6 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 455 Bienvenue Batard Montrachet - Vintage 1996**
L. Carillon
2lbl, 2gsl
"Stunningly pure fruit of honeysuckle, limestone and citrus with flavors that seemed to be the crystalline extract of stone combined with dazzling intensity and length. The balance is impeccable and the flavor detail is so good that a pointillist painting comes to mind. Simply one of the finest examples of Bienvenues I have ever had the pleasure of drinking."(96pts BH)
 2 bottles per lot \$600-800
- 456 Bienvenue Batard Montrachet**
Domaine Leflaive
 - **Vintage 1999** 1vlscl (3)
 - **Vintage 2000** (2)
 - **Vintage 2002** (3)
 Above 8 bottles per lot \$1300-1700
- 457 Bienvenue Batard Montrachet - Vintage 2000**
L. Carillon
"...classic honeysuckle and white flower aroma nose with full, rich, round, beautifully detailed flavors and an incredible long finish that builds from the mid-palate and continues in waves to the penetrating back end."(93pts BH)
 3 bottles per lot \$600-750
- 458 Bienvenue Batard Montrachet - Vintage 2002**
Domaine Leflaive
(from 44 year old vines, which are the oldest vines of the Domaine) Classic Bienvenues aromas of honeysuckle and white flowers introduce wonderfully rich and concentrated flavors that are wonderfully punchy and the intensity here is incredible. A profound Bienvenues that possesses such impeccable balance that it should age effortlessly. (93pts BH)
 6 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 459 Bienvenue Batard Montrachet - Vintage 2002**
L. Carillon
"Highly complex nose melds peach, nut oil, marzipan, clove, minerals and crushed stone. Wonderfully fat but bracing fruit offers terrific purity and citric thrust, with the new oak component adding a subtle sweetness. The highest in acidity of these 2002s at 4.4 grams per liter. A very closed vin de garde, in need of a good eight years of patience. One barrel was new out of just over two barrels produced."(94+?pts IWC)
 2 bottles per lot \$500-700
- 460 Chablis - Vintage 2002**
Les Clos, V. Dauvissat
"Tighter still and this is presently completely unevolved and almost aromatically mute, save for hints of exquisitely complex white flower and green apple notes leading to restrained yet powerful flavors that demonstrate little until the wine simply explodes on the finish with breathtaking, almost painful intensity. This is really a very subtle wine, understated in the extreme at the moment yet it is positively crystalline in its purity and minerality but it's the finish that really sets this apart as it lasts for minutes. In short, there is incredible volume, great power and unbelievable depth if not quite the finesse of the Preuses and this should drink well for 20 years."(94pts)
 10 bottles per lot \$700-1000
- 461 Chevalier Montrachet - Vintage 1982**
Domaine Leflaive
1bsl, 1stl
"While the color suggests an older wine, the nose is really still quite youthful for a 25 year old white with classically precise, pure and mineral-infused flavors where the finish really expands and becomes opulent and seductive, indeed almost creamy, which is rare for this wine. This has reached its peak and while it has been at this plateau for a while now, it should continue to hold well if you get a properly stored bottle. In a word, brilliant!"(95pts BH)
 1 bottle per lot \$500-650
- 462 Chevalier Montrachet - Vintage 1983**
Domaine Leflaive
3bsl, 2tl
"This is one of those rare examples of a 1983 that is formidably powerful as well as young and backward. I do not know how Leflaive achieved such a monstrous-sized wine that has remained so fresh and unevolved for nearly a decade. Although I have seen more evolution in the last 24 months than I did in the wine's first 7 years of life, it still needs at least 2 more years of cellaring. A huge wine by Leflaive's standards, and more massive and alcoholic than the domaine would prefer, it has turned out to be one of the great 1983s."(94pts)
 3 bottles per lot \$900-1200



- 463 Chevalier Montrachet - Vintage 1985**
Domaine Leflaive
 3vblsl, 3lstl, 1ltl
 “The 1985 *Domaine Leflaive Chevalier Montrachet* that I brought was served a little cold, and the nose was mild at first accordingly. There was no doubt about its purity, though, and complex aromas started to emerge. There was a touch of Ramonet-like mint, granulated sugar, white and yellow fruits, smoke and a hint of ceramic complexity eventually in its nose. The palate was rich and creamy with nice yeast and corn flavors and spectacular acidity. It felt like it had another twenty years left in it, and its acidity was clearly the best of the night so far. A hint of bitters on its finish didn't hold it back.”(96pts JK)
 3 bottles per lot \$1500-2000
- 464 Chevalier Montrachet - Vintage 1986**
Domaine Leflaive
 3lblsl
 “... loads of butter and caramel in the nose great spice and length to it has a mature (just entering the room of maturity), bready, crusty quality as well hint of corn rounds out the nose rich, honeycomb palate long finish, lingering acids lightly toasted bread flavors excellent balance of fruit and finish rich, round, ripe - outstanding! As expected, the wine held up about a good hour in the glass before starting to fade.”(96pts JK)
 3 bottles per lot \$1200-1800
- 465 Chevalier Montrachet - Vintage 1989**
Domaine Leflaive
 1tl
 “Superbly balanced, with everything in the right place. Has multidimensional mineral, lemon and earth aromas, full-bodied, yet restrained cream, vanilla, honey and earth flavors, super acidity and a super-long finish.”(96pts WS)
 3 bottles per lot \$1200-1500
- 466 Chevalier Montrachet - Vintage 1992**
Domaine Leflaive
 2lblsl, 2wc
 “...beautifully well-knit, expansively flavored, full-bodied, super-concentrated white burgundies that display honeyed, orange, roasted nut, overripe apple-scented noses, buttery, creamy textures, super extraction of flavor, and long finishes. The Batard exhibits more mineral scents in its nose and flavors, and is more upfront. The Chevalier-Montrachet appears to be holding more in reserve than the Batard. The Chevalier explodes on the back of the palate and looks to have greater longevity. Both are beautifully well-knit, expansively flavored, full-bodied, super-concentrated white burgundies that display honeyed, orange, roasted nut, overripe apple-scented noses, buttery, creamy textures, super extraction of flavor, and long finishes.”(97pts)
 2 bottles per lot \$800-1000
- 467 Chevalier Montrachet - Vintage 1993**
Domaine Leflaive
 3lblsl
 “Brilliant winemaking here. A gorgeous, full-bodied white Burgundy that manages to deliver tons of lemon, honey and pear flavors in a seductive package, yet it's fresh and draws you back for more. Intense finish. Delicious now, but could age for years.”(95pts WS)
 3 bottles per lot \$700-900
- 468 Chevalier Montrachet - Vintage 1995**
Domaine Leflaive
 2lblsl
 “Wine of the vintage. Ultra-refined and sweet-tasting, elegant and amazingly seamless, this '95 white Burgundy has the texture of extra-virgin olive oil, and a decadent charm. Supple and smooth, full in body and medium in concentration, it shows wonderful vanilla, pear, bread dough flavors and a superthick midpalate. Melts in the mouth; so subtle its long, refined finish comes as a surprise. Drink now through 2010.”(100pts WS)
 3 bottles per lot \$1050-1500
- 469 Chevalier Montrachet - Vintage 1996**
M. Niellon
 “This grand cru is unbelievable, possessing everything I could hope for in a white wine. Is this a candidate to merit a perfect score?”(99pts)
 1 bottle per lot \$750-1000
- 470 Chevalier Montrachet - Vintage 2002**
Domaine Leflaive
 “Gorgeous aromas of minerals, gravel, and spices are found in the big, rich, opulent 2002 Chevalier-Montrachet. Medium-bodied and velvety-textured, this lush, spicy wine coats the palate with layers of toasted minerals, honey, and pears.”(93-96pts)
 2 magnums per lot \$2000-3000
- 471 Chevalier Montrachet - Vintage 2004**
Domaine Leflaive
 owc
 “...supremely elegant white flower and subtle spice aromas peek through the moderate reduction yet the piercingly mineral flavors display a beguiling sweetness on the crystalline and incredibly precise finish that seems to have no end. This will be a great wine in time as it's clear that there is another dimension here compared to all of the previous wines.”(95pts BH)
 10 bottles per lot \$2400-3200
- 472 Chevalier Montrachet**
Colin-Deleger
 - Vintage 1992 (2)
 - Vintage 1996 (3)
 Above 5 bottles per lot \$550-700

473 Chevalier Montrachet - Vintage 1978
Les Demoiselles, L. Jadot
Ilwisl
"Straw yellow color. An expressive and impressively complex nose of secondary fruit aromas and the initial hints of sous bois merge into rich, full and sweet flavors that offer excellent sap and plenty of finishing punch from the still vibrant acidity. This is a really pretty wine that is approaching the end of its peak drinking years yet there is sufficient vibrancy that it should enjoy a graceful decline over the next decade, perhaps longer."(93pts BH)

3 bottles per lot \$1050-1350

474 Chevalier Montrachet - Vintage 1982
Les Demoiselles, L. Jadot
"A fully mature nose of great elegance and purity that reflects lovely secondary notes of white flowers and hints of underbrush and the barest nuances of white truffle and hay leads to rich but still racy and mineral-infused medium full flavors that are thick and textured, all wrapped in a beautifully detailed and impressively long finish. At 23 years of age, this is drinking perfectly though if well-stored, there is no reason it should not continue to provide much pleasure over the next decade. Really lovely stuff."(93pts BH)

3 bottles per lot \$900-1200

475 Chevalier Montrachet - Vintage 1983
Les Demoiselles, L. Jadot

3 bottles per lot \$600-750

476 Chevalier Montrachet - Vintage 1983
Les Demoiselles, L. Latour

6 bottles per lot \$700-1000

477 Chevalier Montrachet - Vintage 1985
Les Demoiselles, L. Jadot

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"Wondrously complex aromas that introduce gorgeously textured and dazzlingly pure middle weight flavors that display the hallmark finesse and exceptionally fine detail that culminate in a non-stop finish where the almost pungent minerality is very much on display."(95pts BH)

3 bottles per lot \$900-1200

478 Chevalier Montrachet - Vintage 1986
Les Demoiselles, L. Jadot

1 bottle different importer
"Lemon tang on the nose initially...gorgeous, round palate...still woodsy but not in that New World way...still nice acids...finish soft but still lively...excellent flavors...light toast, touch of anise, hint of pineapple...big time candy corn aromas and flavors develops as it fattens up in the glass - gets super caramelized...an impressive showing!..."
(95+pts JK)

3 bottles per lot \$750-1000

479 Corton Charlemagne
L. Latour

- **Vintage 1978** 2lbsl, 1wasl (2)
 - **Vintage 1982** 3vlbsl, 1ltl, 3sdc (3)
 - **Vintage 1983** 3lbsl, 3sdc (3)
 - **Vintage 1985** 3vlbsl (3)
 - **Vintage 1990** 1sdc (3)
 Above 14 bottles per lot \$1400-1800

480 Corton Charlemagne - Vintage 1985
G. Roumier

4bsl, 4hgsl
"A fully mature nose features notes of minerals, underbrush and the last vestiges of green apple that complements perfectly the still vibrant and intensely stony middle weight flavors that offer fine depth and outstanding length. This is really a lovely effort and the only nit is that the finish is beginning to lean out somewhat and as such, I would suggest drinking this up over the next few years."(91pts BH)

4 bottles per lot \$800-1000

481 Corton Charlemagne
L. Jadot

- **Vintage 1989** (2)
 - **Vintage 1990** magnum(1)
 - **Vintage 1992** 3nl, 1wasl (3)
 Above 5 bottles and 1 magnum per lot \$650-850

482 Corton Charlemagne - Vintage 1995
Faiveley

"Deep golden color. A now fully mature nose with excellent depth and an impressive number of layers is followed by wonderfully rich, round, mouth coating and still notably powerful flavors underpinned by first rate acidity and outstanding length. A perfectly aged Corton-Charlemagne as it should be. As with many '95s, I have had more than an acceptable amount of bottle variation with this wine due to premature-oxidation but when it's "right", it's an exceptional drinking"(93pts BH)

6 bottles per lot \$700-900

483 Corton Charlemagne - Vintage 1996
Coche-Dury

"...simply unbelievable aromatic elegance and complexity; indeed the nose is almost ethereal with that wonderful perfumed airiness that captivates and enchants. The medium full flavors have it all with superb depth, incredible precision and an almost palpable stony quality where the minerality dominates the mid-palate and explodes like a grenade on the stupendously long finish. This is truly a great wine in every respect..."(97pts BH)

1 bottle per lot \$1300-1700

484 Corton Charlemagne - Vintage 2000
Coche-Dury

"Extremely impressive and destined for a long life."
(94pts BH)

1 bottle per lot \$750-1000

485 Corton Renardes - Vintage 1996
Michel Gaunoux
 12 bottles per lot \$500-700

486 Meursault - Vintage 1978
Charmes, Coche-Dury
 2 bottles per lot \$2200-2800

487 Meursault - Vintage 1978
Charmes, Comte Lafon
lbsl, 2tl, 2wl
 3 bottles per lot \$1050-1350

488 Meursault - Vintage 1979
Charmes, Comte Lafon
 2 bottles per lot \$700-900

489 Meursault - Vintage 1982
Charmes, Comte Lafon
1tl, 2sdc
 2 bottles per lot \$500-700

490 Meursault - Vintage 1983
Charmes, Comte Lafon
3gsl
 3 bottles per lot \$600-750

491 Meursault
Charmes, Comte Lafon
 - **Vintage 1985** (1)
 - **Vintage 1986** (1)
 Above 2 bottles per lot \$500-700

492 Meursault
Charmes, Comte Lafon
 - **Vintage 1986** (2)
 - **Vintage 1987** *2wrl, 1nl* (2)
 - **Vintage 1990** *3lgs, 1lwsl* (2)
 Above 6 bottles per lot \$1100-1500

493 Meursault
Charmes, Comte Lafon
 - **Vintage 1995** *1tl* (4)
 - **Vintage 2000** (4)
 Above 8 bottles per lot \$1100-1500

494 Meursault
Clos de la Barre, Comte Lafon
 - **Vintage 1985** *3lgs* (3)
 - **Vintage 1986** (3)
 - **Vintage 1990** *3gsl* (3)
 - **Vintage 1992** *3lbsl* (3)
 - **Vintage 1995** (2)
 - **Vintage 2002** (2)
 Above 16 bottles per lot \$1500-2000

495 Meursault
Genevrieres, Comte Lafon
 - **Vintage 1982** *2sdc* (2)
 - **Vintage 1985** *2gsl* (2)
 - **Vintage 1989** *2bsl, 2gsl* (2)
 - **Vintage 1990** *2gsl* (2)
 - **Vintage 1992** *2bsl* (2)
 - **Vintage 1995** (2)
 - **Vintage 1996** (2)
 Above 14 bottles per lot \$2600-3500

496 Meursault - Vintage 1999
Goutte d'Or, Comte Lafon
 6 bottles per lot \$450-600

497 Meursault
 - **Vintage 1999** *Les Caillerets, Coche-Dury* (1)
 - **Vintage 2000** *Les Caillerets, Coche-Dury* (1)
 - **Vintage 2001** *Les Rougeots, Coche-Dury* (1)
 Above 3 bottles per lot \$500-700

498 Meursault
 - **Vintage 1979** *Perrieres, Comte Lafon vlbsl* (1)
 - **Vintage 1986** *Perrieres, Comte Lafon* (1)
 - **Vintage 1989** *Perrieres, Comte Lafon gsl* (1)
 Above 3 bottles per lot \$1200-1500

499 Meursault - Vintage 1985
Perrieres, Comte Lafon
 3 bottles per lot \$1200-1500

500 Meursault - Vintage 1986
Perrieres, Comte Lafon
2gsl, 2bsl
 2 bottles per lot \$700-900

501 Meursault - Vintage 1986
Perrieres, Coche-Dury
lbsl, nl
 "With only a handful of exceptions, my experience with Coche-Dury's wines has taught me that they are about as profound white burgundies as one is likely to find. The fully mature 1986 Meursault-Les Perrieres reveals huge aromas of sweet, buttery, apple fruit, grilled nuts, and smoke. The fabulous texture and richness that Coche-Dury routinely appears to achieve is evident, as well as a fascinating, unctuous richness, enough acidity to provide focus, and a spectacularly long finish." (94pts)
 1 bottle per lot \$750-1000

- 502 Meursault - Vintage 1989**
Perrieres, Coche-Dury
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"Jean-Francois Coche-Dury's 1989 Meursault-Perrieres smells and tastes as if it were a Montrachet. If there is one premier cru vineyard in Burgundy that merits elevation to grand cru status, it must be Les Perrieres in Meursault. The huge nose of minerals, lemons, apple blossoms, and buttered toast is followed by a wine with immense richness, massive structure, and layer upon layer of Chardonnay fruit. This wine is crammed with enough glycerin, extract, alcohol, and intensity to evolve for at least 10 or more years. However, it is impossible to resist at the moment given its extreme richness. This is a winemaking tour de force!"(97pts)
 1 bottle per lot \$1000-1300
- 503 Meursault - Vintage 1990**
Perrieres, Comte Lafon
2gsl, 1wisl
"Great nose of balanced fruit and oak vanilla cr me br l e with pineapple and lemon overtones lots of vanilla nice honey and cream to the nose as well very open yet still a touch of youthfulness very balanced between its sweet and dry sides aromatically lots of honey on the palate with a nice finish - an excellent showing..."(93pts JK)
 3 bottles per lot \$750-1050
- 504 Meursault**
Perrieres, Comte Lafon
 - **Vintage 1988** 2gsl, 2bsl (2)
 - **Vintage 1992** (2)
 - **Vintage 2000** (2)
 - **Vintage 2001** (2)
 Above 8 bottles per lot \$1350-1700
- 505 Meursault - Vintage 1995**
Perrieres, Coche-Dury
1nl, 2sdc
"Jean-Francois Coche produced a total of 900 bottles (at 18 hectoliters/hectare) of his other-worldly 1995 Meursault Perrieres. This quintessentially elegant wine reveals liquid minerals intertwined with flowers, spices and stones. The French would say it is "aerien," meaning it is spiritual. On the palate, this highly defined and hyper-concentrated, thick, full-bodied yet perfectly delineated Meursault Perrieres exhibits waves of toasted almonds, hazelnuts, wet stones and an unbelievably long finish. Literally minutes after having tasted it my palate remained permeated with its sumptuous flavors."(98pts)
 2 bottles per lot \$1200-1600
- 506 Meursault - Vintage 1996**
Perrieres, Comte Lafon
"A kaleidoscopic mix of aromas that include citrus, minerals and green apples are followed by flavors of laser beam purity and focus that simply ooze class and breed with absolutely perfect balance. The finish is perfect with acidity that exquisitely frames each nuance yet remains in the background as a supporting, rather than dominating, element. This is a truly spellbinding wine!"(96pts BH)
 3 bottles per lot \$700-900
- 507 Meursault - Vintage 2000**
Perrieres, H. Boillot
"This displays slightly more wood spice and toast with wonderfully focused, precise and intense flavors brimming with minerality. The acidity is prominent yet completely ripe and this is entirely classy. This is still within the bounds of oak/fruit balance, primarily because of the underlying concentration and s ve."(90pts BH)
 6 bottles per lot \$450-600
- 508 Meursault - Vintage 2001**
Perrieres, Coche-Dury
lbsl, nl
"The towering aromatics of the 2001 Meursault-Perrieres reveal oodles of candied apples, flowers, minerals, pears, and gravel. A wine of unbelievable purity and breadth, it conquers the palate with bacon-laced minerals, spiced stones, smoky pears, and buttered toast. Satin-textured, lush, and medium-bodied, this awe-inspiring wine is complete. Described by the exceedingly modest Coche as un vin de grande classe (a wine of great class) it has perfect balance, harmony, and unheard of depth."(98-100pts)
 1 bottle per lot \$600-800
- 509 Montrachet - Vintage 1982**
Comte Lafon
sdc
"A simply fantastic nose that is broad, deep and superbly complex, revealing ample spice notes on the ripe and now fully mature aromas where the confit of orchard fruit character continues onto the sappy, mouth coating and wonderfully concentrated flavors possess outstanding power and again, stunning depth on the layered, driving and utterly seductive finish. If one wanted to nit pick, this could perhaps have a bit more finishing precision but this wine is very much in keeping with the style of the vintage, which is to say generous and plump. A great Lafon Montrachet that is still in prime condition and if well-stored will continue to hold for another 20 years even though I underscore that it is fully mature now."(96pts BH)
 1 bottle per lot \$1000-1500
- 510 Montrachet - Vintage 1982**
L. Jadot
3lbsl, 1wisl
"Gorgeously complex nose of white flowers, hints of spice and minerals followed by big, rich, elegant flavors of super drive and length. This is very classy juice and while it has reached its apogee, it should hold here for years to come."(93pts BH)
 3 bottles per lot \$600-800
- 511 Montrachet - Vintage 1982**
Ramonet-Prudhon
 1 bottle per lot \$400-500

- 512 Montrachet - Vintage 1983**
Domaine de la Romanee Conti
 wasl, #000561
"While reminiscent of the 1986, the mammoth-sized 1983 Le Montrachet is more backward and tightly knit. It offers a huge, honeyed nose of buttery popcorn, baked apples, coconuts, and ripe oranges. Unctuous, rich, and well-structured, with an immense palate feel and lingering length, this huge, thick wine should reach its prime in 2-4 years and last for 2 decades. It is an extraordinary success in such a problematic and troublesome vintage."(98pts)
 1 bottle per lot \$1500-2000
- 513 Montrachet - Vintage 1988**
Comte Lafon
 bsl, taped label
"Intoxicating spice to the nose - honey, caramel, bolasses, brown sugar, spice very exotic some bread and white fruits behind it again on the mature side not extreme definition to the palate but pleasant maturity to the palate with light butter flavors."(90pts JK)
 1 bottle per lot \$600-800
- 514 Montrachet - Vintage 1992**
Comte Lafon
"Things got off to a casual start, and I gladly helped myself to thirds on the Krug...the two whites served quickly got everyone's attention...the Lafon had a kinky, exotic nose of pink cotton candy, caramel, Asian spice, and a touch of coconut/cocoa butter...Jean-Luc noted 'apricots'...the palate was more coy and serious, with a hint of grit...this is definitely a wine that 'kicks back' for a long, long time (ie, long finish)...didn't know white Burgundy could be so sweet aromatically! On the second go-around, the wine started to get a little more classic as the wild fruit aromas and flavors met the zookeeper of oxygen...the length and breed of the wine becomes even more apparent after the food, and more citrus and mineral flavors emerge as the real estate becomes more apparent...at the end I started to get this glazed donut/vanilla frosting thing - outstanding, exotic wine."(96+pts JK)
 1 bottle per lot \$1000-1300
- 515 Montrachet - Vintage 1995**
Comte Lafon
"More lemon and anise in the nose, almost a light green olive thing...big acids as well - even more of a finish than the 1996 although a touch less acid...more of a fat, buttery quality to the palate...keeps putting on weight and out shines the 1996 surprisingly at least this night."(96pts JK)
 2 bottles per lot \$1500-2000
- 516 Montrachet - Vintage 1995**
Ramonet
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"Discreet spearmint and menthol notes frame explosively scented, highly nuanced aromas of honeysuckle and ripe orchard fruits followed by concentrated, impressively dense, wonderfully complex, intensely sappy flavors of limestone, citrus and a trace of oak. Delineated, taut and muscular yet finely sculpted with an incredibly long finish. This is a big boy yet it screams refinement and class. Simply a stunning wine that will live for years."(96pts BH)
 2 bottles per lot \$1000-1400
- 517 Montrachet - Vintage 1996**
L. Jadot
"...the additional weight of the Monty is carried effortlessly on the ripe but serious acid substructure. Rich, concentrated and detailed with such incredible power that the finish literally lasts for minutes on end. This is a wine that forces one to drink it slowly as it is so intense that the palate demands time to recover. A great Montrachet worthy of the name that should last several decades."(97pts BH)
 3 bottles per lot \$600-900
- 518 Montrachet - Vintage 1999**
Comte Lafon
 owc
"Stunning nose of super ripe exotic fruits and dried apricot of incredible complexity. Big, broad shouldered flavors with a silky, luscious, rather textured palate impression that offers dried apple, pear, stones and earth. The richness is hard to believe yet the wine remains in perfect balance with a persistence I could taste for the rest of the day."(95-98pts BH)
 2 bottles per lot \$1400-2000
- 519 Montrachet - Vintage 1999**
Domaine Leflaive
 cc
"Even bigger and more intense than the Chevalier with powerful aromas of oak spice and tangy citrus fruits that give way to thick, dense, slightly oily flavors. Impressively pure with pronounced minerality and solid acid structure. This may ultimately surpass the Chevalier but today I prefer the Chevalier's greater elegance and detail. This will take at least a decade to reveal its awesome potential."(92-95pts BH)
 1 bottle per lot \$1500-2000

- 520 Montrachet - Vintage 2000**
Comte Lafon
"Quite firm and almost closed and it required a lot of coaxing to reveal fascinatingly complex aromas of pear, peach, oriental spice, cinnamon, nutmeg, rosemary and a background note of dried sage followed by flavors that are concentrated and muscular but not showy. This does a slow build from the mid-palate to an incredibly intense finish that literally lasts for minutes. Much like the Perri res, the style of this is one of understated elegance and class. I don't believe that it's quite as magnificent as the '99 but everything is here to give it a good run for its money. Give this at least a decade though it will drink well for at least two and perhaps longer."
(94-97pts BH)
2 bottles per lot \$1400-2000
- 521 Montrachet - Vintage 2001**
Comte Lafon
6x1 bottle owc's
"Astonishingly pure fruit of ripe pear, honeysuckle, and white flowers nicely complemented by oak spice that merges seamlessly into powerful yet exquisitely delineated, strongly mineral laden flavors of incredible length. The 2001 Montrachet has seemingly endless reserves of sap and it stains and coats the palate. As impressive as those attributes are, it is the combination of a silky palate impression yet driving intensity that set this apart from all of the prior wines. An extremely impressive 2001 and this is indisputably a wine of the vintage candidate."
(93-96pts BH)
6 bottles per lot \$4500-6000
- 522 Montrachet - Vintage 2002**
Domaine Leflaive
"Hubba Hubba. I believe it was Mark we had to thank for this wine, and what a wine it was. It was another wow wine, rocket science meets rock star. More wound than a Clemens fastball, it had super aromas and flavors of citrus skin, hazelnut, limestone, lime and salt. Still a baby, it had an incredible center point, and although it was still a baby, it was still brilliant, a veritable five-year old prodigy great enough to graduate from college with a masters degree."
(98pts JK)
2 bottles per lot \$3500-4800
- 523 Montrachet - Vintage 1983**
Marquis de Laguiche, J. Drouhin
3 bottles per lot \$700-1050
- 524 Montrachet - Vintage 1992**
Marquis de Laguiche, J. Drouhin
"Best nose of the night - the breed stands out...chock full of minerals...toasty with a lean and mean nose...excellent spice."
(94+pts JK)
3 bottles per lot \$750-1050
- 525 Montrachet - Vintage 1993**
Marquis de Laguiche, J. Drouhin
2bsl
"...very fine and still relatively young."
(93pts BH)
2 bottles per lot \$400-500
- 526 Montrachet - Vintage 2002**
Marquis de Laguiche, J. Drouhin
owc
"Intense. Concentrated, almost oily in texture and evoking stone notes and a strong sense of place, this wine just keeps unfolding its complex flavors across the palate. With terrific harmony and balance, along with a vibrant structure and finesse, this is about as good as Chardonnay gets. Endless finish."
(97pts WS)
6 magnums per lot \$3000-4000
- 527 Montrachet - Vintage 2002**
Marquis de Laguiche, J. Drouhin
owc
1 Jeroboam per lot \$1200-1500
- 528 Musigny Blanc - Vintage 1976**
Comte de Vogue
nl
1 bottle per lot \$350-500
- 529 Puligny Montrachet**
Clavoillon, Domaine Leflaive
- **Vintage 1978** 3bsl, 1sdc (3)
- **Vintage 1983** 3bsl, 1lstl (3)
- **Vintage 1985** 3bsl, 3lstl, 1ltl (3)
- **Vintage 1986** (2)
Above 11 bottles per lot \$1250-1600
- 530 Puligny Montrachet - Vintage 1990**
Les Demoiselles, Amiot Bonfils
6 bottles per lot \$500-700
- 531 Chateauneuf du Pape - Vintage 1990**
Chateau de Beaucastel
bsl, lt, crc, owc
"Two great back to back vintages are the 1990 and 1989. The more developed 1990 boasts an incredible perfume of hickory wood, coffee, smoked meat, Asian spices, black cherries, and blackberries. Lush, opulent, and full-bodied, it is a fully mature, profound Beaucastel that will last another 15-20 years."
(96pts)
1 Jeroboam per lot \$650-850
- 532 Chateauneuf du Pape - Vintage 1998**
Chateau de Beaucastel
6bsl
"The 1998 is unquestionably one of the great modern day Beaucastels, but because of its high Grenache content, it is different from some of the other classics."
(96pts)
6 magnums per lot \$900-1200
- 533 Chateauneuf du Pape - Vintage 2001**
Hommage a Jacques Perrin, Chateau de Beaucastel
owc
"Full-bodied, excruciatingly backward, and nearly impenetrable, it boasts an inky/blue/purple color in addition to a promising nose of new saddle leather, melted asphalt, camphor, blackberries, smoky, roasted herbs, and Asian spices..."
(99pts)
6 bottles per lot \$1500-2000

- 534 Chateaufeuf du Pape - Vintage 2003**
Hommage a Jacques Perrin, Chateau de Beaucastel ovc
"Black purple to the rim, with an extraordinary nose of smoke, camphor, blackberry, cassis, sweet cherry, white flowers, licorice, and Chinese black tea, the wine has superb richness, huge tannins, massive concentration, and a monster finish." (95pts)
 6 bottles per lot \$1400-1800
- 535 Chateaufeuf du Pape**
Reserve des Celestins, H. Bonneau
 - **Vintage 1986** 2lbsl, 1nl (2)
 - **Vintage 1988** (1)
 Above 3 bottles per lot \$800-1100
- 536 Chateaufeuf du Pape Blanc - Vintage 1990**
Roussanne Vieilles Vignes, Chateau de Beaucastel 6vlsbl
 6 bottles per lot \$600-800
- 537 Ermitage - Vintage 1995**
Cuvee Cathelin, J.L. Chave
"Rich and powerful, with a formidable tannin level in the finish, it possesses a saturated purple color; great purity of fruit, and considerable mouthfeel and length..." (97pts)
 1 bottle per lot \$500-650
- 538 Hermitage**
J.L. Chave
 - **Vintage 1980** 2tal, 1cc (2)
 - **Vintage 1985** lbsl, ltl (1)
 - **Vintage 1998** (2)
 - **Vintage 2001** (2)
 Above 7 bottles per lot \$800-1150
- 539 Hermitage Blanc**
J.L. Chave
 - **Vintage 1985** (3)
 - **Vintage 1989** (2)
 - **Vintage 1990** (3)
 Above 8 bottles per lot \$1200-1600
- 540 Hermitage Blanc**
J.L. Chave
 - **Vintage 1994** 2bsl, 2nl, 1lbsl, 1cc (5)
 - **Vintage 1995** (5)
 Above 10 bottles per lot \$750-1050
- 541 Krug Collection Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1985**
3x1 bottle ovc's
"It is a pity but understandable that these Collection bottles have become so expensive. The 85 is a beautifully, subtly creamy ornament with ultra elegance and a uniquely broad length. I miss the depth of the really great vintages however, but lovely it certainly is!" (95pts RJ)
 3 bottles per lot \$1200-1500
- 542 Krug Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1988**
ocb
"At Krug they themselves compare the wine with the '81, the '55, and the '61. Personally, I compare it to the '66 and the ultra elegant '79. The finesse is unbeatable and the acidity very noticeable. This is a wine that is going to be enjoyed by our grandchildren. Most people probably discourage immediate consumption of this young wine, but I am of a different opinion. I believe that a little bit of the subtle feeling of tears of joy disappears when the wine matures." (97pts RJ)
 6 bottles per lot \$1500-2000
- 543 Krug Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1989**
ocb
"A most voluptuous, honey-saturated Krug. Butterscotchy with a long aftertaste." (97pts RJ)
 6 bottles per lot \$1500-2000
- 544 Krug Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1990**
ocb
"An aristocrat. Big-boned and intense, yet with finesse and complex flavors of coconut, whole-grain bread, ginger, citrus and honey. Waves of flavor saturate the palate and the long finish picks up a mineral and smoke note. Very harmonious from start to finish." (97pts WS)
 6 bottles per lot \$1500-2000
- 545 Krug Vintage Champagne**
Clos du Mesnil
 - **Vintage 1985** ovc (1)
 - **Vintage 1990** (1)
 - **Vintage 1996** ovc (1)
 Above 3 bottles per lot \$2200-3200
- 546 Amarone - Vintage 1962**
Bertani ovc
 6 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 547 Barbaresco - Vintage 1985**
Sori San Lorenzo, Gaja
"A majestic wine, beautifully harmonious, seamless and integrated, with magnificent fruit, matchless complexity and stunning depth of flavor. Hints of violet, toast and nutmeg enrich the plummy raspberry fruit. Long and tight on the finish." (97pts WS)
 6 bottles per lot \$1800-2400

- 548 Barolo - Vintage 1990**
Cannubi Boschis, L. Sandrone
 2lbl, 1bsl, 1wrl
 "I was simply floored by the 1990, which announces itself with an unbelievably fresh nose of roses, spices and minerals belying its 15 years of age. Though medium-bodied, it offers tremendous opulence, concentration and length on the palate, with waves of ripe, sweet red and black fruit, menthol, and mineral flavors and a soft, generous texture. This youthful Barolo must be tasted to be believed, and well-stored bottles should drink well for at least another 10 years. A real privilege to drink this from an impeccably stored bottle."(98pts)
 3 bottles per lot \$1200-1500
- 549 Barolo - Vintage 1985**
Granbussia Riserva, A. Conterno 1bsl, nl (1)
Monfortino Riserva, G. Conterno wisl, bsl (1)
 Above 2 bottles per lot \$700-950
- 550 Barolo - Vintage 1989**
Granbussia Riserva, A. Conterno
 5bsl, 1tal, 1nc
 "Definitely strikes me as Italian - anise, leather and tar combo in the nose long t'n a with a cedary edge first-class Nebbiolo for sure lots of alcohol on finish but tannin polished we settled on "old school 80's Barolo" lots of heat and spice."(95pts JK)
 5 bottles per lot \$1000-1300
- 551 Barolo - Vintage 1971**
Monfortino Riserva, G. Conterno
 2lbl
 "The 1971 Barolo Monfortino flirts with perfection. Although not yet fully mature, it is hard to resist because of its blazingly intense nose of truffles, smoked herbs, earth, dried fruits, and spice. Massively constituted, with huge body, high tannin, extraordinary symmetry and purity, and mouth-staining extract levels, this is one of the greatest Barolo Monfortinos Conterno has ever produced. Is it ready to drink? Yes, but the wine has at least 20-30 years of life remaining."(98pts)
 2 bottles per lot \$1300-1600
- 552 Barolo - Vintage 1978**
Monfortino Riserva, G. Conterno
 "Decidely different - more fragrant and singular in its personality aromatically great spice (leather and tar, of course) BBQ, charcoal, a touch of ripe plums, baked brown sugar nice t'n a hint of anise huge finish that remains integrated wine still has a long future blacker, nuttier flavors."(96pts JK)
 2 bottles per lot \$1400-1800
- 553 Barolo - Vintage 1989**
Vigna Cicala, Bricco Bussia, A. Conterno
 "...is a sensational bottle of wine. The earthy, raspberry, black-cherry, and tar aromas of the 1989 Vigna Cicala explode upward from the glass. This is the most massive and structured of the three single vineyard Barolos. The tannin and fruit extraction are both extremely high. This wine requires minimal cellaring of 3-5 years, after which it will last, perhaps even improve for 25-30 years."(96pts)
 3 magnums per lot \$900-1200
- 554 Brunello di Montalcino - Vintage 1985**
Il Poggione
 6 bottles per lot \$450-600
- 555 Brunello di Montalcino - Vintage 1985**
Casse Basse, Soldera
 1bsl
 1 bottle per lot \$450-550
- 556 Ornellaia - Vintage 1985**
Tenuta dell' Ornellaia
 vlbsl, nl
 "Great nose - has a hint of pungency to its leather, more of a mature ripeness that flirts with prunes but more plummy, leathery and chocolatey good grip to it still more tannins than alcohol and on the very dry side still polished with hints of cedar but more leather and a hint of that signature Italian tar Travis called it "the style of Lafite."(94pts JK)
 1 magnum per lot \$500-700
- 557 Ornellaia - Vintage 1990**
Tenuta dell' Ornellaia
 bsl
 "Knockout nose combines black fruits, tar, mocha and humus. A hugely concentrated, sweet wine with great richness of fruit and extract. The first vintage of Ornellaia to reach 14% alcohol, and it shows in the wine's compelling thickness. Far from the subtlest wine in the range, but ripe acidity and big, sweet tannins give it plenty of verve and grip."(96pts IWC)
 1 magnum per lot \$400-550
- 558 Ornellaia - Vintage 1998**
Tenuta dell' Ornellaia
 owc
 "A cool and sleek Tuscan red, with tarragon and fresh sage aromas, blackberry and cherry undertones. Full-bodied, with a wonderfully silky palate of fine tannins and a long, fruity finish. Very sophisticated and reserved."(96pts, Wine of the Year, WS)
 6 bottles per lot \$700-900
- 559 Riesling - Vintage 1989**
Wehlener Sonnenuhr, Christoffel
 ocb
 12 bottles per lot \$600-800

A DOUBLE MAGNUM OF 1982 LAFITE

Property of a longstanding New England collector. Wine in excellent condition.

560 Chateau Lafite Rothschild - Vintage 1982

Pauillac

lbsl, lwasl, cuc

"The 1982 Lafite possesses a dark, dense ruby/purple color with only a subtle lightening at the rim.

Spectacular aromatics offer jammy cherry and black fruits intertwined with lead pencil, mineral, and smoky wood scents. Powerful for a Lafite, this wine unfolds to reveal extraordinary richness, purity, and overall symmetry in addition to stunning flavor depth and persistence. The finish lasts for nearly a minute. The modern day equivalent of Lafite-Rothschild's immortal 1959 An amazing achievement!..."(100pts)

1 double magnum

per lot \$8000-12000



IMPERIAL WIZARDRY

A stunning collection of mainly six-liter bottles both value-oriented and valuable courtesy of one of the East Coast's most longstanding and renowned collectors. A great opportunity to stock up for holiday parties or showpiece bottles for the cellar! All wines removed from his custom-built, temperature and humidity-controlled cellar.

561 Chateau Calon Segur - Vintage 1995

St. Estephe

owc

"Greatest Calon-Segur ever made. An absolutely amazing red layers of berry, violets and perfume. It's full-bodied and very velvety on the palate, with masses of character and an ultralong finish."(96pts WS)

1 Imperial

per lot \$650-850

562 Chateau Clinet - Vintage 1994

Pomerol

owc

"Exotic aromas of violets, berry and toasted oak waft from this full-bodied wine. Packed to the brim with fruit and tannins and impressively long on the finish. Superb red from a producer known for opulence."(93ptsWS)

1 Imperial

per lot \$600-800

PARCEL LOTS 563-564

563 Chateau Clinet - Vintage 1995

Pomerol

vlbsl, owc

"...represents the essence of Pomerol. The blackberry, cassis liqueur-like fruit of this wine is awesome. The color is saturated black/purple, and the wine extremely full-bodied and powerful with layers of glycerin-imbued fruit, massive richness, plenty of licorice, blackberry, and cassis flavors, full body, and a thick, unctuous texture."(96pts)

1 Imperial

per lot \$700-1000

564 1 Imperial

owc

per lot \$700-1000

565 Chateau Clinet - Vintage 1998

Pomerol

owc

"Clearly outstanding. Lots of tobacco, cherry and berry aromas. Full-bodied, with big, velvety tannins and a long finish. Seductive. Best after 2007."(91pts WS)

1 Imperial

per lot \$700-1000

566 Chateau Cos d'Estournel - Vintage 1996

St. Estephe

owc

"Saturated deep ruby. Ineffable aromas of black fruits, minerals, licorice and Havana tobacco. Rich, dense and thick; powerful but harmonious. Layered texture over a strong backbone. Very long on the palate, with thoroughly ripe, noble cabernet tannins. Superb."(94pts IWC)

1 Imperial

per lot \$1200-1500

- 567 Chateau Ducru Beaucaillou - Vintage 1995**
St. Julien
owc
"Subtle yet aromatic character of Indian spices, currants and dried cherries. Full-bodied, with super well-integrated tannins and a long, caressing finish. Wonderful texture. Classy and structured. Long. This was wine of the year in 1998; well deserved."
(95pts WS)
 1 Imperial per lot \$1200-1500
- 568 Chateau Ducru Beaucaillou - Vintage 1996**
St. Julien
owc
*"This wine is remarkable. It is muscular, concentrated, and classic a saturated ruby/purple color a knock-out nose of minerals, licorice, cassis, and an unmistakable lead pencil smell that I often associate with top vintages of Lafite-Rothschild. It is sweet and full-bodied, yet unbelievably rich with no sense of heaviness or flabbiness. The wine possesses high tannin, but it is extremely ripe, and the sweetness of the black currant, spice-tinged Cabernet Sauvignon fruit is pronounced. This profound, backward Ducru-Beaucaillou is a must purchase."**(96pts)*
 1 Imperial per lot \$1200-1500
- 569 Chateau Giscours - Vintage 1975**
Margaux
lbsl, lgsl, owc
 1 Imperial per lot \$650-850
- 570 Chateau Grand Puy Lacoste - Vintage 1989**
Pauillac
lstl, owc
 1 Imperial per lot \$600-800
- 571 Chateau Grand Puy Lacoste - Vintage 1990**
Pauillac
lstl, owc
*"It possesses an opaque ruby/purple color, as well as a stunning nose of jammy blackcurrants, cedar, spice, and smoke. Full-bodied, with magnificent extract, excellent delineation, outstanding purity, and layers of intensity, this massive, dense, well-balanced Pauillac is the finest Grand-Puy-Lacoste since the 1982."**(95pts)*
 1 Imperial per lot \$1000-1500
- 572 Chateau Gruaud Larose - Vintage 1986**
St. Julien
vbsl, lscl, owc
*"It has a black/purple color, mammoth structure, a fabulous wealth of fruit, and a finish that lasts for at least a minute."**(94pts)*
 1 Imperial per lot \$1200-1500
- 573 Chateau Guillot - Vintage 1995**
Pomerol
owc
 6 magnums per lot \$500-700
- 574 Chateau Guillot - Vintage 1998**
Pomerol
owc
 6 magnums per lot \$600-800
- 575 Chateau Haut Brion - Vintage 1986**
Graves
lbsl, nl, cuc, owc
*"The color is a healthy deep ruby, and the nose exhibits the tell-tale smoky scents of tobacco, minerals, and black fruits. There is considerable tannin, medium to full body, excellent richness, and a long, well-delineated, moderately firm finish."**(93pts)*
 1 Jeroboam per lot \$1500-2000
- 576 Chateau Haut Brion - Vintage 1995**
Graves
vlscl, owc
*"This wine has been brilliant on every occasion I have tasted it. More accessible and forward than the 1996, it possesses a saturated ruby/purple color, as well as a beautiful, knock-out set of aromatics, consisting of black fruits, vanillin, spice, and wood-fire smoke. Multidimensional and rich, with layers of ripe fruit, and beautifully integrated tannin and acidity, this medium to full-bodied wine is a graceful, seamless, exceptional Haut-Brion that should drink surprisingly well young."**(96pts)*
 1 Imperial per lot \$2000-3000
- 577 Chateau La Croix**
- Vintage 1982 *Pomerol 3vbsl, 3vlscl* (3)
Chateau La Croix de Gay
- Vintage 1982 *Pomerol 1bn, 2vbsl, 2lscl* (2)
Chateau La Fleur Petrus
- Vintage 1982 *Pomerol 3lbsl, 2lscl* (3)
 Above 8 bottles per lot \$800-1050
- 578 Chateau La Tour Haut Brion - Vintage 1998**
Graves
owc
 6 magnums per lot \$400-500
- 579 Chateau Lagrange - Vintage 1996**
St. Julien
owc
*"Enticing aromas of cinnamon and ripe fruit. Medium- to full-bodied, with ripe fruit flavors and a good fruit core. Medium tannins. St.-Julien's Lagrange seldom goes wrong, and this is certainly outstanding for the vintage."**(90pts WS)*
 12 bottles per lot \$500-700

580 Chateau Le Tertre Roteboeuf - Vintage 1995
St. Emilion
vlbsl, nl, owc
"The color is opaque purple. The extremely low acidity results in a blockbuster, multi-layered feel in the mouth with no hard edges. There are gobs of ripe fruit that ooze across the palate with an amazing amount of glycerin and extract. This thick, full-bodied, stunningly-proportioned, and layered wine, with fabulously ripe fruit, is a compelling example of Le Tertre-Roteboeuf."(95pts)
 1 Imperial per lot \$800-1200

586 Chateau Leoville Las Cases - Vintage 1996
St. Julien
owc
"...a spectacular nose of cassis, cherry liqueur, pain grille, and minerals. It is powerful and rich on the attack, with beautifully integrated tannin, massive concentration, yet no hint of heaviness or disjointedness It is a remarkable, seamless, palate-staining, and extraordinarily elegant wine - the quintessential St.-Julien."(98pts)
 1 Imperial per lot \$1800-2400

PARCEL LOTS 581-582

581 Chateau L'Eglise Clinet - Vintage 1996
Pomerol
owc
" Proprietor Denis Durantou made an exceptionally strict selection in 1996, resulting in half the normal production. The color is an opaque purple. The wine reveals tell-tale kirsch, black-raspberry, and cherry jam scents intertwined with subtle toasty oak as well as a notion of black truffles. Rich and layered, with medium body, this wine possesses more noticeable tannin, structure, and intensity than the 1995, with the wine's terrific purity and fruit concentration dominating the wood and easily counter-balancing the wine's tannin."(93pts)
 1 Imperial per lot \$650-850

582 1 Imperial per lot \$650-850
owc

583 Chateau Leoville Barton - Vintage 1990
St. Julien
lstl, owc
"This wine is reminiscent of the immensely enjoyable, classic 1985, but is denser, fuller-bodied, and more obviously tannic. In fact, one component of the 1990 Leoville-Barton reminds me of the 1986 - the high tannins. It should turn out to be a top example of a rich, complex, fairly priced St.-Julien that will age effortlessly."(92pts)
 1 Imperial per lot \$800-1200

584 Chateau Leoville Barton - Vintage 1996
St. Julien
vlbsl, crc, wxc
"Oooh - rich nose with caramel, chocolate, and black fruits but the palate is shut down - could be a sleeper of the vintage."(92+pts JK)
 1 Imperial per lot \$650-850

585 Chateau Leoville Las Cases - Vintage 1995
St. Julien
vlbsl, owc
"Exceptionally ripe cassis fruit, the judicious use of toasty new oak, and a thrilling mineral character intertwined with the high quality of fruit routinely obtained by Las Cases, make this a compelling effort The finish is incredibly long in this classic."(95pts)
 1 Imperial per lot \$1500-2000

587 Chateau Margaux - Vintage 1995
Margaux
owc
"Dark color. Black licorice, coffee, currants and black olives. Complex nose. A full-bodied, chewy blockbuster of a wine that is not giving anything at all away. It is like buried treasure still; you have to search for the gold. And it's there. Fabulous."
(100pts WS)
 12 bottles per lot \$4000-5000

588 Chateau Margaux - Vintage 1995
Margaux
owc
 6 magnums per lot \$4500-6000

589 Chateau Monbousquet - Vintage 1996
St. Emilion
owc
"...the opaque purple color and gorgeous nose of sweet blueberries, cassis, and new oak are complemented by the wine's remarkable richness and multi-layered texture. Serious tannin can be detected in this huge, fleshy wine, so look for this wine to take on more definition after 3-4 years of cellaring. It should age well for two decades. Given the owner's commitment to quality, as well as the results he has obtained to date, the price of this wine can only go up, up, and up."(90pts)
 1 12 liter per lot \$900-1200

590 Chateau Montrose - Vintage 1995
St. Estephe
scl, crc, sos, owc
"The wine exhibits an opaque black/ruby/purple color, as well as a ripe nose of black fruits, vanillin, and licorice. Powerful yet surprisingly accessible (the tannin is velvety and the acidity low), this terrific example of Montrose..."(93pts)
 1 Imperial per lot \$750-1000

591 Chateau Montrose - Vintage 1996
St. Estephe
cr, owc
"Beautiful aromas of crushed berries and vanilla, with hints of licorice. Full-bodied, with sweet fruit and silky tannins. Long and caressing."(92pts WS)
 1 Imperial per lot \$750-1000

592 Chateau Mouton Rothschild - Vintage 1988
Pauillac
owc
"...it has always been classic in quality. It's rich and fruity, with loads of currant, tobacco, smoke and new wood on the nose and palate. Full-bodied, with silky tannins and an elegant finish." (94pts WS)
 1 Imperial per lot \$2000-2600

593 Chateau Mouton Rothschild - Vintage 1995
Pauillac
owc
"In the mouth, the wine is great stuff, with superb density, a full-bodied personality, rich mid-palate, and a layered, profound finish that lasts for 40+ seconds outstanding purity..." (95pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$2600-3200

PARCEL LOTS 594-595

594 Chateau Mouton Rothschild - Vintage 1995
Pauillac
owc
 1 Imperial per lot \$2400-3200

595 1 Imperial per lot \$2400-3200
owc

596 Chateau Quinault L'Enclos - Vintage 1998
St. Emilion
lbsl, owc
"...a wine of exceptional richness and complexity. It exhibits a saturated blue/purple color, and a compelling bouquet of blackberries, blueberries, cassis, minerals, and beautifully integrated subtle oak. The 1998 is rich in the mouth, yet is neither heavy nor excessively extracted. The tannin is sweet, and the wine long, medium to full-bodied, and gorgeously seamless." (94pts)
 1 Imperial per lot \$500-700

597 Chateau Rol Valentin - Vintage 1996
St. Emilion
crc, owc
 1 Imperial per lot \$450-550

598 Chateau Smith Haut Lafitte - Vintage 1996
Graves
owc
"Since its acquisition by the Cathiard family, this property continues to be one of Bordeaux's shining success stories. The 1996 may be the finest wine yet made at the estate, which is saying something given how impressive recent wines have been." (90pts)
 1 Imperial per lot \$400-500

599 Chateau Sociando Mallet - Vintage 1995
Haut Medoc
owc
"...offers gobs of sweet black-cherries, cassis, minerals, and toast in the nose. Sweet, fat, and rich, with outstanding concentration and character." (90pts)
 1 Imperial per lot \$350-450

600 Pavillon Rouge du Chateau Margaux - Vintage 2000
Margaux
owc
"Exhibits supple tannin along with big, sweet, luscious black currant flavors intermixed with hints of cedar, spice box, and vanilla." (90pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$700-950

601 Chateau Nairac - Vintage 1989
Sauternes
owc
 24 half-bottles per lot \$400-600

602 Corton - Vintage 1988
Clos des Cortons, Faiveley
crc, owc
"Faiveley made a sensational wine from the firm's exclusively owned Corton-Clos de Corton monopole vineyard. It is the most backward and tannic of all the Faiveley 1988s, and has a dense ruby/purple color, a sensational bouquet of raspberries that reminded me more of Cote Rotie than Burgundy, fabulous length and richness, good acidity, and an elevated level of tannins in the finish." (91pts)
 1 Jeroboam per lot \$350-450

603 Corton - Vintage 1988
Clos des Cortons, Faiveley
owc
 1 Methuselah per lot \$600-800

604 DRC Assortment - Vintage 1998
owc
 12 bottles per lot \$8500-11000

605 DRC Assortment - Vintage 2000
12vlbsl, owc
 12 bottles per lot \$8500-11000

606 DRC Assortment - Vintage 2001
owc
 12 bottles per lot \$10000-14000

607 Nuits St. Georges - Vintage 1959
Les Vaucrains, C. Giroud
outstanding color and condition
 2 bottles per lot \$500-700

608 Montrachet
L. Latour
 - **Vintage 1986** 3lbsl, 3sdc (3)
 - **Vintage 1988** lbsl (1)
 - **Vintage 1990** lbsl, lscl (1)
 - **Vintage 1992** (1)
 Above 6 bottles per lot \$1100-1450

- 609 Chateauneuf du Pape - Vintage 2000**
Cuvee de Capo, Domaine du Pegau
 lbsl, lscl, owc
"The extraordinary nose reveals aromas of kirsch liqueur, new saddle leather, animal fur, Provencal herbs, spice box, licorice, and a salty sea breeze character. On the palate, the wine is enormous, with an unctuousness, thickness, and purity that must be tasted to be believed it has very high levels of tannin, but the tannin is barely noticeable given the wine's exaggerated wealth of richness and power. This is a modern day legend in the making..."(100pts)
 1 Imperial per lot \$1800-2400
- 610 Chateauneuf du Pape - Vintage 1995**
Cuvee Laurence, Domaine du Pegau
 vltl, owc
"Wild thing...lots of sweet oak, alcohol, and tannins in the nose...earthy and truffle-y as well...pepper buried behind all the rest, including the fruit on the palate, a fruit on the black side of things...big plus plus plus...a humongous wine with huge alcohol, acid and tannin on the palate as well...pepper, a shot of kirsch, beef blood, allspice...gets rounder but needs a day of breathing - accordingly, could be more special than I give it credit."(93pts JK)
 1 Imperial per lot \$600-800
- 611 Cote Rotie - Vintage 1995**
La Turque, E. Guigal
 3lbsl, 3lscl
"It is the sweetest, densest, most complete, and the most exotic, even eclipsing La Mouline for pure decadence in its smoky, jammy, blackcurrant, and raspberry-scented nose. Unctuously-textured, with surprising balance for a wine of such size and concentration, the 1995 La Turque is a tour de force in winemaking."(98-100pts)
 3 bottles per lot \$800-1050
- 612 Hermitage - Vintage 1999**
J.L. Chave
 owc
"It is a brilliant effort. The wine exhibits fabulous texture, purity, and sweetness as well as a finish that lasts for nearly a minute. There is high tannin, remarkably rich, concentrated extract, and tell-tale Hermitage fruit characteristics (blackberries, cassis), minerals, and spice."(96pts)
 1 Jeroboam per lot \$900-1250
- 613 Brunello di Montalcino - Vintage 1990**
Rennina, Pieve Santa Restituta
 2x1 d-mag owc
"... exhibits a mature ruby/garnet color, and a remarkably open, sexy, lush, and opulent personality. Sweet, jammy aromas of red fruits, smoked nuts, roasted herbs, and spice soar from the glass of this expressive Brunello."(92pts)
 2 double magnums per lot \$700-900
- 614 Ribera del Duero - Vintage 1991**
Cuvee Janus, Gran Reserva, Pesquera
 2x1 magnum owc's
"This powerful red is ripe and roasted, thick on the palate, with extraordinary concentration of ripe plum, prune, chocolate and mineral flavors. In a bit of a dumb phase now, it clearly has the stuffing and balance to last."(95pts WS)
 3 magnums per lot \$700-950
- 615 B.V. Private Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon - Vintage 1985**
 owc
 1 Imperial per lot \$450-550
- 616 Dominus - Vintage 1983**
 lbsl, owc
"...offers damp woody aromas intermingled with rich, jammy cassis, cedar, licorice, and even some oriental spice notes. Full-bodied with considerable tannin, this highly extracted, rich wine should prove to be extremely long-lived. It gives every sign of shedding its tannins and having the requisite extraction of fruit and concentration for future harmony."(90pts)
 1 Imperial per lot \$600-800
- 617 Dominus - Vintage 1985**
2bn, 12vlwrl, 12scc, owc
"Just to prove I am not the only person to think Dominus has more than a casual resemblance to a Bordeaux, at one tasting I hosted, several French wine amateurs who did not know the identity of the wine thought it was Trotanoy! The blend of 80% Cabernet Sauvignon, 10% Merlot, and 10% Cabernet Franc produced a rich Dominus, with superb color and a huge, blossoming nose of black cherries, spicy oak, herbs, and cedar scents. In the mouth, the tell-tale characteristic of the 1985 vintage, crisp acidity, as well as profound concentration, are well-displayed."(91pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 618 Dominus - Vintage 1985**
 bn, lbsl, owc
 1 Imperial per lot \$750-1000
- 619 Dominus - Vintage 1987**
 lbsl, owc
"The wine is beginning to shut down, but it still displays a rich ruby color and an intensely spicy, fragrant nose of toasty vanillin oak, cassis, and cedar. In the mouth, this medium to full-bodied wine displays considerable tannins, fine integrated acidity, and an opulent, rich, spicy finish."(96pts)
 1 Imperial per lot \$900-1200

PARCEL LOTS 620-621

620 Dominus - Vintage 1990

vlbsl, owc
"The nose offers thrilling aromas of ripe cassis, spices, and minerals. In the mouth, there is gorgeous richness, a full-bodied, stunningly extracted mid-palate, and a dazzlingly long, moderately tannic finish. Again, the sweet, rich fruit is lavishly displayed."(95pts)

1 Imperial per lot \$1500-2000

621 1 Imperial per lot \$1500-2000
lbsl, owc

PARCEL LOTS 622-623

622 Dominus - Vintage 1992

vlbsl, owc
"... exhibits an open knit, opulent, rich, easy-going character with gorgeous levels of earthy, cassis fruit intertwined with scents of herbs, coffee, and chocolate/mocha ice cream. Rich and full-bodied, with thick, viscous flavors and low acidity, this is a forward, exceptionally concentrated..."(95pts)

1 Imperial per lot \$1000-1500

623 1 Imperial per lot \$1000-1500
vlbsl, owc

624 Dominus - Vintage 1994

owc
vlbsl, owc
"...strikingly thick, compellingly rich wine with the texture of a great Pomerol, despite being made primarily from Cabernet Sauvignon. The wine exhibits a dense purple color, and an incredibly fragrant nose of jammy black fruits, spice, smoke, and loamy, truffle-like scents. In the mouth, it is full-bodied, with thrilling levels of extract and richness, but no sense of heaviness or harshness. This seamless Dominus possesses no hard edges, as its acidity, tannin, and alcohol are beautifully meshed with copious quantities of ripe fruit."(99pts)

2 double magnums per lot \$1800-2400

PARCEL LOTS 625-626

625 Dominus - Vintage 1994

vlbsl, owc

1 Imperial per lot \$2200-3000

626 1 Imperial per lot \$2200-3000
vlbsl, owc

627 Dominus - Vintage 1997

owc
"...tips the scales at 14% alcohol, it is well-hidden by the wine's sweet, rich, concentrated style. The wine's deep ruby/garnet color is accompanied by beautiful aromatics of licorice, Asian spices, black cherries, and cassis. An elegant, complex, medium to full-bodied wine, it has a long, silky-textured finish."(94pts)

1 Imperial per lot \$1000-1250

628 Dunn Vineyards Cabernet Sauvignon - Vintage 1985

Howell Mountain

owc

"A more pungent, sappy style - very aromatic...wild cherry leaps off the palate - silky smooth."
(92+pts JK)

1 Imperial per lot \$750-950

629 Dunn Vineyards Cabernet Sauvignon - Vintage 1986

Howell Mountain

owc

"The opaque purple-colored 1986 Cabernet Sauvignon Howell Mountain offers awesome richness, mindboggling intensity, huge tannin, a massive mouthfeel..."(95pts)

1 5 liter per lot \$650-850

PARCEL LOTS 630-633

630 Robert Mondavi Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon - Vintage 1987

4bn, 1vltsl, owc

"This extraordinary wine is backward and unevolved, but even neophytes will recognize its potential greatness. The opaque, saturated, dark purple color reveals no sign of age. The huge, smoky, oaky, blackcurrant, herb, and vanillin-scented nose only hints at what will be achieved with further evolution. Sweet, decadently rich, dense, highly extracted flavors are wrapped around a full-bodied, chewy, super-concentrated, moderately tannic wine that, ideally, needs 7-8 more years of cellaring."(97pts)

12 bottles per lot \$1200-1500

631 12 bottles per lot \$1200-1500
1bn, 2dc, owc

632 12 bottles per lot \$1200-1500
1bn, owc

633 12 bottles per lot \$1200-1500
4bn, 1dc, 12scc

634 Stag's Leap Wine Cellars Cabernet Sauvignon - Vintage 1984

Cask 23

bn, lscl, hstl, tl, wl, sdc

"The opaque, plum/purple color suggests considerable concentration. The lavishly rich, intense nose of fruitcake, chocolate, cedar, herbs hickory smoke, soy, and cassis is fabulous. Full-bodied, rich, expansive, and amazingly supple, this silky-textured wine has exceptional finesse and succulence."(94pts)

1 Jeroboam per lot \$750-1000

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- 635 Chambertin**
 - **Vintage 1945** *Clerget bsl, lscl, outstanding color and condition* (1)
Clos Vougeot
 - **Vintage 1945** *Clerget bsl, lscl, outstanding color and condition* (1)
 Above 2 bottles per lot \$500-700

- 636 Chambertin - Vintage 2003**
J. Drouhin
owc
 12 bottles per lot \$1200-1500

- 637 Chambertin - Vintage 2006**
Clos de Beze, J. Drouhin
owc
 12 bottles per lot \$1500-2000

- 638 Charmes Chambertin - Vintage 1990**
Charles de Valliere
7bsl, 5lbsl, 3tl
 12 bottles per lot \$500-700

- 639 Musigny**
Vieilles Vignes, Comte de Vogue
 - **Vintage 1991** *vlbsl* (1)
 - **Vintage 1993** *lbsl, tll* (1)
 - **Vintage 1996** *vlbsl, lscl, nl* (1)
 Above 3 bottles per lot \$1150-1500

- 640 Batard Montrachet - Vintage 1966**
Prosper Maufoux
2bsl, excellent color and condition
 2 bottles per lot \$400-500

- 641 Batard Montrachet - Vintage 2006**
J. Drouhin
"This is much more reserved and brooding while only grudgingly giving up pure white flower and spice aromas though the serious, rich, full and strikingly powerful flavors possess excellent depth of dry extract and huge length on the detailed, focused, palate staining and explosive finish. This is an impressive Bâtard as everything necessary is here and this should age extremely well." (93pts BH)
 6 bottles per lot \$600-800

- 642 Dom Perignon Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1971**
lvlscl, 1nl, 1 torn foil
"All the older vintages of Dom P rignon develop a clear tone of roasted coffee beans. The '71 is full of such aromas. The taste is slightly thinner than the '73 and without its walnut tones, but the aftertaste is actually longer. Better and more impressive almost every time I taste it." (96pts RJ)
 4 bottles per lot \$2000-2600

- 643 Dom Perignon Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1973**
Oenotheque
ogb
"I was in the mood for a refresher, and did those 1973s ever qualify and then some. It was one of the greatest Champagne experiences of my life. I don't know if it was just that point in time and space where bottles undress themselves right in front of your very own lips and show incredibly due to circumstance and the theory of relativity, wine-wise of course. This champagne was incredible, so delicious and incredibly balanced, racy, bready, nutty - it had it all." (98pts JK)
 1 magnum per lot \$2400-3500

- 644 Dom Perignon Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1964**
Rose
vhs, lscl, excellent color and condition
 1 bottle per lot \$1000-1500

- 645 Dom Perignon Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1975**
Rose
ts, lbsl, tl, torn foil
"Extremely dark red color; mousse almost foaming. The nose is unexpectedly fruity and young, with a broad spectrum of orange, strawberry, plum, black, and redcurrant notes. At first the taste was young and full of strawberry. It was only in the accelerating fat aftertaste that the wine's greatness shone through." (94pts RJ)
 1 magnum per lot \$1000-1500

- 646 Krug Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1973**
vlbsl, vlstl
"Classic Krug. " (95pts RJ)
 1 bottle per lot \$600-800

- 647 Louis Roederer Vintage Champagne**
 - **Vintage 1949** *outstanding color and condition* (1)
 - **Vintage 1959** *lbsl, tl, torn foil, excellent color and condition* (1)
 - **Vintage 1962** *lbsl, lscl* (1)
 Above 3 bottles per lot \$1700-2400

- 648 Louis Roederer Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1971**
Cristal
"Normally the '71s are super-elegant but slightly thin. Here the elegance is complete, but the body is well built and the richness of delicious nut-toffee and vanilla notes is effusive. A fantastic wine that is among the most voluptuous one can drink." (96pts RJ)
 1 bottle per lot \$800-1150

649 Louis Roederer Vintage Champagne
Cristal
 - **Vintage 1979** (2)
 - **Vintage 1985** (2)
 - **Vintage 1990** (2)
 Above 6 bottles per lot \$2600-3200

650 Louis Roederer Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1999
Cristal
 2x3 mag ovc's
 "The 1999 Cristal was extra special, extraordinary in its combination of elegance and power. Its flavors were crisp, clean and intense, long and stylish with superb acidity that did not get in the way of the purity and style of the wine. It was integrated despite its extraordinary length. Its aromas of lightly toasted bread, corn and minerals danced around our table aptly with all the young ladies the Champagne seemed to attract. I love it when that happens. We danced the night away, so I was able to skip the morning workout." (97pts JK)
 6 magnums per lot \$2400-3000

651 Louis Roederer Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1990
Cristal Rose
 ogb
 "Cristal Rose 90 can't be anything but wonderful. This is a very young and as yet discreet Champagne with a peerless balance and finesse." (97pts RJ)
 1 bottle per lot \$500-700

652 Barbera d'Alba - Vintage 1985
B. Giacosa
 4bn, 12lbsl, 5lstl
 12 bottles per lot \$500-700

653 Barolo - Vintage 1990
Cannubi Boschis, L. Sandrone
 vlbsl, lscl, ovc
 "This youthful Barolo must be tasted to be believed... A real privilege to drink this from an impeccably stored bottle." (98pts)
 1 magnum per lot \$1000-1500

654 Chateau Canon
 - **Vintage 1961** *St. Emilion 1bn, Its, lbsl, ltal, lstl, Nicolas bottling,* (2)
outstanding color and excellent condition

Chateau Carbonnieux
 - **Vintage 1961** *Graves 2hs, 1htms, 3bsl, ltal,* (3)
outstanding color and condition

Chateau Feytit-Clinet
 - **Vintage 1961** *htms, lbsl, sdc,* (1)
excellent color and condition

Chateau Trotteville
 - **Vintage 1961** *St. Emilion 3hs, 1vhs, 3lbsl,* (4)
excellent color and condition
 Above 10 bottles per lot \$1000-1350

655 Chateau Cheval Blanc - Vintage 1947
St. Emilion
hs, bscl, lscl, cuc, outstanding color and condition
 "What can I say about this mammoth wine that is more like port than dry red table wine? The 1947 Cheval Blanc exhibits such a thick texture it could double as motor oil. The huge nose of fruitcake, chocolate, leather, coffee, and Asian spices is mind-boggling. The unctuous texture and richness of sweet fruit are amazing still remarkably fresh, phenomenally concentrated, and profoundly complex this wine has been either perfect or nearly perfect every time I have had it." (100pts)
 1 half-bottle per lot \$1000-1300

656 Chateau La Mission Haut Brion - Vintage 1953
Graves
1hs, 1htms, 2lbsl, 2lscl,
outstanding color and excellent condition
 "Not one less than good bottle, though its very distinctive flavours recorded, included singed, burnt, peaty, dried bracken, tobacco and a slightly aggressive masculinity. Not a lightweight 53, though plenty of fragrance and some elegance..." (5 stars MB)
 2 bottles per lot \$1100-1400

PARCEL LOTS 657-658

657 Chateau Lafite Rothschild - Vintage 1948
Pauillac
Its, 1hs, 1htms, 1vlstl, 1sdc,
outstanding color and condition
 3 bottles per lot \$1200-1800

658 3 bottles per lot \$1200-1800
3vhs, 3vlbsl, 3lscl, 1vlstl,
outstanding color and condition

659 Chateau Latour - Vintage 1949
Pauillac
2htms, 2hbsl, 2hscl, 1ltl, 1spc, 2scc,
outstanding color and excellent condition
 "... is one of those wines that can take a taster's breath away. It is a wine of extraordinary richness, yet it is perfectly balanced. It has extraordinary extraction of flavor, perfect balance, layers of flavor, and a finish that is both supple and authoritative." (98pts)
 2 bottles per lot \$1600-2400

660 Chateau Petrus - Vintage 1947
Van der Meulen bottling, Pomerol
hs, hbsl, outstanding color and condition
 "The 1947 Petrus is the most decadent "wine of the century." While not as port-like as the 1947 Cheval Blanc, it is a massive, unctuously-textured, viscous wine with amazing power, richness, and sweet fruit. The nose explodes from the glass, offering jammy fruit, smoke, and buttery caramel scents. The wine's viscosity is reminiscent of 10-W-40 motor oil. It is so sweet, thick, and rich one suspects a spoon could stand upright." (100pts)
 1 bottle per lot \$1000-1300

661 Chateau Pichon Lalande
Pauillac
 - **Vintage 1937** *hs, lbsl, ltl, cuc,* (1)
outstanding color and condition
 - **Vintage 1945** *hs, bsl, cuc, outstanding* (1)
color and condition
 Above 2 bottles per lot \$600-850

662 Chateau Grand Puy Lacoste
 - **Vintage 1945** *Pauillac hs, hbsl, lscl, ltl,* (1)
outstanding color and condition

Chateau Dassault
 - **Vintage 1955** *St. Emilion bn, bsl,* (1)
outstanding color and condition

Chateau Larcis Ducasse
 - **Vintage 1955** *St. Emilion ts, lbsl, lscl,* (1)
outstanding color and condition

Chateau Guadet
 - **Vintage 1959** *1hs, 1htms, 1nl, 1lscl,* (2)
excellent color and condition

Chateau La Grace Dieu
 - **Vintage 1959** *1vhs, 2hs, 3lbsl, 2lscl, 1htl* (3)
 Above 8 bottles per lot \$750-1150

663 Chateau Climens - Vintage 1947
Barsac
2hs, 2htms, 3hbsl, 1hwsl, 1lsl, Nicolas
bottling, deep mahogany color,
outstanding color and excellent condition
"One of the most magnificent of all Climens
vintages."(5 stars MB)
 4 bottles per lot \$1400-1800

664 Clos Vougeot - Vintage 1947
L. Poret
1lbsl, 1nol, 12 re-waxed capsule,
outstanding color and condition
 12 bottles per lot \$1200-1500

665 Gevrey Chambertin
 - **Vintage 1937** *H. Rebourseau 5.75cm bc,* (1)
hbsl, lscl, excellent color and condition

Corton Grancey
 - **Vintage 1953** *L. Latour 1-7cm bc,* (2)
1-6.5cm bc, outstanding
color and excellent condition

Nuits St. Georges
 - **Vintage 1955** *L. Affre 2-6cm bc, 3bsl, 1lsl,* (3)
1tl, 1sdc, outstanding color
and excellent condition

Mazis Chambertin
 - **Vintage 1959** *T. Bassot 1-5cm bc, 2bsl,* (2)
1lsl, 1stl

Vougeot
 - **Vintage 1964** *Morin Pere et fils vlbsl, sdc,* (1)
outstanding color and condition

Pommard
 - **Vintage 1969** *Les Charmots, L. Violland* (1)
 Above 10 bottles per lot \$750-1150

666 Brunello di Montalcino - Vintage 1971
Il Greppo, Biondi Santi
5bn, 1lsl, 2sos
 5 bottles per lot \$750-1000

667 Bonnes Mares - Vintage 1959
Faiveley
1-5cm bc, lbsl, lsl, ltl, 2sdc,
outstanding color and condition
 3 bottles per lot \$2000-3200

668 Dom Perignon Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1934
lbsl, lscl, outstanding color and condition
 1 bottle per lot \$1200-1500

669 Dom Perignon Vintage Champagne
 - **Vintage 1961** *lbsl, lscl, outstanding* (1)
color and condition
 - **Vintage 1964** *lbsl, torn foil, nl, scl, tal* (1)
excellent color and condition
 Above 2 bottles per lot \$1250-1600

670 Dom Perignon Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1964
10lbsl, 10 torn foil, 6nl, 3scl, 1tal
excellent color and condition
"...big nutty tones of age with young acidity and fresh
attack. The wine has every-thing, where the
butterscotch taste is separated from the fruit and nut
aromas. This butterscotch taste remains all the way
and makes up the entire, exceptionally long,
aftertaste."(97pts RJ)
 10 bottles per lot \$5000-6000



671 Dom Perignon Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1971

1vbsl, 2x1 bottle ogb's

"All the older vintages of Dom Perignon develop a clear tone of roasted coffee beans. The '71 is full of such aromas. The taste is slightly thinner than the '73 and without its walnut tones, but the aftertaste is actually longer. Better and more impressive almost every time I taste it."(96pts RJ)

2 magnums per lot \$3000-4000

672 Moet & Chandon Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1911

1lbsl, 1lsl, 1nl, 1nol, 2 torn foil, 1 excellent color and condition, 1 outstanding color and condition

2 bottles per lot \$6000-10000

673 Moet & Chandon Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1921

1lbsl, 1lsl, 1tl, 1nol, 1 excellent color and condition, 1 outstanding color and condition

"The best vintage Mo t of all time, just as Tom Stevenson predicted. One of the greats at the Millennium Tasting, with its incredible elegance and classic charm. The wine is identical to the '21 Dom Perignon."(98pts RJ)

2 bottles per lot \$4000-6000

674 Veuve Clicquot Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1949

lbsl, lsl, outstanding color and condition

1 bottle per lot \$350-450

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675 Chateau Cheval Blanc - Vintage 2000

St. Emilion

"...saturated purple color along with a reticent but striking bouquet of blackberries, blueberries, truffles, and mocha. In spite of its tightness, aeration reveals scents of licorice, menthol, and saddle leather. Opulent and full-bodied, with low acidity, sweet tannin, and a 60-second finish, it is unquestionably as profound as the 1990 and 1982. I still believe the 2000 has the potential to be the most compelling Cheval Blanc since the mythical 1947 and 1949..." (100pts)

3 magnums per lot \$4500-6000

676 Chateau Pavie - Vintage 2005

St. Emilion

owc

"...exhibits a thick-looking purple color to the rim as well as an exquisite perfume of blueberry and blackberry liqueur, unsmoked cigar tobacco, crushed rocks, damp earth, and hints of truffles and incense. The vineyard's limestone soils have provided massive concentration, a laser-like precision, fresh, zesty acidity, and massive tannin. Despite the wine's enormous concentration and intensity, there is a lightness to its style."(98+pts)

6 magnums per lot \$3000-4000

677 Chateau Quinault L'Enclos - Vintage 2005

St. Emilion

owc

"...is a pure, elegant, stylish wine from a blend of 70% Merlot, 17% Cabernet Franc, 7% Cabernet Sauvignon, and an unusual 6% Malbec. This highly-focused wine exhibits a deep ruby/purple hue in addition to a beautiful bouquet of black raspberries, blueberries, camphor, spring flowers, and spice box."(94pts)

12 bottles per lot \$500-700

678 Billecart Salmon Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1996

Grande Cuvee

6x1 bottle ocb's

"This is a real direct hit with layers of mature fruitiness, sweets, roasted coffee beans and the typical Billecart charm. Expressive and elegant, with substance."(93pts RJ)

6 magnums per lot \$1000-1500

679 Bollinger Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1996

Grande Annee

2x6 bottle ocb's

"This is full-bodied, with berry, bread dough and citrus aromas and flavors unfolding on the palate. It's firm and muscular, with depth, intensity and a long, lingering aftertaste. A Champagne for the table."(93pts WS)

12 bottles per lot \$900-1200



- 680 Dom Perignon Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1964**
3lsl, excellent color and condition
"...big nutty tones of age with young acidity and fresh attack. The wine has every-thing, where the butterscotch taste is separated from the fruit and nut aromas. This butterscotch taste remains all the way and makes up the entire, exceptionally long, aftertaste."(97pts RJ)
 3 bottles per lot \$1500-2000
- 681 Dom Perignon Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1990**
"...is a creamy-textured, full styled offering that loses none of its elegance in spite of its flavor authority."(96pts)
 2 magnums per lot \$900-1200
- 682 Dom Perignon Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1996**
ocb
"Notes of crushed rocks, honeysuckle, lemon oil, orange marmalade, and white pear provide a stunning aromatic display as well as palate impression. Great acidity and huge flavor intensity backed up by vibrant acidity make this an exquisite Champagne."(98pts)
 6 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 683 Dom Perignon Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1999**
(92pts RJ)
 12 bottles per lot \$1200-1500
- 684 Dom Perignon Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1985**
Rose
"A marvelous wine with a nose marked by the extraordinary A Pinot. Mo t & Chandon have succeeded in the art of making a wine with a powerful Pinot nose and at the same time a buttery, elegant Chardonnay texture. One of the best ros Champagnes I've tasted."(97pts RJ)
 2 magnums per lot \$1600-2200
- 685 Krug Collection Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1979**
owc
"A fantastic masterpiece of absolute world class."
(97pts RJ)
 1 magnum per lot \$1300-1600
- 686 Krug Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1990**
"An aristocrat. Big-boned and intense, yet with finesse and complex flavors of coconut, whole-grain bread, ginger, citrus and honey. Waves of flavor saturate the palate and the long finish picks up a mineral and smoke note. Very harmonious from start to finish."(97pts WS)
 4 magnums per lot \$2400-3200
- 687 Krug Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1979**
Clos du Mesnil
Ivhwrl
"A perfect Blanc de Blancs and a "decent" first try by the Krug family. The nose lives more on finesse than richness. Juicy Cox's Orange apples, Cointreau, and acacia honey raise high expectations for the taste, and they are triumphantly met. There is a wonderfully exotic richness that reminds me of Taittinger Comtes de Champagne, but with an aftertaste even richer in glycerol honey sweetness. One of the true milestones of wine history."(99pts RJ)
 1 bottle per lot \$3000-4000
- 688 Krug Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1985**
Clos du Mesnil
"The height of elegance! The '85 reminds me of the '79, but I wonder if this wine doesn't reach even greater peaks. What balance and indescribable finesse! Sadly it's rare these days that I become so awestruck by a wine that I go through an almost religious experience. This wonderful, lime-fruity Champagne with its polished butteriness and sparkling clarity..."(98pts RJ)
 1 bottle per lot \$800-1000
- 689 Krug Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1988**
Clos du Mesnil
"Full color. Extremely fine, persistent mousse. Extraordinary mineral bath of a nose, complicated by pungent lime, iodine, peppermint and coconut; calls to mind a top Montrachet. A super-concentrated wine of incredible palate-staining intensity..."
(97+pts IWC)
 2 bottles per lot \$1200-1600
- 690 Louis Roederer Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1964**
Cristal
2lbsl, 2lsl, excellent color and condition
"There s something magical about Cristal. Every vintage from the 1960 s is wonderful and stylish. I wonder if the 64 isn t the best of them all. Here we find unusual points: the sweet toffw tone, the creaminess, and the amazing balanced fruit. The seductive flow is supported this time by a La T che-like Pinot depth, which is unmatched anywhere else."(98pts RJ)
 2 bottles per lot \$2200-2800
- 691 Louis Roederer Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1969**
Cristal
bsl, cc, excellent color and condition
"There were still two more wines, actually champagnes, left in the evening. The train was about to leave the station, so Big Boy had to send it off in style. This bottle was un-fucking-real, full of coconut and coffee aromas, fresh like a Sunday morning bread basket. Sorry, I couldn t take many notes at the time, but it was one of the best bottles of champagne that I have ever had."(98pts JK)
 1 bottle per lot \$750-1000

- 692 Louis Roederer Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1976**
Cristal
lbsl, lscl
"One of the most perfect Cristals I've ever experienced. It sums up everything the firm stands for in such a magically concentrated and buttery drink. The fruit is incredibly rich and the freshness is outstanding. This wine is wonderful and easily understood."(97pts RJ)
 1 bottle per lot \$600-800
- 693 Louis Roederer Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1990**
Cristal
"The Louis Roederer 1990 Cristal is awesome! A classic of power and finesse, richness and delicacy, it may be the greatest Cristal I have ever tasted!..."(97pts)
 6 bottles per lot \$1800-2400
- 694 Louis Roederer Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1996**
Cristal
"Buy all you can find and leave it forgotten for the time being in some dark corner of the basement. Having said that, certain bottles are already deliciously honeyed."(97pts RJ)
 6 bottles per lot \$1500-2000
- 695 Philipponnat Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1996**
Clos des Goisses
lvhwrl
"Bright yellow. Leesy, deeply pungent aromas of buttered pear and apple, with a strong impression of jasmine. Deeply concentrated and powerful on the palate, the pear flavor almost liqueur-like in intensity, with a solid frame of minerality and a building toffee note. Finishes with a depth charge of talc-y minerality and a lingering impression of sweet butter. Don't even think of opening one of these for at least another five years."(95pts IWC)
 3 magnums per lot \$900-1200
- 696 Pol Roger Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1996**
Cuvee Sir Winston Churchill
1x6 bottle ocb, 3x1 mag ocb's
"...there was great toast to this complex bubbly, but BB felt it was missing the pitch and citricity of 6-star, though I countered that it was still a bit young for 6-star status, and that many wines need to blossom into that category. However, a couple of other bubblyies would soon remind us that 6-star status is something that can come across even at a young age."(95+pts JK)
 Above 6 bottles and 3 magnums per lot \$1600-2400
- 697 Salon Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1988**
Le Mesnil
4vlscl, 1ltl
"The nose hints at nuts and chocolate..."(94pts RJ)
 6 bottles per lot \$1800-2400
- 698 Salon Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1996**
Le Mesnil
owc
"The 1996 Salon was like the razor s edge; there was so much vim, vigor and acidity here it was like being in the eye of a storm. One could see the greatness of the 1996 vintage in the Salon, which was fresh as a baby s bottom. It was white meaty underneath that 1996 greatness; so balanced, so long, so stylish and deeply penetrating. Rob gave it 6 stars. Incredible. Pure Blanc de Blanc Le Mesnil. No dosage. It was probably the greatest young Champagne that I have ever tasted."(97+pts JK)
 6 bottles per lot \$1300-1600
- 699 Quinta do Noval Vintage Port - Vintage 1997**
2x3 bottle owc's
"The 1997 vintage port is the greatest Quinta do Noval I have ever tasted. The wine of the vintage, this black/purple-colored port boasts fabulous aromatics (espresso, blackberries, licorice, tar, and flowers), followed by massive concentration, full body, and levels of depth and richness. Gorgeously sweet, stunningly concentrated and full-bodied, this profound vintage port should be legendary. Quinta do Noval's production normally approaches 4,000 cases, but in 1997, only 1200 cases were produced, so it will be extremely limited in availability."(100pts)
 6 bottles per lot \$750-1000
- 700 Taylor Fladgate Vintage Port - Vintage 1948**
lbn, lvhwrl
"I have had this numerous times and I have always been bowled over by its great quality. It is teeming with plum aromas and flavors. Deep ruby-red, with coffee, cocoa, violet and plum aromas, full-bodied, with ripe fruit flavors, medium tannins and a balanced finish. Very firm and refined, it will age on and on."(99pts WS)
 3 bottles per lot \$1500-2000



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1990 DOM PERIGNON ROSE AND KRUG AS
WELL AS 1996 SALON AMONGST OTHERS**

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701 Chateau Leoville Las Cases - Vintage 2000

St. Julien

"Absolutely fantastic. This is one of the most exciting young reds I have tasted in a long, long time. It shows intense aromas of berries, currants and minerals, with hints of mint. Full-bodied and packed with fruit and tannins, its long finish is refined and silky. A benchmark for the vintage."(100pts WS)

2 magnums per lot \$1200-1600

702 Chateau L'Evangile - Vintage 2000

Pomerol

"This fabulous L'Evangile rivals such recent great vintages as 1998, 1995, 1990, and of course, 1982. With aeration, the thick, unctuous, saturated purple color is followed by scents of blueberries, blackberries, truffles, acacia flowers, tar, and graphite. Full-bodied, with tremendous opulence, intensity, and purity as well as silky tannin and a long, powerful, concentrated finish, with a hint of cocoa/chocolate..."(96pts)

2 magnums per lot \$850-1100

703 Musigny - Vintage 1999

Vieilles Vignes, Comte de Vogue

owc

"...wonderfully complex aromas of a simply incredible array of black fruits, earth, spice, crushed herbs and notes of chocolate with flavors that are huge but fine, powerful but subtle and rich yet detailed with a stupendously long finish that offers intense minerality. This is genuinely stunning juice and not to be missed if you have the chance."(96pts BH)

12 bottles per lot \$5000-7000

704 Musigny - Vintage 2001

Vieilles Vignes, Comte de Vogue

2 bottles different importer

"One of the finest wines of the vintage, this is simply a spectacular effort that has captured every bit of the potential it originally displayed in cask. Restrained and backward nose of a fantastically complex mix of blackberries, spice, cedar, soy, anise and dried herbs followed by full-bodied, multi-layered flavors of amazing length. Opulent and lavish yet all remains exquisitely balanced and this is astonishingly precise. A real stunner of a wine that is as classy and graceful as they come. As good and classy as the '02 if not quite as structured."(96pts BH)

Above 5 bottles and 1 magnum per lot \$1800-2400

705 Musigny - Vintage 2004

Vieilles Vignes, Comte de Vogue

owc

"...cool and even more reserved at present, revealing only reluctant glimpses of very ripe and ultra spicy red and black berry fruit notes. The rich, full and powerful flavors are sweet, supple and utterly classy and the intensity this wine displays is seriously impressive and the superbly long and strikingly precise finish is crystalline in its purity and exactness. Readers know that I am not given to undue hyperbole but I love this style of wine as it's at once pure, understated, graceful and utterly composed..."(96pts BH)

3 magnums per lot \$1200-1500

706 Bollinger Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1996

Grande Annee

"This is full-bodied, with berry, bread dough and citrus aromas and flavors unfolding on the palate. It's firm and muscular; with depth, intensity and a long, lingering aftertaste. A Champagne for the table."(93pts WS)

3 Jeroboams per lot \$1200-1500

707 Dom Perignon Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1949

tal, excellent color

(97pts RJ)

1 bottle per lot \$1200-1600

708 Dom Perignon Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1995

owc

"Wonderfully subtle, complex aromas of white flowers, acacia honey, minerals, nuts and mushroom, with musky and leesy nuances. Oily, rich and smoky but with terrific verve and lift. Quite substantial and chewy for a young D.P. but not at all heavy. Yellow plum and strong soil tones in the middle and on the palate-staining finish. Offers a rare combination of richness and finesse."(95pts IWC)

1 Jeroboam per lot \$1200-1600

709 Dom Perignon Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1985

Rose

owc

"A marvelous wine with a nose marked by the extraordinary A Pinot. Mo t & Chandon have succeeded in the art of making a wine with a powerful Pinot nose and at the same time a buttery, elegant Chardonnay texture. One of the best ros Champagnes I've tasted."(97pts RJ)

2 magnums per lot \$1600-2200

PARCEL LOTS 710-717

710	Dom Perignon Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1990 <i>Rose</i> <i>ocb</i> <i>“Superbly euphoric nose, as languorous and silky as a guitar solo by Carlos Santana. As usual, Richard Geoffroy like his predecessor has succeeded in creating a wine that has seductive suppleness, complexity, and concentration in one and the same wine.”(96pts RJ)</i>	6 magnums	per lot \$4000-5000
711	6 magnums <i>ocb</i>	6 magnums	per lot \$4000-5000
712	6 magnums <i>ocb</i>	6 magnums	per lot \$4000-5000
713	6 magnums <i>ocb</i>	6 magnums	per lot \$4000-5000
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PARCEL LOTS 718-719

718	Dom Perignon Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1996 <i>Rose</i> <i>“Bright, amber-tinged pink with pinpoint bubbles. Deep, smoky and complex, with a kaleidoscopic bouquet incorporating wild strawberry, peach, apricot, chestnut honey and cured meat. A firm, strikingly concentrated mid weight with powerful flavors of orange peel, raspberry, redcurrant, baking spice and smoked meat and gentle supporting acidity. Smoky, sweet and long on the back, with a slowly building impression of acidity that suggests this will be a long ager.”(95pts IWC)</i>	12 bottles	per lot \$3000-4000
719	12 bottles	12 bottles	per lot \$3000-4000

720	Krug Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1985 <i>“We started innocently enough with a bottle of 1985 Krug. As usual, the 1985 Krug delivered an outstanding experience. Full-bodied, tasty and with great balance to its brawn, the Krug had a sturdy finish and the right delicacy to match. It will be a Champagne to enjoy for many years to come and is arguably the Champagne of the vintage.”(96pts JK)</i> Above 3 bottles and 2 magnums	Above 3 bottles and 2 magnums	per lot \$1900-2600
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721	Krug Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1985 - Vintage 1988 - Vintage 1989 <i>ocb</i> Above 6 magnums	magnum (2) magnum (2) magnum (2)	per lot \$3500-4800
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PARCEL LOTS 722-726

722	Krug Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1990 <i>“An aristocrat. Big-boned and intense, yet with finesse and complex flavors of coconut, whole-grain bread, ginger, citrus and honey. Waves of flavor saturate the palate and the long finish picks up a mineral and smoke note. Very harmonious from start to finish.”(97pts WS)</i>	6 magnums	per lot \$3500-4800
723	6 magnums <i>ocb</i>	6 magnums	per lot \$3500-4800
724	6 magnums <i>ocb</i>	6 magnums	per lot \$3500-4800
725	6 magnums <i>ocb</i>	6 magnums	per lot \$3500-4800
726	6 magnums	6 magnums	per lot \$3500-4800

PARCEL LOTS 727-730

727	Krug Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1995 <i>ocb</i> <i>ocb</i> <i>“Delicate. Intense aromas of ginger, citrus, candied berry and multigrain bread turn to honey, roasted almonds and graphite on the palate. It’s all underscored by a precise structure and creamy texture persistent through the long finish. A picture of precision and intensity.”(98pts WS)</i>	12 bottles	per lot \$1500-2000
728	12 bottles <i>ocb</i>	12 bottles	per lot \$1500-2000
729	12 bottles <i>ocb</i>	12 bottles	per lot \$1500-2000
730	12 bottles <i>ocb</i>	12 bottles	per lot \$1500-2000

- 731 Krug Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1996**
"Remarkably perfumed nose projects an exotic bouquet of deep, leesy yellow fruit, minerals, honeycomb, smoked meat and flowers, with Asian spices building expanding in the glass. Almost painfully concentrated, offering a surreal parade of orchard and pit fruits, smoked meat, toasted brioche and marrow braced by intensely salty, stunningly incisive minerality. Imagine a Frankenstein's monster of Chablis Le Clos and Clos Ste. Hune-but one with perfect balance, of course-and you get an idea of what I found in my bottle. The energetic, stony character builds exponentially on the finish, which didn't seem to, well, finish. The best analogy I can come up with for the intensity, focus and clarity of this Champagne is liquefied barbed wire. Utterly hallucinatory and one of the most amazing wines I've ever been fortunate enough to drink."(99+pts IWC)
 12 bottles per lot \$2800-3500
- 732 Krug Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1995**
Clos du Mesnil
"Shows a slight oxidative character, with whole-grain toast, ginger, exotic citrus and honey notes. Big and dry, with a firm structure and a tactile sensation on the finish. A Champagne for food."(97pts WS)
 6 bottles per lot \$3000-4000
- 733 Louis Roederer Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1999**
Cristal
owc
"The 1999 Cristal was extra special, extraordinary in its combination of elegance and power. Its flavors were crisp, clean and intense, long and stylish with superb acidity that did not get in the way of the purity and style of the wine. It was integrated despite its extraordinary length. Its aromas of lightly toasted bread, corn and minerals danced around our table aptly with all the young ladies the Champagne seemed to attract. I love it when that happens. We danced the night away, so I was able to skip the morning workout."(97pts JK)
 1 Jeroboam per lot \$2400-3500
- 734 Louis Roederer Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1996**
Cristal Rose
ocb
"The 1996 had a color that was barely noticeable as Rose; in fact, if served to me blind, I would probably never guess it to be Rose. Roger quickly pointed out that if one compared the two, one could notice the color more, which was true. The Rose out-muscled the regular cuvee, possessing much more body, dryness and length. It really grabbed the attention of my tongue and gave it the wine version of CPR. Searingly dry but in a good way, it did not have that flash of flesh (yet) that the regular Cristal possessed, but one could not help but be impressed with its awesome endowment. Touches of strawberry and rose slowly emerged behind its mountain of minerality, but this behemoth of a Champagne was nowhere near being approachable. Honestly, it shouldn't be touched for at least another decade if not more. It, too, is easily a 50 to 75 year Champagne and could ultimately outscore its counterpart."(96+pts JK)
 6 bottles per lot \$2400-3000
- 735 Pol Roger Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1996**
Cuvee Sir Winston Churchill
ocb
"...there was great toast to this complex bubbly, but BB felt it was missing the pitch and citricity of 6-star, though I countered that it was still a bit young for 6-star status, and that many wines need to blossom into that category. However, a couple of other bubbliies would soon remind us that 6-star status is something that can come across even at a young age."(95+pts JK)
 6 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 736 Salon Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1985**
Le Mesnil
"Knockout aromas of lemon, lime, toffee, grilled nuts, nutmeg and minerals; conveys a strong impression of soil character. Great thickness and brightness in the mouth; offers a compelling combination of lemon and orange citricity and complex yeast autolysis notes, and near-perfect harmony of young and maturing elements."(95+pts IWC)
 9 bottles per lot \$3000-4500
- PARCEL LOTS 737-744**
- 737 Salon Vintage Champagne - Vintage 1996**
Le Mesnil
2x6 bottle owc's
"The 1996 Salon was like the razor s edge; there was so much vim, vigor and acidity here it was like being in the eye of a storm. One could see the greatness of the 1996 vintage in the Salon, which was fresh as a baby s bottom. It was white meaty underneath that 1996 greatness; so balanced, so long, so stylish and deeply penetrating. Rob gave it 6 stars. Incredible. Pure Blanc de Blanc Le Mesnil. No dosage. It was probably the greatest young Champagne that I have ever tasted."(97+pts JK)
 12 bottles per lot \$2600-3200
- 738** 12 bottles per lot \$2600-3200
owc
- 739** 12 bottles per lot \$2600-3200
2x3 bottle owc's
- 740** 12 bottles per lot \$2600-3200
2x3 bottle owc's
- 741** 12 bottles per lot \$2600-3200
owc
- 742** 12 bottles per lot \$2600-3200
- 743** 12 bottles per lot \$2600-3200
- 744** 12 bottles per lot \$2600-3200

745 Vega Sicilia Unico - Vintage 1922

*bsl, Ital, outstanding color and condition
"Hubba, hubba - sweet, leathery, sexy, oaky
spice...has a cream-pie filled personality...still good t
'n a at age eighty-one...has seductive brown fruit
aromas, caramel, molasses and mature spice...some
grain-like, oatmeal, morning cereal quality laced with
sugar...very tangy and spicy palate full of leather,
tang and alcohol...meaty yet wild and zesty...heavy,
thick, molasses nose... gets wetter and thicker with a
long, spicy finish...palate retains a tangy quality and
you must not be afraid of the old style and its volatile
acidity...just starting to enter its decline phase! I loved
it, but some thought there was too much sherry in
there."(95pts JK)*

1 bottle per lot \$800-1200

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746 Chateau Cheval Blanc - Vintage 1983

*St. Emilion
6lbsl, 6lstl, 2tl, owc
"Nose full of breed, real estate, and earth, with a nice
autumn spice to it very wound up - great length and
wintry flavors a minty and earthy spice dominates the
palate, with an accompanying, tasty, burnt edge to it
gets sweeter and sweeter and puts on weight after a
couple of hours bacon and menthol emerge and the
wine almost got pulled over for impersonating a
Cote-Rotie!..."(96pts JK)*

6 magnums per lot \$5000-7000

747 Chateau La Mission Haut Brion - Vintage 2003

*Graves
owc
"Gravelly, smoky, scorched earth, and sweet berry
fruit (black currants and blueberries) characteristics
as well as surprisingly delicate nuances are followed
by a layered, medium to full-bodied wine with sweet
fruit, low acidity, fine power, and a
luscious..."(94pts)*

12 bottles per lot \$1500-2000

748 Chateau L'Angelus - Vintage 2003

*St. Emilion
owc
"Beautiful aromas of ripe blackberry and raspberry
aromas follow through to a full-bodied palate, with
silky tannins and a long, long finish. Layered and
delicious. Gorgeous."(94pts WS)*

12 bottles per lot \$1000-1400

749 Chateau Latour - Vintage 1995

*Pauillac
owc
"A beauty, the opaque dense purple-colored 1995
exhibits jammy cassis, vanillin, and minerals in its
fragrant but still youthful aromatics. Medium to
full-bodied, with exceptional purity, superb
concentration, and a long, intense, ripe, 40-second
finish, this is a magnificent example of
Latour."(96pts)*

6 magnums per lot \$4500-6000

750 Chateau Le Tertre Roteboeuf - Vintage 2005

*St. Emilion
2x6 bottle owc's
"A sensational effort, Tertre Roteboeuf's 2005, along
with the 2000, is one of the most profound wines
made by Francois Mitjavile. A dense ruby/purple
color is followed by a stunning perfume of sweet black
currants, jammy cherries, licorice, and spice.
Full-bodied and opulent with high, but remarkably
sweet, velvety tannins as well as a stunning texture and
a finish that lasts nearly a minute, this prodigious
St.-Emilion should be drinkable in 3-4 years, and last
for two decades or more. Kudos to the
proprietor."(98pts)*

12 bottles per lot \$1800-2400



751 Chateau L'Eglise Clinet - Vintage 2001
Pomerol
owc
"A brilliant effort (one of the vintage s most substantial wines), proprietor Denis Durantou has turned in a tour de force in 2001. Sadly, there are only 1,500 cases of this 85% Merlot / 15% Cabernet Franc blend (from vines averaging 40 years of age)..."(94pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$1200-1500

752 Chateau L'Eglise Clinet - Vintage 2005
Pomerol
owc
"...is a compelling wine, but purchasers should wait at least a decade to begin the magical liquid tour. One of the monumental wines of the vintage, it boasts a dense purple color as well as a glorious perfume of caramelized blackberries, blueberries, and raspberries, a hint of toast in the backward, fully integrated oak, full body, and exceptional density and richness. Prodigiously concentrated, this layered, broad Pomerol reveals a seamless integration of acidity, tannin, alcohol, and wood. It is a massive, yet remarkably elegant wine that is as singular as it is exhilarating."(100pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$3500-4500

756 Chateau Palmer - Vintage 1970
Margaux
5bn, 2ts, 2vhs, 11sdc, outstanding color and condition, owc
"...one of the great wines of the vintage. It exhibits a dark, opaque garnet color, and an emerging, fabulously complex, exotic nose of licorice, over-ripe plums and blackcurrants, soy, cedar, and minerals. Rich and concentrated, with medium to full body, a sweet inner-core of fruit, firm but silky tannin, and a long, rich finish, this remains a youthful, potentially superb Palmer."(95pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$3000-4000

757 Chateau Troplong Mondot - Vintage 1990
St. Emilion
vlgsL, owc
"...chocolatey, blackcurrant, weedy tobacco-scented noses, and classic, full-bodied, powerful flavors massive finishes that coat the mouth with extract, glycerin, and tannin so opaque that it is impossible to see through spectacular efforts from one of St.-milion's most noteworthy overachievers.."(98pts)
 1 Jeroboam per lot \$1800-2400

758 Chateau Trotanoy - Vintage 2000
Pomerol
6vlbsl, owc
"Glory days may be here again for Trotanoy after the 1998 and 2000 vintages a high class nose, with exotic blueberry aromas and high alcohol levels a super-saucy, grapy, plummy liqueur aroma with exquisite mineral qualities gets pruney and like an incredible Pomerol Liqueur as perfect as superripe plums get on the palate so viscous, so big, and a nice, hot finish that says I will be breathing fire a long time!"(96+pts JK)
 6 magnums per lot \$2600-3500

759 Chambolle Musigny - Vintage 2005
G. Roumier
ocb
"Pure and concentrated, with spicy cherry, blackberry and floral notes weaving through the dense texture. It's monolithic now, with fine potential. Good length..."(91pts WS)
 12 bottles per lot \$900-1200

760 Charmes Chambertin - Vintage 1993
J. Drouhin
owc
 12 bottles per lot \$1000-1500

PARCEL LOTS 753-754

753 Chateau Leoville Las Cases - Vintage 1996
St. Julien
vlbsl, owc
"...a spectacular nose of cassis, cherry liqueur, pain grille, and minerals. It is powerful and rich on the attack, with beautifully integrated tannin, massive concentration, yet no hint of heaviness or disjointedness It is a remarkable, seamless, palate-staining, and extraordinarily elegant wine - the quintessential St.-Julien."(98pts)
 1 Jeroboam per lot \$1700-2200

754 1 Jeroboam per lot \$1700-2200
vlbsl, owc

755 Chateau L'Evangile - Vintage 2000
Pomerol
owc
"This fabulous L'Evangile rivals such recent great vintages as 1998, 1995, 1990, and of course, 1982. With aeration, the thick, unctuous, saturated purple color is followed by scents of blueberries, blackberries, truffles, acacia flowers, tar, and graphite. Full-bodied, with tremendous opulence, intensity, and purity as well as silky tannin and a long, powerful, concentrated finish, with a hint of cocoa/chocolate..."(96pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$2400-3000

- 761 Charmes Chambertin - Vintage 2005**
Vieilles Vignes, Perrot-Minot
ocb
"From 65-year-old vines in the highest portion of this appellation (bordering Rousseau s Chambertin), Perrot-Minot s 2005 Charmes Chambertin Vieilles Vignes offers pure, liqueur-like blackberry, black truffle and lily-like floral aromas, comes onto the palate with sumptuous depth and richness of fruit backed by beef marrow, creamy texture yet persistently fresh fruit, pungent brown spices, and amazing finishing intensity. This has what certain Australian wine makers would call "fruit weight," yet without an impression of actual weight on the palate."(94-5pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$2600-3500
- 762 Clos de la Roche - Vintage 2005**
Vieilles Vignes, Ponsot
owc
"...given how many reference standard vintages Domaine Ponsot has produced of the Clos de la Roche over the years, it would be presumptuous to anoint this as the best ever but if it isn't, it will certainly take its rightful place among the very greatest. In sum, a 'wow' wine that makes you shake your head in sheer amazement."(99pts BH)
 12 bottles per lot \$8000-12000
- 763 Clos de Tart - Vintage 2005**
Mommessin
2x6 bottle owc's
"An expressive and very ripe black berry fruit, spice, mocha, fresh coffee and earthy nose is surrounded by a generous blast of new oak that continues onto the rich, full, concentrated, powerful and sweet flavors that possess superb mid-palate density and huge length."(96pts BH)
 12 bottles per lot \$2000-2800
- 764 Clos des Lambrays - Vintage 2005**
Domaine des Lambrays
owc
"A much more deeply pitched nose of dark berry fruit, spice, earth, a hint of animale and an overlay of obvious minerality complements perfectly the rich, full and sweet broad-scaled yet elegant flavors that are solidly structured and firm on the detailed and wonderfully intense finish. This powerful, long and serious vintage of Clos des Lambrays is built for the medium plus term..."(94pts BH)
 4 magnums per lot \$1400-1800
- 765 Clos des Lambrays - Vintage 2005**
Domaine des Lambrays
owc
 1 Jeroboam per lot \$800-100
- 766 Clos Vougeot - Vintage 2005**
Domaine de Montille
2x6 bottle ocb's
"An unusually expressive nose for a young Clos de Vougeot features attractive red berry fruits, earth, smoke and hints of game that continue onto the rich, full, sweet and utterly delicious medium weight flavors that possess real volume as well as excellent depth and length. This is a lovely wine that displays only a touch of the classic youthful austerity typical of this wine in its youth. Very solid juice and this will age as the balance is impeccable."(91-4pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$800-1200
- 767 Echezeaux - Vintage 1991**
G. & H. Jayer
3lbl, 3lsl, 1vlstl, 1lstl, 1cuc
"In stark contrast to the power and richness of the of the '90, the '91 is much more elegant and understated in style with finely detailed, moderately mature aromas that are a mix of primary and secondary aromas followed by precise, reserved and quite fine flavors underpinned by outstanding length. There is still solid structure here but it's ripe and beginning to soften and this should be at its peak in the 2005 area. This is really a lovely effort and wonderfully classy."(90pts BH)
 3 bottles per lot \$1500-2000
- 768 Mazoyeres Chambertin - Vintage 2005**
Vieilles Vignes, Perrot-Minot
ocb
"A stunning red. Deep, dark and concentrated, offering blackberry, cassis, plum and sandalwood aromas and flavors that glide across the silky texture. The tannins emerge on the back end, but are eventually enveloped by the sweet fruit on the long finish. 283 cases made."(96pts WS)
 12 bottles per lot \$2600-3500
- 769 Morey St. Denis - Vintage 1999**
Clos de la Bussiere, G. Roumier
ocb
 12 bottles per lot \$1200-1500
- 770 Batard Montrachet - Vintage 2004**
Domaine Leflaive
owc
"Despite the presence of moderate reduction, the nose offers an elegant mix of wood spice, fresh and wonderfully nuanced high-toned white flower aromas and just a touch of exotic fruit that precedes sweet, rich and notably powerful flavors that possess exceptionally good dry extract levels which confer a textured, almost chewy mouth feel on the sleekly muscled and explosive finish. This is an impressive effort that is relatively racy by the usual standards found in Batard and one that should age for years."(94pts BH)
 6 magnums per lot \$4000-6000

771 Chassagne Montrachet - Vintage 2002
Les Ruchottes, Ramonet
 6lbsl, ocb
"Pure, scented aromas of lime and mint. Chewy, sweet and superrich, with very intense lime and floral flavors framed by vibrant acidity. Boasts a wonderfully fine texture and very firm structure for aging. Powerful but also very classy wine, with terrific inner-mouth energy and superb length..."
 (93pts IWC)
 6 magnums per lot \$1000-1400

772 Chevalier Montrachet - Vintage 1993
Les Demoiselles, L. Jadot
 ocb
 12 bottles per lot \$1200-1500

773 Puligny Montrachet - Vintage 1982
Clavoillon, Domaine Leflaive
 12vlbsl
 12 bottles per lot \$1400-1800

774 Puligny Montrachet - Vintage 2004
Les Pucelles, Domaine Leflaive
 2nl, owc
"A mildly reduced nose features honeysuckle and acacia blossom notes introduces sweet, rich and beautifully complex flavors of impressive purity and vibrancy with brilliant length. A terrific effort that has the hallmark softness of Pucelles while retaining a firm and tangy, indeed almost linear finish that displays more minerality than usual."(93pts BH)
 6 magnums per lot \$1800-2400

775 Chateaufeuf du Pape - Vintage 1989
Hommage a Jacques Perrin, Chateau de Beaucastel
 6vlbsl, 4lstl, 6scc, owc
"The most massive, biggest, concentrated, and structured of any of the Jacques Perrins, but it is still 5-10 years away from full maturity great intensity and is extraordinary to taste a potentially perfect wine."(100pts)
 6 magnums per lot \$7000-9500

776 Hermitage - Vintage 1982
La Chapelle, P. Jaboulet
 12lbsl, 12lstl, 1nl, 12sdc, 6scc
"It has put on weight yet retains its exotic, over-the-top Style... The glorious nose of Asian spices, roasted espresso, creamy cassis fruit, and hints of Peking duck lathered with hoisin sauce gives this wine, with its notes of prunes, plums, and cassis, an exotic yet compelling allure."(92pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$1500-2000

777 Brunello di Montalcino - Vintage 1990
Tenuta Greppo, Biondi Santi
 ocb
 12 bottles per lot \$1200-1500

VERTICAL THEORY

Amazing, mini instant collections or instant wine tasting parties as well as a few golden oldies courtesy of this East Coast collection. All wines removed from professional storage.

778 Chateau Cheval Blanc
St. Emilion
 - Vintage 1986 lbsl (1)
 - Vintage 1993 (1)
 - Vintage 1994 lbsl (1)
 - Vintage 1995 (1)
 - Vintage 1996 (1)
 - Vintage 1997 (1)
 - Vintage 1998 (1)
 Above 7 bottles per lot \$1200-1600

779 Chateau Haut Brion - Vintage 1949
Graves
vhs, lbsl, outstanding color and condition
"...revealed some of the textbook cigar, ashtray, tobacco-scented notes, as well as scents of roasted herbs and ripe fruit."(91pts)
 1 bottle per lot \$700-1000

780 Chateau Haut Brion
Graves
 - Vintage 1986 (1)
 - Vintage 1992 nl (1)
 - Vintage 1993 (1)
 - Vintage 1994 (1)
 - Vintage 1995 (1)
 - Vintage 1996 (1)
 - Vintage 1997 (1)
 - Vintage 1998 (1)
 Above 8 bottles per lot \$1200-1600

781 Chateau La Mission Haut Brion
Graves
 - Vintage 1975 sdc, cc (1)
 - Vintage 1982 bsl, tl, cuc (1)
 - Vintage 1983 ts (1)
 - Vintage 1984 bn (1)
 - Vintage 1986 nl (1)
 - Vintage 1987 (1)
 - Vintage 1988 vlbsl (1)
 - Vintage 1989 (1)
 - Vintage 1990 (1)
 - Vintage 1991 (1)
 - Vintage 1992 (1)
 - Vintage 1993 (1)
 - Vintage 1994 (1)
 - Vintage 1995 (1)
 - Vintage 1996 (1)
 - Vintage 1997 (1)
 Above 16 bottles per lot \$3000-4000

- 782 Chateau Lafite Rothschild**
Pauillac
- **Vintage 1993** (1)
- **Vintage 1994** (1)
- **Vintage 1995** (1)
- **Vintage 1996** (1)
- **Vintage 1997** *lbsl* (1)
Above 5 bottles per lot \$1400-1800
- 783 Chateau Latour - Vintage 1959**
Pauillac
vhs, hwisl, cuc, outstanding color and condition
"Fabulous nose, again like the 1982 not a flashy wine but still gorgeous aromas of coffee, vanilla, oak, cedar, port, toll house and a hint of anise...great cedar flavors on the palate with a hair of port-like concentration...an exquisite style and beautiful wine that ain't fading any time soon...after some time in the glass the wine became more classic and saucy than the 61...differentiating between these two bottles was like reviewing a photo-finish, and the 59 won this battle by a nose!..."(98+pts JK)
1 bottle per lot \$1200-1500
- 784 Chateau Latour**
Pauillac
- **Vintage 1986** (1)
- **Vintage 1988** (1)
- **Vintage 1989** (1)
- **Vintage 1990** *wasl, gsl* (1)
- **Vintage 1991** *wrl* (1)
- **Vintage 1992** (1)
- **Vintage 1993** (1)
- **Vintage 1994** *sdc* (1)
- **Vintage 1995** (1)
- **Vintage 1996** (1)
- **Vintage 1997** *lbsl* (1)
- **Vintage 1998** (1)
Above 12 bottles per lot \$2600-3200
- 785 Chateau Latour - Vintage 1990**
Pauillac
3lbsl
"This is one of my favorite wines ever. Full-bodied, with layers of silky fruit and masses of currant, mineral and berry character. Amazing. It is a wine with perfect structure, perfect strength. It is 1961 Latour in modern clothes. It is hard not to drink it now."(100pts WS)
3 bottles per lot \$1800-2200
- 786 Chateau Margaux - Vintage 1945**
Margaux
bsl, fl, cuc, sdc, outstanding color and condition
"A magnificent wine. Nothing fragile and feminine about this 45 a beautiful richness and intensity with Latour-like massiveness and tannin. Its fragrance, the hallmark of Margaux, being variously described as ripe mulberry, crystallised violets, cedar cigar box, creamy and always gloriout. On the palate its initial tannins ameliorating, now soft and velvety."
(5 stars MB)
1 bottle per lot \$1200-1500
- 787 Chateau Margaux**
Margaux
- **Vintage 1964** *bsl, lwasl, excellent color* (1)
- **Vintage 1966** *hs, lbsl, sdc, excellent color* (1)
- **Vintage 1976** *hs, bsl, tl, cc* (1)
- **Vintage 1978** *bsl, spc, cc* (1)
- **Vintage 1981** *vlbsl, sdc* (1)
- **Vintage 1982** *lbsl* (1)
- **Vintage 1983** (1)
- **Vintage 1985** (1)
- **Vintage 1986** (1)
- **Vintage 1988** *vlbsl, fl* (1)
- **Vintage 1989** (1)
- **Vintage 1990** *nl* (1)
- **Vintage 1992** *lbsl* (1)
- **Vintage 1993** (1)
- **Vintage 1994** (1)
- **Vintage 1995** (1)
- **Vintage 1996** (1)
- **Vintage 1997** *wisl* (1)
- **Vintage 1998** (1)
Above 19 bottles per lot \$4200-5500
- 788 Chateau Margaux - Vintage 1990**
Margaux
"Its ethereal bouquet of sweet black fruits, cedar, spices, flowers, smoke, and vanilla is remarkably well-formed and intense. In the mouth, there is not a hard edge to this classic wine, which is super-concentrated, soft, silky-textured, and opulent. It displays an opaque ruby/purple color, a compelling bouquet, and exquisite layers of flavors that cascade over the palate without any notion of toughness or coarseness."(100pts)
3 bottles per lot \$2000-2400

789	Chateau Mouton Rothschild <i>Pauillac</i>			Richebourg		
	- Vintage 1993 <i>Balthus label</i>	(1)		- Vintage 1986 <i>Domaine de la Romanee Conti</i>	(1)	
	- Vintage 1994	(1)		Romanee Conti		
	- Vintage 1995	(1)		- Vintage 1986 <i>Domaine de la Romanee Conti</i>	(1)	
	- Vintage 1996	(1)		<i>vlbsl</i>		
	- Vintage 1997	(1)		Romanee St. Vivant		
	Above 5 bottles		per lot \$700-950	- Vintage 1986 <i>Domaine de la Romanee Conti</i>	(1)	
				<i>scl</i>		
				Above 6 bottles		per lot \$5500-7500
790	Chateau d'Yquem - Vintage 1986 <i>Sauternes</i>			794	Hermitage <i>La Chapelle, P. Jaboulet</i>	
	<i>1 bottle different importer</i>			- Vintage 1976 <i>lbsl, wasl</i>	(1)	
	<i>"Enthralling bouquet of pineapples, saut ed hazelnuts, vanillin, and ripe apricots is breathtaking. Compellingly concentrated its breadth as well as depth of flavor seemingly know no limits."(98pts)</i>			- Vintage 1979 <i>vlbsl</i>	(1)	
	3 bottles		per lot \$750-1000	- Vintage 1983	(1)	
				- Vintage 1985 <i>scl, sdc</i>	(1)	
				- Vintage 1988 <i>sdc</i>	(1)	
791	Chateau d'Yquem <i>Sauternes</i>			- Vintage 1989 <i>vlbsl</i>	(1)	
	- Vintage 1988 <i>wisl</i>	(1)		- Vintage 1990 <i>nl, sdc</i>	(1)	
	- Vintage 1989 <i>lwisl</i>	(1)		- Vintage 1994 <i>lbsl</i>	(1)	
	- Vintage 1990 <i>lbsl</i>	(1)		- Vintage 1995	(1)	
	- Vintage 1991 <i>wisl</i>	(1)		- Vintage 1996 <i>scl</i>	(1)	
	- Vintage 1993 <i>hwisl</i>	(1)		- Vintage 1997	(1)	
	- Vintage 1994	(1)		- Vintage 1998	(1)	
	- Vintage 1995	(1)		- Vintage 1999	(1)	
	Above 7 bottles		per lot \$1150-1600	Above 13 bottles		per lot \$1350-1700
792	Corton			795	Caymus Cabernet Sauvignon <i>Special Selection</i>	
	- Vintage 1988 <i>Le Rognet, M. Ambroise</i>	(1)		- Vintage 1975 <i>bsl</i>	(1)	
	- Vintage 1990 <i>Le Rognet, B. Ambroise</i>	(1)		- Vintage 1976 <i>bsl, wl</i>	(1)	
	- Vintage 1991 <i>Le Rognet, B. Ambroise lbsl</i>	(1)		- Vintage 1978	(1)	
	- Vintage 1992 <i>Le Rognet, B. Ambroise</i>	(1)		- Vintage 1979	(1)	
	- Vintage 1993 <i>Le Rognet, B. Ambroise</i>	(1)		- Vintage 1980 <i>wl</i>	(1)	
	- Vintage 1994 <i>Le Rognet, B. Ambroise</i>	(1)		- Vintage 1981	(1)	
	- Vintage 1995 <i>Le Rognet, B. Ambroise lgsl</i>	(1)		- Vintage 1982	(1)	
	- Vintage 1996 <i>Le Rognet, B. Ambroise</i>	(1)		- Vintage 1983 <i>nl</i>	(1)	
	- Vintage 1997 <i>Le Rognet, B. Ambroise bsl</i>	(1)		- Vintage 1984	(1)	
	- Vintage 1998 <i>Le Rognet, B. Ambroise</i>	(1)		- Vintage 1985	(1)	
	- Vintage 1999 <i>Le Rognet, B. Ambroise</i>	(1)		- Vintage 1986	(1)	
	- Vintage 2000 <i>Le Rognet, B. Ambroise</i>	(1)		- Vintage 1987	(1)	
	- Vintage 2001 <i>Le Rognet, B. Ambroise</i>	(1)		- Vintage 1988	(1)	
	- Vintage 2002 <i>Le Rognet, B. Ambroise</i>	(1)		- Vintage 1989	(1)	
	Above 14 bottles		per lot \$700-950	- Vintage 1990	(1)	
				- Vintage 1991	(1)	
				- Vintage 1992	(1)	
793	Echezeaux			- Vintage 1994	(1)	
	- Vintage 1986 <i>Domaine de la Romanee Conti</i>	(1)		- Vintage 1995	(1)	
	Grands Echezeaux			- Vintage 1997	(1)	
	- Vintage 1986 <i>Domaine de la Romanee Conti</i>	(1)		Above 20 bottles		per lot \$2200-3000
	<i>lbsl</i>					
	La Tache					
	- Vintage 1986 <i>Domaine de la Romanee Conti</i>	(1)				

796 Chateau Montelena Cabernet Sauvignon
 - Vintage 1973 *ts* (1)
 - Vintage 1974 *vhs* (1)
 - Vintage 1975 *lblsl* (1)
 - Vintage 1976 *2ts, 3lblsl* (3)
 - Vintage 1977 *Napa Valley* (1)
 - Vintage 1977 *Sonoma Valley tl* (1)
 - Vintage 1978 (1)
 - Vintage 1979 *1tl* (2)
 Above 11 bottles per lot \$950-1250

797 Chateau Montelena Cabernet Sauvignon
 - Vintage 1980 *2lblsl, 2nl* (2)
 - Vintage 1981 (2)
 - Vintage 1982 (2)
 - Vintage 1983 *2lblsl* (2)
 - Vintage 1984 (2)
 - Vintage 1985 (2)
 - Vintage 1987 (2)
 - Vintage 1989 (2)
 Above 16 bottles per lot \$950-1300

798 Chateau Montelena Cabernet Sauvignon - Vintage 1987
"The black/purple color, the extraordinary bouquet of rich cassis, violets, and licorice, the massive extraction of flavors, sensational depth, super ripeness, and a length that must last over a minute, suggest to me that this is easily the most concentrated and potentially longest-lived Cabernet Sauvignon that Chateau Montelena has ever made. The extract level is incredible, yet the balance is there."(98pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$1400-1800

799 Chateau Montelena Cabernet Sauvignon
 - Vintage 1990 (1)
 - Vintage 1991 (1)
 - Vintage 1992 (2)
 - Vintage 1993 (2)
 - Vintage 1994 (2)
 - Vintage 1995 (2)
 - Vintage 1996 (2)
 Above 12 bottles per lot \$650-900

800 Joseph Phelps Winery
Insignia
 - Vintage 1984 (1)
 - Vintage 1985 (1)
 - Vintage 1986 (1)
 - Vintage 1987 (1)
 - Vintage 1988 (1)
 - Vintage 1989 (1)
 - Vintage 1990 (1)
 - Vintage 1991 (1)
 - Vintage 1992 (1)
 - Vintage 1993 (1)
 - Vintage 1994 (1)
 - Vintage 1995 (1)
 - Vintage 1996 (1)
 - Vintage 1997 (1)
 Above 14 bottles per lot \$1000-1350

801 Opus One
 - Vintage 1993 (1)
 - Vintage 1994 (1)
 - Vintage 1995 (1)
 - Vintage 1996 (1)
 - Vintage 1997 (1)
 Above 5 bottles per lot \$500-700

802 Peter Michael Red - Vintage 2005
Les Pavots
"...is a sensational wine, with a style that suggests a hypothetical blend of a great St.-Emilion and Pomerol. Chocolatey cassis notes intermixed with incense, licorice, and a hint of black olive are present in this wine. When it hits the palate, it comes across as very Pomerol-like, with lushness, full body, and opulence. The tannins are sweet, the pH high, and the wine gorgeously full, pure, dense, and long."(95pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$1200-1600

803 Matanzas Creek Merlot
 - Vintage 1985 (1)
 - Vintage 1986 (1)
 - Vintage 1987 (1)
 - Vintage 1990 (1)
 - Vintage 1991 (1)
 - Vintage 1992 (1)
 - Vintage 1993 (1)
 - Vintage 1994 (1)
 - Vintage 1995 (1)
 - Vintage 1996 (1)
 - Vintage 1997 (1)
 Above 11 bottles per lot \$300-420

804 Peter Michael Chardonnay - Vintage 2006
Belle Cote
"This is a large-scaled wine, but with flamboyant marmalade, white currant, honeysuckle, and tropical fruit notes, less minerality than La Carriere, but beautiful acidity and a stony, steely personality not dissimilar to a grand cru in Burgundy such as Corton-Charlemagne."(93pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$750-950

805 Peter Michael Chardonnay - Vintage 2006
Cuvee Indigene
"...displays toasty hazelnut notes intermixed with subtle toast, tropical fruit, gout du petrol, fleshy, forward, very ripe notes, and some smokiness, all suggesting a more evolved style, and one to drink over the next 3-4 years."(93pts)
 6 bottles per lot \$600-800

806 Peter Michael Chardonnay - Vintage 2006
La Carriere
"...displays wonderful honeyed grapefruit, crushed rock, and some spicy, yeasty notes along with nectarine and honeyed citrus. The wine is rich, full-bodied, with a striking minerality. It should drink nicely for 3 years maximum."(92pts)
 12 bottles per lot \$750-1050

807 Taylor Fladgate Vintage Port - Vintage 1994
"This classically made, opaque purple-colored wine is crammed with black fruits (blueberries and cassis). It reveals high tannin and a reserved style, but it is enormously constituted with massive body, a formidable mid-palate, and exceptional length."(97pts)
 5 bottles per lot \$400-550

CLOS ERASMUS AND VEGA SICILIA OF A RELOCATED EAST COAST GENTLEMAN

You can't always take it with you, and since this Spanish loving gentleman just moved to Mexico, he decided to auction off some of his most prized possessions. A great collection of Erasmus and Unico that will make any Spanish wine lover tingle with joy! All wines removed from professional storage.

808 Clos Erasmus - Vintage 1998
"The spectacular 1998 flirts with perfection. A saturated opaque blue/purple color is not dissimilar from ink. Dazzling aromas of ripe, pure blackberries, violets, blueberries, wet stones, and smoky, toasty oak soar from the glass. Powerful, with an unctuous texture, and super-extracted, rich, concentrated flavors..."(99pts)
 Above 3 bottles and 1 magnum per lot \$1050-1400

809 Clos Erasmus - Vintage 2001
owc
"...this 415-case blend of 78% Grenache, 17% Cabernet Sauvignon, and 5% Syrah aged in 100% new French oak casks, reveals an inky/purple color as well as a tight but promising bouquet of acacia flowers, raspberries, blackberries, and hints of blueberries, smoke, and the essence of minerality. With extraordinary richness, good underlying acidity, firm tannin, and a multilayered mouthfeel, this spectacularly concentrated 2001 is only hinting at its ultimate potential."(98pts)
 Above 8 bottles and 1 magnum per lot \$1000-1400

810 Clos Erasmus
 - Vintage 2003 (1)
 - Vintage 2004 (2)
 - Vintage 2005 (1)
 Above 4 bottles per lot \$750-950

811 Vega Sicilia Unico
 - Vintage 1970 *lwl* (2)
 - Vintage 1986 (2)
 - Vintage 1991 (2)
 - Vintage 1994 (2)
 Above 8 bottles per lot \$2000-2600



PARCEL LOTS 812-817

- 812 Vega Sicilia Unico - Vintage 1970**
lbl
“...exceptional perfume and seductive, textured, voluptuous, and sexy style. The color is a healthy dark ruby. The nose offers up smashingly intense aromas of lavishly-oaked, but gorgeously pure black-cherries and currants. The wine is full-bodied, and nearly sweet tasting because of the fruit’s exceptional ripeness. Expansive and deep, with the wood, tannin, and acidity nearly masked by the sheer quantity of fruit, the 1970 Vega Sicilia Unico is a velvety-textured, seamless, rich, profound wine that is more approachable than the 1968, yet, along with that legendary wine, remarkably fresh and youthful. It is astonishing that a twenty-five year old wine could look, smell, and taste so young, yet also be so complex. No one knows how Vega Sicilia achieves such brilliance, but the proof is in the bottle.”(96pts)
1 magnum per lot \$1000-1300
- 813** 1 magnum per lot \$1000-1300
- 814** 1 magnum per lot \$1000-1300
- 815** 1 magnum per lot \$1000-1300
- 816** 1 magnum per lot \$1000-1300
- 817 Vega Sicilia Unico - Vintage 1986**
lts, 2vhs, 6lbls
“Muscular but not overbearing, this big Spanish red marries ripe fruit and plenty of oak, with a nice mix of plum, chocolate, licorice and spice flavors backed by firm, well-integrated tannins. Harmonious and long on the finish, it’s stylish yet with traditional character.”(95pts WS)
6 bottles per lot \$1100-1400

PARCEL LOTS 818-821

- 818 Vega Sicilia Unico - Vintage 1994**
“A truly prodigious effort, it boasts an opaque ruby/purple color as well as a gorgeously sweet, expansive bouquet of sweet cherries interwoven with black currant, truffle, licorice, and scorched earth aromas. Full-bodied, potent, powerful, and well-delineated with crisp acidity, sweet but noticeable tannin, a multidimensional, expansive, layered palate feel, and a pure yet refreshing finish, it should be a wine for the history books.”(98pts)
12 bottles per lot \$3200-4200
- 819** 12 bottles per lot \$3200-4200
- 820** 12 bottles per lot \$3200-4200
- 821** 12 bottles per lot \$3200-4200

- 822 Vega Sicilia Unico - Vintage 1994**
2x1 mag ovc’s
“A truly prodigious effort, it boasts an opaque ruby/purple color as well as a gorgeously sweet, expansive bouquet of sweet cherries interwoven with black currant, truffle, licorice, and scorched earth aromas. Full-bodied, potent, powerful, and well-delineated with crisp acidity, sweet but noticeable tannin, a multidimensional, expansive, layered palate feel, and a pure yet refreshing finish, it should be a wine for the history books.”(98pts)
2 magnums per lot \$1400-1800

PARCEL LOTS 823-824

- 823 Vega Sicilia Unico - Vintage 1996**
banded ovc
“The 1996 Unico seems more developed aromatically than the 1995 with elements of coffee and mocha but not quite the richness of fruit of the 1995. It is more supple on the palate but with less depth. It can be enjoyed now and over the next 20 years.”(95pts)
12 bottles per lot \$1800-2400
- 824** 12 bottles per lot \$1800-2400
banded ovc
- 825 Harlan Estate Red - Vintage 2004**
ovc
“...probably the most precocious and accessible Harlan Estate that this perfectionist team has made. Already compelling...they can do no wrong at Harlan...”(98pts)
3 bottles per lot \$1000-1400
- 826 Harlan Estate Red - Vintage 2005**
ovc
“...performed slightly better than it did last year. As these wines often do, it continues to put on weight as it is bottled very late by Napa standards, and there is no fining or filtration. The 2005 exhibits a gorgeous thick-looking, ruby/purple color in addition to a beautiful nose of burning embers interwoven with creme de cassis, roasted meats, sweet black truffles, and spring flowers.”(97pts)
3 bottles per lot \$1200-1500
- 827 Shafer Cabernet Sauvignon - Vintage 2001**
Sunspot Vineyard
“A rich and seductive style, with smooth, buttery, toasty oak paving the way for a ripe, plush, generous serving of chocolate-covered currant and cherry fruit. Elegant and stylish, it glides along on the finish...”(93pts WS)
3 magnums per lot \$1050-1350

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SELECTION OF TOP 2005s AND 2006s
COURTESY OF A MIDWESTERN MAN**

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- 828 Bonnes Mares - Vintage 2002**
G. Roumier
"A beautiful red, dense and broad, with concentrated black cherry, plum and mineral flavors. Shows an old-vine richness and is backed by a firm structure, with ripe, fine-grained tannins. Fine length. 500 cases made." (97pts WS)
6 bottles per lot \$2800-3500
- 829 Bonnes Mares - Vintage 2005**
Comte de Vogue
"An even riper but not surmature nose that is less elegant and aromatically complex, at least at present, features brooding aromas of black and blue berry plus black cherry and violets nuanced by hints of spice and warm earth merge into big, powerful and well-muscled flavors underpinned by impressive mid-palate concentration and dense but fine tannins, all wrapped in a dazzling long finish that is perfectly balanced. This will clearly require time to unfold but the raw material is indisputably here and like the Musigny, this is built for the very long haul." (95pts BH)
12 bottles per lot \$4500-6000
- 830 Bonnes Mares - Vintage 2005**
R. Groffier
3lsl
"I was frankly shocked to find that the aromatic profile here was even more elegant and arguably finer than that of the Amoureuuses with its bright red and blue pinot fruit, minerals and spice notes, particularly anise that complement to perfection the sleek, taut, brooding and focused flavors that explode on the hugely long and deep finish. This is an impressive wine that has that 'wow' factor." (94pts BH)
12 bottles per lot \$1800-2400
- 831 Chambertin - Vintage 2005**
Clos de Beze, Drouhin-Laroze (3)
Clos de Beze, Faiveley (3)
Above 6 bottles per lot \$1050-1400
- 832 Chambertin - Vintage 2005**
Cuvee Heritiers Latour, L. Latour
owc
"A clear step up in aromatic complexity with a wonderful range of spice nuances, including anise, clove and cinnamon plus ripe dark and gamy fruit aromas where the sense of the sauvage continues onto the rich, full and sweet flavors that possess outstanding volume and power. This is a bruiser of a Chambertin but it's not rustic and I particularly like the mouth coating sappiness on the impressively long finish." (93pts BH)
12 bottles per lot \$1200-1500
- 833 Chambolle Musigny - Vintage 2005**
Les Amoureuuses, R. Groffier
"As it almost always is, this is wonderfully elegant with an airy mix of highly spiced and seductive black fruit aromas of impressive depth that continues on the rich, supple, sweet and mouth coating flavors blessed with ample dry extract that buffers the firm but buried tannins on the long finish. This too is serious but sophisticated and the inherent class is evident." (93pts BH)
6 bottles per lot \$750-1000
- 834 Chambolle Musigny - Vintage 2005**
Les Charmes, Perrot-Minot (2)
Les Fuees, Vieilles Vignes, Perrot-Minot (2)
Clos Vougeot
- Vintage 2005 Perrot-Minot (2)
Vosne Romanee
- Vintage 2005 Beaux Monts VV, Perrot-Minot (2)
Above 8 bottles per lot \$850-1150
- 835 Charmes Chambertin - Vintage 2005**
Dujac
1 bottle different importer
"An elegantly airy and densely fruited nose of red and blue berries, earth, game and subtle smoke and spice hints give way to sweet and rich flavors that offer good size and a real sense of volume in the mouth. This is a wine of finesse rather than power and I like the textured feel of the flavors and finish as there is a stylish generosity here." (91-3pts BH)
6 bottles per lot \$1800-2400
- 836 Charmes Chambertin - Vintage 2006**
Dujac
"This is shut down tight with thick reduction blocking any reasonable evaluation of the nose though the relatively big and weighty flavors are concentrated, serious and solidly structured. This seems quite promising as the underlying material is impressive but note that this will not be a precocious example of Charmes." (90-3pts BH)
6 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 837 Charmes Chambertin - Vintage 2005**
Cuvee de Tres Vieilles Vignes, J. Roty
Ivbw
"From vines said to have been planted in the 1880s, the Roty 2005 Charmes-Chambertin Tres Vieilles Vignes announces its distinction a foot away from the glass, with uncanny intensity and clarity of black fruit essences, along with ineffable mineral and animal suggestions. Tactile cinnamon spiciness, bitter-sweet herbs, and black cherry and black raspberry concentrate (fresh, yet with liqueur-like intensity, sweetness and viscosity) saturate the palate, and a dark and rising tide of mineral and carnal flavors meets the fruit and spice in a thunderous finish. There is mystery aplenty here, with the sex appeal well beneath the surface." (97-98pts)
12 bottles per lot \$4800-6000

- 838 Clos de la Roche - Vintage 2005**
G. Lignier
1lwl
6 bottles per lot \$1500-2000
- 839 Clos de la Roche - Vintage 2002**
Vieilles Vignes, Ponsot
"There is even more aromatic complexity with similar and brilliant red and black fruit notes though not the spice with superbly sappy, concentrated and very pure flavors that display flat out incredible length and impeccable balance. This will join the ranks of some of the best vintages of Ponsot's Clos de la Roche, which is saying something. It is however built for the very patient."(93pts BH)
6 half-bottles per lot \$600-800
- 840 Clos de la Roche - Vintage 2005**
Vieilles Vignes, Ponsot
1lbsl, owc
"...given how many reference standard vintages Domaine Ponsot has produced of the Clos de la Roche over the years, it would be presumptuous to anoint this as the best ever but if it isn't, it will certainly take its rightful place among the very greatest. In sum, a 'wow' wine that makes you shake your head in sheer amazement."(99pts BH)
12 bottles per lot \$8000-12000
- 841 Clos Vougeot - Vintage 2003**
Leroy
"The 2003 Clos Vougeot comes forth with unreal aromas of mocha-laced black cherries, chocolate-drenched plums, and candied blackberries. Full-bodied, immensely concentrated, and deep, this broad, bulky, powerful wine is jam-packed with black chocolate, red as well as black cherries, licorice and tar. Loads of solid yet ripe tannin provide this dense blockbuster with ample structure, detectable in its interminable finish. It will require cellaring to civilize its weighty, graceless nature."(97pts)
6 bottles per lot \$1800-2400
- 842 Clos Vougeot - Vintage 2005**
Chateau de la Tour (6)
J. Drouhin (6)
J. Grivot 1 bottle different importer (4)
Above 16 bottles per lot \$1500-2000
- 843 Clos Vougeot - Vintage 2005**
Musigni, Gros Frere et Soeur
"Fragrant and supple, this fleshy red evokes floral, vegetal, sweet berry and spice aromas and flavors. It's seductive, layered and backed by lively acidity and solid tannins. More approachable than its peers, but needs time."
(94pts WS)
6 bottles per lot \$600-800
- 844 Corton - Vintage 2005**
Clos des Cortons, Faiveley
owc
"Allow me to cut through everything else and bluntly state that the '05 Clos des Corton Faiveley is quite simply the best young example of this wine that I have ever had the privilege of evaluating. A richly and densely fruited nose that is at once earthy and quite animale along with breathtaking complexity complements to perfection the big, rich and sleekly muscled flavors that are very firmly structured but again, not at all aggressive and the sheer depth of material on the palate-drenching finish is nothing short of phenomenal."(94-96pts BH)
12 half-bottles per lot \$600-800
- 845 Corton - Vintage 2005**
Clos des Cortons, Faiveley
owc
12 bottles per lot \$1200-1500
- PARCEL LOTS 846-847**
- 846 Corton - Vintage 2005**
Clos des Cortons, Faiveley
owc
6 magnums per lot \$1400-1800
- 847 6 magnums**
owc per lot \$1400-1800
- 848 Corton - Vintage 2005**
Bressandes, Pousse d'Or (6)
Clos du Roi, Pousse d'Or (6)
Above 12 bottles per lot \$700-1000
- 849 Corton**
Le Rognet, Meo Camuzet
- Vintage 1999 3lbsl, 1lwasl (3)
- Vintage 2002 1nl, 1tl (4)
Above 7 bottles per lot \$600-800
- 850 Corton - Vintage 2005**
Renardes, Liger-Belair
"As typical examples of Renardes always are, this is intensely animale on the nose and though there is mild reduction, it's obvious that the fruit is ripe and dense. The bigger and more obviously structured flavors pack real punch on the wonderfully rich, full and driving finish and there is even better depth here. Impressive."(90-3pts BH)
6 bottles per lot \$600-800

- 851 Echezeaux - Vintage 2006**
Dujac
"Very fresh, pure, spicy and ripe nose features a mix of red and black earth-infused aromas that introduce textured, sweet and layered full-bodied flavors that possess a taut muscularity and perfect balance. While the Dujac Ech is almost always relatively sophisticated for what can be a sometimes rustic grand cru, this is even more refined than usual. This is very promising though note that patience will be required." (92pts BH)
 6 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 852 Gevrey Chambertin - Vintage 2005**
Les Champs-Chenys, J. Roty
3sdc
 12 bottles per lot \$500-700
- 853 La Romanee - Vintage 2003**
Bouchard, Pere et Fils
"Full red-ruby. Superripe but sappy aromas of black raspberry, minerals and white and black pepper. Wonderfully concentrated and vibrant, with great sweetness buffered by mineral lift. Exotic notes of pineapple and ginger add complexity. Finishes with compelling sap and length." (95pts IWC)
 6 bottles per lot \$1700-2400
- 854 La Romanee - Vintage 2003**
Liger-Belair
3lscl
"Grilled oak, spices, and sweet red fruits are found in the aromatics of the 2003 La Roman e. Full-bodied, fresh and rich, this intense wine exhibits exceptional depth of fruit, concentration, and purity. Loads of candied black cherries dominate its juicy, extroverted personality and copious solid (yet ripe) tannin make an appearance in its exceedingly long finish. This offering, a beautiful marriage of power and elegance..." (97pts)
 5 bottles per lot \$2400-3200
- 855 Richebourg - Vintage 2005**
Gros Frere et Soeur
"A potent but very reserved, indeed almost backward mix of wood spice, Vosne spice, earth, smoke, animale and gorgeous black berry fruit aromas blend into rich, full and wonderfully deep flavors that are supple and not as concentrated as those of the GE but there is no lack of mid-palate fat to buffer the somewhat austere and firmly structured finish." (94pts BH)
 6 bottles per lot \$1000-1400
- 856 Volnay - Vintage 2005**
Clos des 60 Ouvries, Pousse d'Or
"Compared to the expressiveness of the prior wines, here the nose is reserved to the point of being discreet, revealing only glimpses of even more complex spicy blue berry and violet suffused fruit that introduces big, rich and quite ripe flavors underpinned by excellent mid-palate concentration and a firm if subtle mineral backbone that runs the full length of the magnificently long finish. This is flat out terrific." (92-4pts BH)
 6 bottles per lot \$450-600
- 857 Volnay - Vintage 2005**
En Caillerets, Pousse d'Or
different importers
"A ripe black raspberry, cassis and floral nose, particularly violets, introduces rich, fresh and sweet flavors that possess utterly beguiling texture on the precise, pure, linear and dusty finish. I very much like the transparency and sense of overall harmony of expression here." (91pts BH)
 12 bottles per lot \$1200-1600
- 858 Chevalier Montrachet - Vintage 1999**
Colin-Deleger
Ivlscl
"Razor sharp white flower fruit and citrus aromas followed by taut, racy, beautifully defined flavors oozing minerality that positively Gilt in their discreet muscularity. Every bit the classy thoroughbred in style, perfectly proportioned and seamless with a finish that is not only prodigiously long but breathtakingly intense. In particular, the acid/fruit balance displayed here is nothing short of brilliant. Simply stunning purity and one of the finest wines of the vintage." (96pts BH)
 6 bottles per lot \$500-700
- 859 Chevalier Montrachet - Vintage 2004**
Domaine Leflaive
"...supremely elegant white flower and subtle spice aromas peek through the moderate reduction yet the piercingly mineral flavors display a beguiling sweetness on the crystalline and incredibly precise finish that seems to have no end. This will be a great wine in time as it's clear that there is another dimension here compared to all of the previous wines." (95pts BH)
 8 bottles per lot \$2000-2600
- 860 Chevalier Montrachet - Vintage 2004**
M. Niellon
"A superlatively sophisticated, unbelievably complex and high-toned nose of white flower, spiced pear, limestone, lemon zest and lavender aromas continues onto the almost painfully intense, detailed and pure medium full flavors that culminate in an understated but cuts-like-a-knife finish that goes on and on. This doesn't have the power of the B tard but for sheer class and grace, this is hard to beat. Don't miss it." (95pts BH)
 12 bottles per lot \$3000-4000
- 861 Chevalier Montrachet - Vintage 2005**
M. Niellon
"A very deft touch of wood frames the understated and backward nose of white flower and pear aromas that lead to mineral-infused and stunningly intense and precise medium full flavors that culminate in a hugely long yet focused and explosive finish. As one would expect, this scintillates with minerality and this liquid stone quality defines the character of this wine from start to finish. In a word, harmonious. Note that patience will be required." (94pts BH)
 6 bottles per lot \$2200-2600

- 862 Chevalier Montrachet - Vintage 2004**
La Cabotte, Bouchard, Pere et Fils
 "Complex, surprisingly expressive aromas of peach, creme brulee, hazelnut and minerals. The wine's compelling sweetness is buffered by its strong acidity and penetrating stony character. Wonderfully intense. Aristocratic, explosive finishing flavors of liquid stone and menthol show great aromatic lift and sappiness." (94+?pts IWC)
 3 bottles per lot \$550-700
- 863 Chevalier Montrachet - Vintage 2005**
Les Demoiselles, L. Latour
 "The barest trace of wood highlights the ripe and surprisingly exotic aromas that are airy and elegant as well as beautifully complex and this complexity also characterizes the intensely mineral-suffused flavors that are both powerful and explosive on the strikingly long finish where a bit of toast resurfaces. This is a big Chevy by the standards of the appellation and in 2005, trades some of its hallmark elegance for more muscle." (93pts BH)
 12 bottles per lot \$2000-3000
- 864 Corton Charlemagne - Vintage 2004**
Bouchard, Pere et Fils
 "Green apple, white pear and hint of crushed herb are framed by gentle notes of pain grill that combine with huge and unbelievably intense flavors blessed with phenomenal power and length. This has that "wow" factor as the flavors are both palate staining and almost painfully intense and the finale is like a block of stone." (93-5pts BH)
 12 bottles per lot \$800-1050
- 865 Meursault - Vintage 2004**
Charmes, Comte Lafon
 "A striking nose of elegance, refinement and subtle honey notes add nuance to the peach and floral aromas that introduce rich, round and sweet flavors blessed with superb focus and much more minerality than is typical for this cru." (92pts BH)
 6 bottles per lot \$1000-1300
- 866 Meursault - Vintage 2005**
Les Luchets, Domaine Roulot (6)
Les Tessons, Mon Plaisir, Domaine Roulot (6)
Les Vireuils, Domaine Roulot (6)
Meix Chavaux, Domaine Roulot (6)
 Above 24 bottles per lot \$1600-2000
- 867 Meursault - Vintage 2004**
Perrieres, Comte Lafon
 "Knockout nose combines peach, crushed stone and oatmeal. A step up in sweetness and opulence from the foregoing samples: fat, silky and thick yet conveying an impression of weightlessness..." (93-95pts IWC)
 6 bottles per lot \$900-1200

- 868 Meursault - Vintage 2004**
Perrieres, Domaine Roulot
 "As it almost always is, this is the class of the cellar with more discreet wood framing a reserved but ultra elegant white flower and pungent limestone nose that merges seamlessly into fine, precise and intensely stony flavors that finish bone dry and with a vaguely saline quality. This is built to age and should provide at least 7 to 10 years of upside development." (93pts BH)
 6 bottles per lot \$900-1200
- 869 Meursault - Vintage 2005**
Perrieres, A. Grivault
Ivlstl, 3sdc
 12 bottles per lot \$600-800
- 870 Meursault - Vintage 2005**
Sous le dos d'Ane, Domaine Leflaive
 6 bottles per lot \$450-600
- 871 Cote Rotie - Vintage 2003**
La Landonne, E. Guigal
 "Dense purple to the rim with a nose of graphite, creosote, earth, olives, and black, black, black fruits, the primordial, full-bodied, monumental 2003 C te-R tie La Landonne is amazing stuff. I suspect this is more akin to a dry vintage port than most C te-R ties ever tend to be, but the purity, the richness, the texture, the length are all out of this world." (100pts)
 3 bottles per lot \$1400-1800
- 872 Cote Rotie - Vintage 2003**
La Mouline, E. Guigal
 "The 2003 C te-R tie La Mouline is by far the most delicate and elegant wine but the enormous aromatics of spring flowers intermixed with cr me de cassis, black raspberry, mocha, caramel, and cola, and enormous full-bodied opulence and striking velvety, seamless texture make for one of the most memorable wines anyone could every drink." (100pts)
 3 bottles per lot \$1400-1800
- 873 Cote Rotie - Vintage 2003**
La Turque, E. Guigal
 "A pure aromatic smorgasbord is offered by the 2003 C te-R tie La Turque, which has an amazing aromatic profile of espresso coffee interwoven with scorched earth, tar, truffle, incense, blackberry, bacon fat, and flowers. Powerful, thick flavors ooze across the palate with a viscous texture, amazing purity, and just enough acidity and tannin to give uplift and precision to this remarkable tour de force in winemaking." (100pts)
 3 bottles per lot \$1400-1800

- 874 Chardonnay Trockenbeerenauslese
 - Vintage 2001 #7, Kracher half-bottle (2)
- Muskat Ottonel Trockenbeerenauslese
 - Vintage 2001 #2, Kracher half-bottle (3)
- Scheurebe Trockenbeerenauslese - Vintage 2001
 #4, Kracher half-bottle (2)
 #9, Kracher half-bottle (2)
- Traminer Trockenbeerenauslese
 - Vintage 2001 #1, Kracher half-bottle (3)
- Trockenbeerenauslese
 - Vintage 2001 #6, Grande Cuvee, Kracher
 half-bottle (2)
- Welschriesling Trockenbeerenauslese - Vintage 2001
 #5, Kracher half-bottle (2)
 #8, Kracher half-bottle (2)
- Chardonnay Trocken
 - Vintage 2001 #3, Kracher half-bottle(3)
 Above 21 half-bottles per lot \$800-1000
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