2020 Niepoort Rotulo Branco Dao, Portugal



Niepoort is an independent family business since 1842. Through five generations, the business passed successfully from one Niepoort to the next Niepoort and in most cases older and younger generation worked side by side for a long period. At this time, we are enthusiastically looking forward to the future sixth generation, anticipating close collaboration.

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GRAPE VARIETIES: Encruzado, Borrado das Moscas, Rabo de Ovelha and Cercial. Rótulo Branco 2020 presents crisp aromas: white blossoms mingle with notes reminiscent of the wine's terroir. The palate offers good body, a silky texture and a citrusy acidity providing a good backbone. Fruity notes and hints of

fresh herbs accompany its long finish. This is a wine which offers great drinking pleasure for many different occasions!

Thieves' price: \$10.99

2021 Umani Ronchi Montepulciano D'Abruzzo, Italy



Umani Ronchi got its start more than 60 years ago in Cupramontana, in the heart of the Verdicchio Classico production zone, only to expand to numerous other areas along the Adriatic coast. Montepulciano is one of the most widespread indigenous varieties in Italy, and is cultivated predominently along the Adriatic side of the peninsula. The Umani Ronchi version of Montepulciano d'Abruzzo is intended to be an interpretation of this vine which aims to exalt its varietal characteristics and its freshness, combining these qualities with just the right amount of charm and softness. The result is a very pleasant and drinkable wine which goes with many different kinds of dishes. Delicate aromas of plum and morello cherry lead to a robust and full

-bodied wine, slightly tannin-rich with a dry and flavorful finish. Pair with pasta with meat sauces, roast white and red meat, chicken and mixed grills.

Thieves' price: \$11.99

2019 Miner Family Winery Viognier Paso Robles, California



Miner is a dynamic family-owned winery tucked along the eastern hills of the Oakville appellation in the heart of Napa Valley. Founded in 1998 by Dave and Emily Miner, Miner Family Winery crafts reserve-style wines by sourcing fruit from Napa Valley and other specially selected California vineyards. This Viognier comes from the Steinbeck Vineyard in Paso Robles. Aromatically complex with citrus and honeysuckle notes on the nose and a plush feel on the palate, our Viognier consistently displays a fine balance of neutral acidity and intense concentration. This quintessential food wine was whole cluster pressed and stainless steel fermented to allow

the vibrant, tropical and stone fruit characteristics of this varietal to shine. The richness of the wine pairs well with richer proteins - think roast chicken, turkey or poached salmon.

Thieves' price: \$16.99

2019 Ayles "Senda de Lenadores" Red Wine Vino de Pago, Spain



Pago Aylés was founded by Federico Ramón, who in 2003 began his dream of classifying this unique land as the first Vino de Pago in the Aragon region. Aylés became the 10th Vino de Pago in Spain. Today his three children continue to produce special wines from this special land. The vineyard site has a long history of winemaking, dating back to the 12th century by Spanish monks. Influenced by the River Huerva and the Monte San Pablo mountain, the soil is a mixture of clay, limestone and chalk - ideal for making high-quality wine. Caves, ravines and old river beds can be found all over the estate, which is brimming with wildlife. GRAPES: Garnacha 55%, Tempranillo 30%, Merlot 10%, Cabernet

Sauvignon 5%. Very expressive on the nose, with wide range of aromas; red fruits, pepper, cardamom, cocoa, with earthy and minerally hints. In the mouth is powerfull and elegant with full body. Nice acidity, resulting in a very fresh wine, rounded and well balanced. Persistent with long finish.

Thieves' price: \$18.99

2016 Artimino 1596 "Grumarello" Carmignano Riserva DOCG



In Carmignano wine has an ancient history. Carmignano Docg is one of the least known of the great Tuscan red wines. Yet it has an ancient history that few denominations in the world can boast, with fascinating anecdotes. There are many famous people who have praised it over the centuries. In the panorama of great Tuscan denominations, Carmignano is today a wine waiting to be discovered. However, in the past it enjoyed periods of great acclaim and was highly praised by nobles, scholars and illustrious personalities. A blend of predominantly Sangiovese, with Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot and Syrah. Vivid ruby red color with garnet hints due to the maturation process. Intense, harmonic, sophisti-

cated, it has a wide and complex range of aromas: red berry fruits, blackberry, tobacco, leather, cloves. Perfectly harmonic, full bodied and persistent flavor, with an appropriate range of acidity. This red wine should be combined with red meat and game. We recommend uncorking the bottle and decanting it at least one hour before enjoying.

Thieves' price: \$32.99

2019 Penfold's Bin 600 Cabernet Shiraz California



Since 1844, Penfold's has been grounded in experimentation, curiosity and uncompromised quality. Our success has been driven by a lineage of visionary winemakers. It began with Dr Christopher and Mary Penfold, the pioneers who dreamed big, inventing tonics, brandies, and fortified wines made from grapes and Australian sunshine. It continued with Alf Vesey, Ray Beckwith and Max Schubert, celebrated winemaking legends who pushed our development to extraordinary, bold new heights. It is this pioneering spirit and curiosity that still rings true after nearly two centuries. Penfolds Californian range is an endeavor more than twenty years in the making, when Penfolds winemakers first imported heritage vine cut-

tings from esteemed South Australian vineyards to California soil. 83% Cabernet Sauvignon from the Napa Valley and 17% Shiraz from Paso Robles, this imaginative blend is structured and meaty, showing notes of cigar box, toasted oak and wild game. Red fruit-dominant, it unfurls layers of cassis and red cherry with ease, finishing in creamy mocha.

Thieves' price: \$36.99