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# Festive Drinks Guide

The perfect wines to enjoy this Christmas



## Campo Flores Blanco Organico £7.99

A vibrant blend of Sauvignon Blanc and Verdejo with intense pear, peach, and citrus flavours.

## Campo Flores Tinto Organico £7.99

A supple, ripe Tempranillo with strawberry and blackcurrant fruit and a spicy finish.

## Felicette Grenache Blanc, Pays d'Oc £8.99

A wonderfully fresh palate of mango and a hint of spice leading to a crisp lime zest finish.

## Felicette Grenache Rouge, Pays d'Oc £8.99

Juicy soft Grenache with red fruit and a smooth spicy finish. A real crowd pleaser!

## Le Ballon Chardonnay, Pays d'Oc £10.99 £9.99

A beautifully balanced Chardonnay with fresh citrus and melon notes.

## Le Ballon Cabernet Sauvignon £10.99 £9.99

Easy drinking Cabernet Sauvignon with notes of cassis and cherry.

## Les Oliviers Sauvignon Blanc Vermentino £7.99

Zesty Sauvignon with weighty texture from the Vermentino.

## Les Oliviers Merlot, Pays d'Oc £7.99

Soft Merlot red fruit underpinned by spicy notes from the Mourvèdre.

## Festive Fizz

In addition to a competitive selection of Grande Marque Champagnes from Taittinger, Bollinger and Louis Roederer we have chosen to highlight two of this year's most popular choices. Both are from small, independent growers and offer terrific value for money.



### Champagne Gallimard Cuvée Réserve

Made from 100% Pinot Noir from the village of Les Riceys. This is a well rounded Champagne with a creamy fizz and rich biscuity finish.



### Michel Gonet Mesnil Grand Cru 2012

This Grand Cru Champagne is from the village of Mesnil on the Côtes de Blancs and made from predominantly Chardonnay. It's aged for 5 years on the lees before disgorgement and is wonderfully complex with a fine balance between richness and vigour. This is one of our finds of the year!

## Homegrown Fizz from Langham Wine, Dorset

### Corallian Classic Cuvée £29.99

A blend of mostly Chardonnay supported by Pinot Noir and Pinot Meunier. Gala apple and pear notes are backed up with toasted brioche and butter.

### Brut Rosé £29.99

This fruit driven Rose is made from mostly Pinot Noir and is reminiscent of English Summers with aromas of cherries, strawberries and cream.

### Vintage Blanc de Blancs, 2017 £39.99

This wine has aromas of honeysuckle, lemon drizzle cake and apple crumble. A lovely citrus acidity and rich autolytic character provide a well balanced finish.



## French Favorites



### Patrick Vauby Touraine Sauvignon £12.99 £10.99

This lovely fresh Sauvignon has gorgeous gooseberry and lime fruit and a zingy finish.



### Château Jonquel Côtes de Bourg £11.99 £9.99

Beautiful aromatic Expression on the nose with red fruits, plum and a well rounded finish.



### les Bonnets Blancs Muscadet sur lie £12.99

Lovely apple, pear and white flower notes underpinned by a refreshing acidity.



### Stéphane Montré Syrah, Rhône £15.99

Classic smoky peppery notes on the nose with lush, red fruit on the palate. Robust yet balanced.



### Hors Pistes Chardonnay, Limoux £15.99

A rich chardonnay with notes of butterscotch and toffee apple lingering on the long and textural finish.



### Hors Pistes Pinot Noir, Pays d'Oc £15.99

This new Pinot Noir has ripe raspberry and red berry fruit and is balanced by silky tannins.

## Domaine Gueguen



### Petit Chablis £15.99

Mineral & fresh with notes of green apple & citrus.

### Chablis Cuvée 1975 £20.00 £18.99

The old vines for this Cuvée produce a Chablis with depth and a fine mineral finish.

### Crémant de Bourgogne £18.99

Made from 100% Pinot Noir, this wine is fine and elegant on the plate with delicate floral and rich biscuity notes.

### Irancy £18.99

This elegant Pinot Noir has a delightful red fruit character with floral notes.

# France



**Domaine Gueguen Bourgogne Blanc £13.99**

This single vineyard chardonnay is very elegant and precise with citrus notes and a mineral backbone.



**Jean-Luc Colombo Picpoul de Pinet £9.99**

Eminently drinkable with citrus and floral notes, pair with some indulgent oysters.



**Chateau de la Terrière Bourgogne £14.99 £13.99**

Pinot Noir with ripe morello cherry and black stone fruits on the nose with a hint of spice. A rich mouthfeel with silky tannins make this a great value Burgundy.



**Domaine de Bachellery Merlot £10.99 £9.99**

A soft juicy red packed with blackberry & spice. A great value everyday red guaranteed to keep the crowds happy!



**Clos Bagatelle Saint Chinian £12.99 £10.99**

A Cru Languedoc with plenty of dark brambly fruit and dash of garrigue. A perfect winter warmer!

## Fine Wine Parcel



**Chateau Gaudin Pauillac, 2016 £28 Magnums £56**

This is a powerful, structured Pauillac with ripe cassis and plum fruit, notes of tobacco and graphite, and the classic amalgam of weight and finesse.

**Charmes de Kirwan Margaux, 2018 £34**

This is beautifully silky Margaux. Rich and well-balanced with fresh cassis and cherry fruit that rolls over the palate in a powerful wave.

**Domaine Ferret Pouilly Fuisse, 2018 £28**

Layers of subtle fruit notes combine stone fruits, acacia flowers and spiced hazelnut butter. The finish is long, intense and spicy.

# Italy



**Palazzo del Mare Bianco £7.99**

This Catarratto balances ripe tropical fruit with a refreshing citrus acidity on the finish.

**Palazzo del Mare Rosso £7.99**

This best selling Nero d'Avola delivers ripe plummy fruits, with hints of liquorice and spice.



**Cantina Terlan Pinot Bianco £18.99 £16.99**

Notes of pear and quince combined with a salty minerality and a long finish.

**Cantina Terlan Pinot Noir £24.00 £22.00**

A delightful balance between ripe fruit and a delicate tannin structure which produces an elegant mineral red.



**Roberto Sarotto Gavi di Gavi £13.99**

Medium-bodied and silky with plenty of juicy peach and pear fruit alongside stony minerality.



**Roberto Sarotto Langhe Nebbiolo £15.99 £13.99**

Delightful cherry and plum fruit with characteristic floral notes. This is great value for a Nebbiolo from Piedmonte!



**Linica Primitivo di Manduria £14.99 £12.99**

Dark rich brambly fruit with warming spice on the finish. The perfect full bodied red for hearty casseroles and rich game dishes.

**Panizzi Vernaccia di San Gimignano £16.99**

This organic Tuscan white is dry, crisp and mineral with apple, pear and white peach fruit notes.

# Spain



**Viña Real Rioja Crianza £11.99 £9.99**

Forest fruits intermingle with warm spice and vanilla. The perfect balance of tannin and acidity.

**Viña Real Rioja Reserva £22.00 £18.99**

The 'big brother' to the Crianza. More complexity and structure with the ability to age.



**Perelada Només Garnatxa Blanco £12.99**

Medium-bodied with plenty of stone fruit and spice. A great crowd pleaser!



**Sumarroca Organic Brut Reserva £13.99 £12.99**

Rich, full complex and toasty. Fruity and fresh on the palate with fine, pleasant bubbles.



**Emilio Moro Finca Resaldo £13.99 £12.99**

Dark, rich berry fruit with soft tannins. Perfect with a Winter stew.

**Emilio Moro Ribera del Duero £22.00 £19.99**

Silky and smooth with lovely black cherry, plum and mulberry notes.



**Benito Santos Godello £15.99**

Notes of mango, apple, and apricot intermingle on the palate. Good body balanced by refreshing acidity.



**Fraga do Corvo Mencia £16.99**

Red cherry with black pepper and cloves. Fresh acidity and elegant tannins.

# Spain



**Don Quintin Ortega Blanco Rioja £18.99**

Rich and full with tropical fruit and vanilla from the 6 months in oak.



**Bodegas Ortega Esquero Rioja Crianza £14.99**

This textbook Rioja has strawberry and raspberry fruit, framed by hints of vanilla and spice.



**Gran Cerdo Blanco £9.99**

This organic white from Rioja has plenty of orchard fruit, a lovely texture and refreshing finish.



**Gran Cerdo Tinto £9.99**

Unoaked, bright and fresh. Classic flavours of dark berries and floral notes.

# Portugal

**Moncao Alvarinho £13.99**

This Alvarinho from Northern Portugal is fragrant with floral hints on the nose and ripe stone fruit flavours that lead to a crisp, fresh finish.

**Lagoalva Vinho Tinto £11.50**

This modern Portuguese red has juicy black fruit, with a touch of oak spice and a long smooth finish.

**Niepoort Lagar de Baixo Baga Bairrada £22.99**

This elegant Baga is the epitome of modern Portuguese winemaking. Complex with notes of cherry and blackberry and a long finish.



## The Americas



**Grace Bridge Pinot Noir £13.99**

Juicy and supple with succulent strawberry and raspberry fruit against subtle oak with a bright finish.



**Los Olivos Malbec £11.99 £9.99**

High altitude vineyards produce an elegant Malbec with plum, blackberry and white pepper notes.



**Caliterra "Tributo" Chardonnay £13.99 £11.99**

This single vineyard wine is aged in old oak giving an elegant and well rounded Chardonnay.



**Zuccardi Chardonnay, Mendoza £17.99 £14.99**

Elegant, yet characterful with citrus flavours, balanced minerality and delicate vanilla notes.



**Caliterra Edicion Limitada "B" £16.99 £14.99**

This Bordeaux-style blend is a richly textured classy example of Chilean winemaking. Hints of cherry, blueberry, herbs, spice and cedar.



**Zuccardi Malbec, Mendoza £17.99 £14.99**

Full and soft, with plenty of rich black fruit, hints of exotic spices and good ripe tannins.

## Fine Wine Parcel

**Smith & Hook Cabernet Sauvignon £28.99**

Rich and decadent Californian Cabernet with full body, dark fruit and hints of vanilla on the finish.

**Cristom Mt Jefferson Pinot Noir £35.00**

Elegant Oregon Pinot Noir with notes of cranberry and redcurrant. Perfect with Turkey.

**Decoy Limited Release Red Blend £35.00**

This bold and luxurious wine combines plush dark fruit and smooth silky tannins. Bring on the beef!



## Australia & New Zealand



**Quartier Mornington Peninsula Pinot Gris £19.99**

Notes of quince and pear with hints of warm spice and ginger.



**Quartier Mornington Peninsula Pinot Noir £19.99**

Juicy dark cherry and raspberry with plenty of interest. Christmas dinner contender!



**Robert Oatley Riesling £14.99 £12.99**

This dry Riesling from Western Australia is textured, crisp, and dry with lemon-lime fruit and fine line acidity.



**Robert Oatley Shiraz £14.99 £12.99**

A generous expressive wine with black fruit and dark chocolate flavours. A classic Australian Shiraz.



**Flame Tree Embers Cabernet Sauvignon £15.99**

Beautiful aromas of violets, juicy red and black fruits with chocolate and some cedar. Medium bodied with soft fruit and a fine tannin structure.



**Taringi Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc £9.99**

A classic Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc. Bright and fresh aromas of gooseberries and ripe guava.

## New Arrivals from Kelly Washington

**Pinot Blanc, 2020 Marlborough £26.00**

Savoury and showing notes of ripe autumnal fruits and white flowers. Not your usual new world Pinot Blanc, the wine is powerful, rich and textured, framed by fine boned acidity.

**Cabernet Franc, 2018 Hawke's Bay £30.00**

Hugely vibrant and full of personality, deliciously crunchy and concentrated, yet elegant and fresh.

**Pinot Noir, 2018 Central Otago £34.00**

A classic Central Otago Pinot Noir with juicy cherry, raspberry, blackcurrant and violet notes.



## Te Mata Estate, New Zealand

### Cape Crest Sauvignon Blanc

**£22.00**

Barrel Fermented, with a touch of Semillon and Sauvignon Gris. Concentrated and complex.

### Elston Chardonnay

**£32.00**

An outstanding NZ Chardonnay. Rich and complex with flavours of fresh pineapple, white peach and nougat.

### Awatea Cabernets/Merlot

**£32.00**

Floral aromas with intense blackberry and dark plum flavours lead to a rich, supple palate with a sustained finish.



## South Africa



### Vergelogen Reserve Chardonnay

**£18.99 £15.99**

Lovely stone fruit, with its vibrant acidity balanced by a creamy butterscotch texture. Complex and long.



### Wild House Chenin Blanc

**£8.99**

Honeyed and textured on the palate with crisp acidity and hints of honey dew melon.



### Wild House Shiraz

**£8.99**

Rich dark fruit with notes of white pepper and anise.



### Sophie Te Blanche Sauvignon

**£11.99**

A complex medley of tropical fruits, mingled with subtle lime and gooseberry undertones.

### Vergelogen Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon, 2014

**£18.99 £15.99**

Full bodied and spicy with a touch of smoke on the finish.

Star Buy



### Warwick Professor Black Pitch Black

**£18.99**

Predominantly Cabernet with a dash of Cinsault. It has delightful fresh dark fruit and finely grained tannins.



### Sophie Te Blanche Sauvignon

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## Port, Sherry & Madeira

### Niepoort

Niepoort are a small port house that produce excellent ports in all styles. From classic ruby to sensational tawny's.

#### Ruby Dum

**£15.99**

#### LBV

**£22.00**

#### Senior Tawny

**£22.00**



## Fernando De Castilla

Elegant fino, nutty amontillado, seductive Cream and a decadent PX from this fine producer.

#### Fino

**£13.99 £12.99**

#### Amontillado

**£15.99 £14.99**

#### Cream

**£15.99 £14.99**

#### PX

**£24.00 £22.00**



### H.M. Borges

No Xmas side board is ready for the season without one of these fine Madeiras.

#### 5 Year Old Rich

**£17.99**

#### 10 Year Old Sercial

**£34.00**

#### 15 Year Old Verdelho

**£40.00**



# THE KNACKERED Mother's WINE CLUB Festive Mixed Case Specials



We've teamed up with Helen McGinn, TV wine expert (BBC1's Saturday Kitchen, ITV's This Morning) and author of the Knackered Mother's Wine Club book and blog, to offer 2 exclusive mixed cases for Christmas.

Helen McGinn

Helen has hand-picked a selection of her favourite wines to get you through the festive period and each case includes Helen's tasting notes and free local delivery if required. Either would make a wonderful Christmas present and can be personalised by adding a gift card. A mainland UK mail order service is available for an extra £10.



## Helen's Hand Picked Christmas Crackers

This one's got all the Christmas classics covered and will take you from your first glass of (very good) champagne through to whites and reds for the festive feast whether it's turkey, goose, gammon or beef on the table.

~~Usually £105.74~~   Special Offer Price £94.99



## KMWC Essential Christmas Case

From party starters to perfect last minute presents, hidden gems to great value crowd-pleasers, this case is stuffed with bottles to see you through the festive period.

~~Usually £132.74~~   Special Offer Price £119.99

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