



January White 4*2*GO

2005 Zenato Pinot Grigio delle Venezie, Italy - Regularly \$10.99

Sergio Zenato started his winery in 1960 with a passion for wine and a devotion to quality, handed down by his father. Made from 90% Pinot Grigio from Delle Venezie, in Northeast Italy, where the weather is cool. The addition of 10% Chardonnay gives this Pinot Grigio creaminess not usually found in these wines. The color is light gold and the flavors are rich, round and refreshing which is balanced by a crisp, dry finish. I highly recommend this wine with fish, poultry and risotto dishes. Zenato Pinot Grigio has been, and continues to be, a favorite by-the-glass-wine at many fine local restaurants.

2005 Chateau Peynaud White Bordeaux, France – Regularly \$9.99

This easy drinking, pleasant white wine comes from a 30 year old vineyard near the Gironde River in Bordeaux. A blend of 50% Sauvignon Blanc and 50% Semillion is matured on the lees in stainless steel vats until bottling. It is *bursting* with vivacious lemony flavors and is a great match with cold salads, fish, pesto dishes and soft cheeses.

2004 MadFish Chardonnay (Unwooded), Australia – Regularly \$12.99

MadFish wines are from the very southern part of Western Australia - home of MadFish Bay. Chief Winemaker Michael Kerrigan, sources his grapes from locations in the heart of the Great Southern and Margaret River regions. He carefully monitors and then hand selects the fruit from these vineyards. This unwooded wine was fermented in stainless steel tanks to allow the complex fruit characters to dominate the palate. In the spirit of Western Australia, MadFish wines are without pretension and without fuss. Just sip and enjoy!

2005 Casa Lapostolle Cuvee Alexandre Chardonnay Atalayas Vineyard, Chile – Regularly \$22.99

A French–Chilean collaboration between the Marnier-Lapostolle (owners of the Grande Marnier liqueur) and Rabat families, Casa Lapostolle was founded in 1994. Alexandra Marnier-Lapostolle recruited two French enologists, world-renowned winemaker Michel Rolland and on-site winemaker Michel Friou. Together they oversee all aspects of the winery from vineyard management, harvesting, vinification and blending of the wines. This Chardonnay is from the Casablanca Valley, one of Chile’s newest and finest wine regions. Focused and elegant, with deceptive length and power, this lets lush apple, pear, fig and toast notes stretch along effortlessly on the long finish.

90 Points Smart Buy – Wine Spectator

“Rich and stylish, with pear, fig, hazelnut and brioche notes that run through the rich, lengthy finish. A nice mineral hint really stretches it out. Drink now. 11,180 cases made.” –JM

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