



NEW ARRIVALS WINE TASTING

SATURDAY, AUGUST 10TH
2:00PM-4:00PM \$25

2017 DOMAIN TROTEREAU QUINCY VIEILLES VIGNES, LOIRE, FRANCE

Third Corner Retail Price \$28.99 Wine Club To-Go Price \$24.64

This Quincy comes from vineyards planted between 1905 and 1943.

It's charms lie in its lavish citrus redolences and soft, embracing texture. Lush, aromatic, and zingy, it has a mouth-coating texture and charming notes of tangerine. Pierre Ragon of Domaine Trotereau is as much an icon of the small appellation of Quincy in the Loire Valley as the appellation itself is a historical icon for the whole of France. Quincy was the second recognized appellation in France in 1936, second only to Châteauneuf-du-Pape. Grapes had long been planted here, however, with Sauvignon Blanc having been introduced by Cistercian monks in the 12th century. Southwest of Sancerre, on the banks of a tributary of the Loire River, the Cher, the relatively small appellation of 200 hectares is located between the villages of Vierzon and Bourges. The sandy, silex-ridden topsoil with an undercurrent of pink limestone is truly unique, unlike any other Sauvignon Blanc appellation in the world, and gives a very particular wine. Sauvignon is able to ripen more fully here while retaining a very interesting aromatic profile, and the wines are capable of aging quite gracefully.

2017 FOUR BROTHERS CURTIS VINEYARD

GRENACHE BLANC, SANTA BARBARA, CALIFORNIA

Regularly \$32 Third Corner Retail Price \$20.99 Wine Club To-Go Price \$17.84

This Old World style Grenache Blanc has aromas of peach, crushed pepper and hints of ripe citrus on the nose. This is a very light, crisp and clean wine. You will get green apple, light herbs and a rounded texture on the palate with a very smooth finish.

2018 CHATEAU DE SEGRIES TAVEL ROSÉ, RHÔNE VALLEY, FRANCE

Third Corner Retail Price \$19.99 Wine Club To-Go Price \$16.99

91 Points & Editor's Choice Wine Enthusiast

This is a deeply concentrated rosé, both in color and palate, suggesting sun-kissed watermelon, raspberry and red-cherry flavors. It's full bodied and intensely fruity but refreshingly dry and mineral on the palate too. It's a bold wine framed by fine, firm tannins and a long finish to enjoy now through 2023.

2017 DOMAINE GEORGES GLANTENAY MAISON DIEU BOURGOGNE ROUGE, BURGUNDY, FRANCE

Third Corner Retail Price \$23.99 Wine Club To-Go Price \$20.39

The Glantenay Bourgogne Pinot Noir "Maison Dieu" 2017 is a delightful wine, offering what I want to find in a 2017. It's fresh, vivid and lively with plenty of fruit and a quite impressive intensity for this level. A lovely Bourgogne in my view - drinking very well indeed.

2017 DUNITES SLIDE HILL VINEYARD GRENACHE, EDNA VALLEY, CALIFORNIA

Regularly \$45 Third Corner Retail Price \$29.99 Wine Club To-Go Price \$25.49

Located at the southern end of the Edna Valley AVA against the Santa Lucia mountain range, Slide Hill Vineyard is a breathtaking site. Less than five miles from the Pacific Ocean, this vineyard rests just above sea level in elevation. This proximity allows the vineyard to enjoy the coastal breezes that sweep through the Edna Valley every day allowing for long hangtimes that provide complex and mature fruit at moderate potential alcohol. This Demeter Biodynamic certified vineyard was originally established by the vibrant Bob Linquist of Qupe who named it the Sawyer-Lindquist vineyard and sold many vineyard designate wines produced from fruit from the site. The vineyard was purchase in 2013 by the same owners as the Duvarita vineyard and renamed Slide Hill. The site features incredible soils chocked full of fossilized sea shells translating to a pronounced minerality in the wine. Partial whole cluster vinification, native yeasts, and aging in 500-liter neutral French oak puncheon were all employed to ensure purity and balance. The finished wine is juicy with ripe berry and plum flavors and brightened by lively acidity and a saline finish with subtle, firm tannins. A wine that will age beautifully for 10-15+ years, it can also be enjoyed in its youth with grilled salmon, pork or poultry.

2016 MAS DONIS OLD VINE MONASTRELL, MONTSANT, SPAIN

Third Corner Retail Price \$13.99 Wine Club To-Go Price \$11.89

94 Points Jeb Dunnuck

The finest vintage of this cuvée to date, the 2016 Mas Donis Old Vines is 85% Garnacha and 15% Syrah that was 70% destemmed and aged primarily in concrete. Tasting like a top Priorat with its beautiful blue fruits, violets, ground pepper, rose petals, and amble minerality, it hits the palate with medium to full-bodied richness, remarkable purity of fruit, and a great, great finish. Almost too good to be true, just pretend you paid more. Drink up.

2017 TE MATA AWATEA, HAWKE'S BAY, NEW ZEALAND

Third Corner Retail Price \$32.99 Wine Club To-Go Price \$28.04

Awatea has long been regarded as one of New Zealand's best value premium red wines and the 2017 will do nothing but enhance that coveted reputation. Approachable in its youth and clearly referencing 'the modern Hawkes Bay style', the 2017 is refreshing and moreish as well as typically elegant. The baby brother of Coleraine, Awatea is a Bordeaux blend from the hallowed soil of Te Mata Estate. It is a silky, polished wine with much depth and a wavy film of ripe red fruit.

2011 ARZUAGA RESERVA, RIBEIRO DEL DUERO, SPAIN

Third Corner Retail Price \$54.99 Wine Club To-Go Price \$46.74

90 Points Robert Parker's Wine Advocate

Arzuaga Reserva 2012 is a deep, complex and expressive red wine. On the nose this vintage emphasizes the aromas of ripe red fruit, with very marked roasted notes of aging. On the palate it reveals volume, is intense and balanced, and has a very lingering finish