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## 7 Vines Vineyard

2023 7 Vines Vineyard True North Rose	Minnesota	Estate Vineyard		Best of Class	92	Bright red fruit, fresh savory herbs, earthy spice notes.
2023 7 Vines Vineyard True North Rose	Minnesota	Estate Vineyard		Gold	92	Bright red fruit, fresh savory herbs, earthy spice notes.
2023 7 Vines Vineyard Itasca	Minnesota	Estate Vineyard		Gold	91	Honey
2023 7 Vines Vineyard 10,000 Lakes White	American			Gold	92	Nice acidity.

## Acquiesce Winery & Vineyards

2023 Acquiesce Winery & Vineyards Picpoul Blanc	Lodi, Mokelumne River	Estate Grown, Produced and Bottled	Lodi Rules	Gold	93	Grapefruit, lemon lime, margarita and pomelo.
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## Aimee

2022 Aimee Primitivo	Napa Valley	Winemaker Select		Best of Class	91	Spice, red fruit, cardamon, rich texture, plush and tangy.
2023 Aimee Cabernet Sauvignon Rose	Napa Valley	Winemaker Select		Gold	93	Restrained fruit; nice acid; food friendly; well balanced
2022 Aimee Primitivo	Napa Valley	Winemaker Select		Gold	91	Spice, red fruit, cardamon, rich texture, plush and tangy.
2023 Aimee Sauvignon Blanc	Napa Valley	Winemaker Select		Gold	93	Tarragon, true to varietal, nice lime finish.

## Alamitos Vineyards

2021 Alamitos Vineyards "Andorinha" Touriga Nacional	Santa Cruz Mountains/Santa Clara Valley	Estate Grown and Produced	Reserve	Best of Class	96	Fruit leather. Great depth and range. Wonderful herbal elements. Cardamon. Brewed coffee.
2021 Alamitos Vineyards "Andorinha" Touriga Nacional	Santa Cruz Mountains/Santa Clara Valley	Estate Grown and Produced	Reserve	Double Gold	96	Fruit leather. Great depth and range. Wonderful herbal elements. Cardamon. Brewed coffee.

## AniChe Cellars

2023 AniChe Cellars Baba Yaga	Yakima Valley			Best of Class	97	Golden delicious apples. Electric on the palate, mouthwatering. Bone dry.
2023 AniChe Cellars Baba Yaga	Yakima Valley			Double Gold	97	Golden delicious apples. Electric on the palate, mouthwatering. Bone dry.

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## Balverne

2023 Balverne Sauvignon Blanc	Chalk Hill	Estate Grown, Produced and Bottled	Certified Sustainable	Double Gold	96	Classic California Sauvignon Blanc.
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## Banshee

2022 Banshee Sonoma County Rosé	Sonoma County			Double Gold	96	Lively bright red fruit; well balanced; true porch pounder
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## Barefoot Cellars

NV Barefoot Cellars Riesling	California			Best of Class	92	Rich and mineral. Honey.
NV Barefoot Cellars Riesling	California			Gold	92	Rich and mineral. Honey.

## Barefoot Fruitscato

NV Barefoot Fruitscato Lemonade	California			Best of Class	95	Ripe and engaging. Balanced, bright, poolside, mouth watery.
NV Barefoot Fruitscato Lemonade	California			Double Gold	95	Ripe and engaging. Balanced, bright, poolside, mouth watery.
NV Barefoot Fruitscato Sweet Cranberry	California			Gold	90	Lively, lovely, bright, tart and pretty pink.

## Bennett Valley Cellars

NV Bennett Valley Cellars Cuvee	Sonoma County			Best of Class	96	Clean, lemon fine zest. Cured meats, spice, strawberry, long finish.
NV Bennett Valley Cellars Cuvee	Sonoma County			Best Sparkling	96	Clean, lemon fine zest. Cured meats, spice, strawberry, long finish.
NV Bennett Valley Cellars Cuvee	Sonoma County			Double Gold	96	Clean, lemon fine zest. Cured meats, spice, strawberry, long finish.

## Black Box

NV Black Box Sauvignon Blanc	Chile			Best Boxed Wine	97	Lime, citrusy, Key Lime.
NV Black Box Sauvignon Blanc	Chile			Best of Class	97	Lime, citrusy, Key Lime.
NV Black Box Sauvignon Blanc	Chile			Double Gold	97	Lime, citrusy, Key Lime.
NV Black Box Buttery Chardonnay	California			Gold	92	Caramel green apple. Baked caramel flan.

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## Breathless

NV Breathless Brut Rosé	Sonoma County		Gold	94	Very well structured and balanced. lovely extended finish.
NV Breathless Brut	Sonoma County	Method e Champenois	Gold	94	Complex, accessible, fresh apple; toast; nice finish

## Brecon Estate

2023 Brecon Estate True Acacia Head	San Luis Obispo Coast		Best of Class	99	Beautiful floral nose, peaches, lychee, tangerine, gorgeous long finish.
2023 Brecon Estate Viognier	Adelaida District		Best of Class	96	Beautiful floral rose; jasmine, chamomile, spicy finish; Aromatic wonder
2023 Brecon Estate True Acacia Head	San Luis Obispo Coast		Best of Show White Wine	99	Beautiful floral nose, peaches, lychee, tangerine, gorgeous long finish.
2023 Brecon Estate True Acacia Head	San Luis Obispo Coast		Double Gold	99	Beautiful floral nose, peaches, lychee, tangerine, gorgeous long finish.
2023 Brecon Estate Viognier	Adelaida District		Double Gold	96	Beautiful floral rose; jasmine, chamomile, spicy finish; Aromatic wonder
2023 Brecon Estate Albariño (SLO Coast)	San Luis Obispo Coast		Gold	91	Nectarine and spice. Great on palate.

## Cana

2023 Cana Rose' of Merlot	Virginia, Loudoun County	Greenstone Vineyards	Double Gold	96	Invite this to a garden party; Light berry notes; Clean finish
2022 Cana Petit Manseng	Virginia, Loudoun County		Double Gold	98	Fruit cocktails in a glass, varietally correct, and balanced.

## Caposaldo

NV Caposaldo Moscato	Provincia Di Pavia IGT		Best of Class	95	Honeydew. Sweet almond.
NV Caposaldo Prosecco	Veneto DOC		Best of Class	91	Nice nose, springtime, apple, citrus and clean.
NV Caposaldo Moscato	Provincia Di Pavia IGT		Double Gold	95	Honeydew. Sweet almond.
NV Caposaldo Prosecco	Veneto DOC		Gold	91	Nice nose, springtime, apple, citrus and clean.

## Carol Shelton Wines

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2022 Carol Shelton Wines Coquille Rouge	Central Coast			Best of Class	99	Crowd pleaser, dark and ripe, firm tannins, spicy gum drops, blueberry, long finish.
2021 Carol Shelton Wines Wild Thing Zin	Mendocino County	Old Vines	Organically grown	Best of Class	92	Black cherry, pepper, full bodied, firm tannins.
2021 Carol Shelton Wines Rockpile Reserve Zinfandel	Rockpile	Reserve	Florence Vineyard	Best of Class	98	Pretty, floral, plum berries. Sturdy structure. Spice and hibiscus. Balanced
2022 Carol Shelton Wines Coquille Rouge	Central Coast			Best of Show Red Wine	99	Crowd pleaser, dark and ripe, firm tannins, spicy gum drops, blueberry, long finish.
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2022 Carol Shelton Wines Coquille Rouge	Central Coast			Best Woman Winemaker	99	Crowd pleaser, dark and ripe, firm tannins, spicy gum drops, blueberry, long finish.
2021 Carol Shelton Wines Albin Zin	Russian River Valley			Double Gold	97	Briarberry, blackberry and Bing cherry fills the palate. Nice oak; long finish
2021 Carol Shelton Wines Wally Zin	Alexander Valley		Wallstrum Vineyard	Double Gold	95	Fat, round raspberry and plum. Herbal on the nose. Very concentrated, big structure
2022 Carol Shelton Wines Coquille Rouge	Central Coast			Double Gold	99	Crowd pleaser, dark and ripe, firm tannins, spicy gum drops, blueberry, long finish.
2021 Carol Shelton Wines Rockpile Reserve Zinfandel	Rockpile	Reserve	Florence Vineyard	Double Gold	98	Pretty, floral, plum berries. Sturdy structure. Spice and hibiscus. Balanced
2021 Carol Shelton Wines Wild Thing Zin	Mendocino County	Old Vines	Organically grown	Gold	92	Black cherry, pepper, full bodied, firm tannins.
2021 Carol Shelton Wines Collins Reserve Zin	Russian River Valley	Old Vine	Collins Vineyard	Gold	90	Raspberry, pixie dust, dark cherry
2022 Carol Shelton Wines Barbera d'Oakley	Contra Costa County	Old Vine		Gold	91	Leather. Cigar box. Really pleasant. Fresh.
2021 Carol Shelton Wines Karma Zin	Fountaingrove District		Bastoni Vineyard	Gold	94	Plush, wild berry spice and cherry, Long finish
2020 Carol Shelton Wines Peaceland Zin	Fountaingrove District		Peaceland Vineyard	Gold	91	Pepper spice, dark fruit and chocolate, oak; sour cherry
2023 Carol Shelton Wines Wild Thing Viognier	Placer County			Gold	90	Elegant style, apricot and peaches. Lovely wine

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<b>Carys</b>						
2023 Carys Carys Pinot Gris	Monterey County			Gold	91	Pear and green apple; honeydew; Delicate and bright; Great on a hot summer day
<b>Castle Rock</b>						
2023 Castle Rock Rosé of Pinot Noir	Monterey County			Gold	91	Candy watermelon; light and crisp
<b>Cazadero Winery</b>						
2021 Cazadero Winery Pinot Noir	Sonoma Coast (Sonoma)	Single Vineyard	Hummingbird Hill Vineyard	Gold	94	Ripe fruit with spice notes
<b>Clos du Bois</b>						
2022 Clos du Bois Chardonnay	California			Best of Class	96	A standout, maple syrup, baking spice, lemon curd, flakey pie crust.
2022 Clos du Bois Chardonnay	California			Double Gold	96	A standout, maple syrup, baking spice, lemon curd, flakey pie crust.
<b>Coyote Canyon</b>						
2021 Coyote Canyon Barbera	Horse Heaven Hills	Estate Grown, Produced and Bottled		Double Gold	96	Nice bright acidity. Complexity. Texture. Fennel bulb, licorice. Solid core of herbal essences. Great wine gravitas.
2023 Coyote Canyon Sweet Louise	Horse Heaven Hills	Grown, Produced and Bottled		Gold	92	Apricot, honey, sweet orange marmalade.
2023 Coyote Canyon Concrete Fermented Albarino	Horse Heaven Hills	Estate Vineyard		Gold	92	Bright, long finish, peach, lychee.
<b>D &amp; L Carinalli Vineyards</b>						
2023 D & L Carinalli Vineyards Pinot Grigio	Russian River Valley	Estate Grown, Produced and Bottled	D & L Carinalli Vineyards	Gold	91	Lean style; bright fresh melon; lime zest
<b>Darjean Jones</b>						
2021 Darjean Jones Viognier	Russian River Valley	Single Vineyard	Catie's Corner Vineyard	Gold	94	Honey and peaches; dried stone fruit finishes nicely
<b>Deerfield Ranch Winery</b>						

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2023 Deerfield Ranch Winery Sauvignon Blanc	Sonoma		Peterson Vineyard	Gold	91	Green tea, green spices, true to varietal.
<b>Defiance Vineyard</b>						
2020 Defiance Vineyard Whipper in	Paso Robles	Estate	Creston District, Paso Robles	Gold	92	Warm, ripe, fruity; Blueberry, lilac, and dark chocolate
2020 Defiance Vineyard Breach	Paso Robles	Estate	Creston District, Paso Robles	Gold	92	Big jammy full body red. Could benefit from aging
<b>DeLoach Vineyards</b>						
2022 DeLoach Vineyards Estate Chardonnay	Russian River Valley	Estate		Best of Class	95	Clean and crisp. Very well balanced and well structured.
2019 DeLoach Vineyards Estate Pinot Noir	Russian River Valley	Estate Bottled & Produced		Best of Class	98	Plum, boysenberry, red cherry. Full mouth. Excellent minerality. Long elegant finish
2019 DeLoach Vineyards Estate Pinot Noir	Russian River Valley	Estate Bottled & Produced		Double Gold	98	Plum, boysenberry, red cherry. Full mouth. Excellent minerality. Long elegant finish
2022 DeLoach Vineyards Estate Chardonnay	Russian River Valley	Estate		Double Gold	95	Clean and crisp. Very well balanced and well structured.
2021 DeLoach Vineyards Forgotten Vines Zinfandel	Sonoma County			Double Gold	95	Vanilla cherry, plum, briarberries; Full mid palate
<b>deLorimier Winery</b>						
2021 deLorimier Winery Cabernet Sauvignon	Alexander Valley, Sonoma County	Estate Bottled & Produced	Preston Ranch		92	Dark fruit, soft and full.
2021 deLorimier Winery Cabernet Sauvignon	Alexander Valley, Sonoma County	Estate Grown, Produced and Bottled	Estate	Best of Class	94	Green bean, cola, oak, herbal, long finish.
2020 deLorimier Winery Estate Meritage	Alexander Valley, Sonoma County	Estate Grown, Produced and Bottled		Double Gold	96	Superb mouthfeel. Dark earth. Blackberry. Really nice firm tannins
2021 deLorimier Winery Cabernet Sauvignon	Alexander Valley, Sonoma County	Estate Grown, Produced and Bottled	Estate	Gold	94	Green bean, cola, oak, herbal, long finish.

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2021 deLorimier Winery Cabernet Sauvignon	Dry Creek Valley	Estate Bottled & Produced	Smith Orchard Reserve	Gold	91	Sweet fruit, natural, nice flavors, red and black fruit.
2021 deLorimier Winery Cabernet Sauvignon	Alexander Valley, Sonoma County	Estate Bottled & Produced	Preston Ranch	Gold	92	Dark fruit, soft and full.
2021 deLorimier Winery Al's Red	Alexander Valley, Sonoma County	Estate Bottled & Produced		Gold	93	Big tannins, plum notes. Well balanced, pleasant finish; blackberry notes
2022 deLorimier Winery Petite Sirah	Alexander Valley, Sonoma County	Estate Bottled & Produced	River Lane Vineyard	Gold	94	Varietally correct, velvety with hints of sweet plum. Strong finish.
<b>Domaine Carneros</b>						
NV Domaine Carneros Cuvee de la Pompadour Brut Rose	Carneros	Methode Traditionnelle		Gold	91	Juicy, accessible, cherry, apple and refreshing.
2019 Domaine Carneros Estate Brut	Carneros	Methode Traditionnelle	Estate Grown, Bottled and Produced	Gold	94	Fresh croissant, Asian pear, well made.
<b>Dutton Cellars</b>						
2023 Dutton Cellars Vermentino	Russian River	Cellar Reserve		Gold	93	Lime zest, nectarine, pretty and aromatic.
<b>EHRET Winery</b>						
2023 EHRET Winery Sauvignon Blanc	Knights Valley		Bavarian Lion Vineyards	Double Gold	97	Beautifully executed, stunning wine.
2020 EHRET Winery Cabernet Sauvignon	Knights Valley		Bavarian Lion Vineyards	Gold	94	Varietally accurate, True dark berry fruit characteristics. Approachable tannins with a long finish
<b>Elizabeth Spencer</b>						
2022 Elizabeth Spencer Mendocino Organic Cabernet Sauvignon	Mendocino			Gold	91	Raspberry, perfumy richness, fruit and nice oak.
<b>Etenia</b>						
2022 Etenia Etenia Red Blend	Paso Robles			Best of Class	95	Balanced between fruit and wood with a pleasing finish
2022 Etenia Etenia Red Blend	Paso Robles			Double Gold	95	Balanced between fruit and wood with a pleasing finish
<b>Ferrari-Carano</b>						

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2023 Ferrari-Carano California Pinot Grigio	Sonoma County		Gold	94	Natural richness; nice structure; rounded; Great varietal character
<b>FireCiders</b>					
NV FireCiders Concord	American		Best of Class	91	Ripe, lush, fills mouth with flavor. Ripe grape, jolly rancher.
NV FireCiders Iowa Rhubarb	Iowa		Best of Class	97	Great acid. Nailed it: essence of rhubarb. Lovely tartness to it. Orange rind. Complex.
NV FireCiders Iowa Rhubarb	Iowa		Best of Show Fruit	97	Great acid. Nailed it: essence of rhubarb. Lovely tartness to it. Orange rind. Complex.
NV FireCiders Iowa Rhubarb	Iowa		Double Gold	97	Great acid. Nailed it: essence of rhubarb. Lovely tartness to it. Orange rind. Complex.
NV FireCiders Concord	American		Gold	91	Ripe, lush, fills mouth with flavor. Ripe grape, jolly rancher.
<b>Fireside Winery</b>					
NV Fireside Winery Crownfire	Iowa		Best of Class	93	Deep, dense notes of wild berries, plum and cherry. Long dry finish.
2022 Fireside Winery LaCrescent	Iowa	Estate Grown, Produced and Bottled	Best of Class	92	Floral rose
2022 Fireside Winery LaCrescent	Iowa	Estate Grown, Produced and Bottled	Gold	92	Floral rose
NV Fireside Winery Dolce	Iowa		Gold	92	Floral, honey, ripe and juicy. Elegant texture with nice finish.
NV Fireside Winery Crownfire	Iowa		Gold	93	Deep, dense notes of wild berries, plum and cherry. Long dry finish.
<b>Fog &amp; Light</b>					

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2021 Fog & Light Fog & Light Pinot Noir	Monterey		Best of Class	91	Nice texture; earthy; plum skin and pomegranate; Red apple skin
2021 Fog & Light Fog & Light Pinot Noir	Monterey		Gold	91	Nice texture; earthy; plum skin and pomegranate; Red apple skin
<b>Franzia</b>					
NV Franzia Cabernet Sauvignon	Chile		Gold	91	Greens beans, crowd pleaser, red fruit, slightly floral.
NV Franzia Dark Red Blend	American	Vintner Select	Gold	92	Balance with subtle grapefruit character. Pleasing finish
<b>Garré Vineyard and Winery</b>					
2020 Garré Vineyard and Winery Profound Secret	Livermore Valley	Estate Vineyards	Best of Class	96	Floral, jasmine, concord grape jelly donut. Nice chocolate. Very smooth and pleasing
2020 Garré Vineyard and Winery Profound Secret	Livermore Valley	Estate Vineyards	Double Gold	96	Floral, jasmine, concord grape jelly donut. Nice chocolate. Very smooth and pleasing
2023 Garré Vineyard and Winery Pinot Grigio	Livermore Valley	Estate	Gold	91	Melon notes; green apple. Bright and fresh
2023 Garré Vineyard and Winery Rosato di Sangiovese	Livermore Valley	Estate	Gold	93	Watermelons and mountain strawberry, opens into a rich clean wine with a long pleasing finish.
<b>Gray Ghost</b>					
2023 Gray Ghost Adieu	Virginia	Late Harvest	Best of Class	98	Super white peach. Gardenia. Oregano on the finish. Lush and sensuous texture.
2023 Gray Ghost Adieu	Virginia	Late Harvest	Best of Show Dessert/Late Harvest	98	Super white peach. Gardenia. Oregano on the finish. Lush and sensuous texture.
2023 Gray Ghost Adieu	Virginia	Late Harvest	Double Gold	98	Super white peach. Gardenia. Oregano on the finish. Lush and sensuous texture.

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## Great Bear Vineyards

2021 Great Bear Vineyards Tempranillo Reserve	Yolo County	Estate Bottled Reserve	Best of Class	96	Pomegranate seed, dill, tarragon, molasses. Savory and sweet.
2021 Great Bear Vineyards Tempranillo Reserve	Yolo County	Estate Bottled Reserve	Double Gold	96	Pomegranate seed, dill, tarragon, molasses. Savory and sweet.

## Happy Mommy Wines

2023 Happy Mommy Wines Take Me Away Rosé	Santa Barbara County	Unoaked	Double Gold	97	Nice concentration of fruit; Palate pleaser
2022 Happy Mommy Wines Kids In Bed Red	Santa Barbara County	Barrel Aged	Gold	91	Oak nose, riper, rounder, meaty, strawberry.

## Hive & Honey

2023 Hive & Honey Hive & Honey Riesling	California		Best of Class	92	Lime, apple, tropical fruit and petroleum.
2023 Hive & Honey Hive & Honey Riesling	California		Gold	92	Lime, apple, tropical fruit and petroleum.

## Hoyt Family Vineyards

2019 Hoyt Family Vineyards Pinot Noir	Paso Robles Willowcreek District	Barrel Aged	Best of Class	97	Classic paso; Fruit up front; Good viscosity; very well balanced; Lingering finish
2019 Hoyt Family Vineyards Pinot Noir	Paso Robles Willowcreek District	Barrel Aged	Double Gold	97	Classic paso; Fruit up front; Good viscosity; very well balanced; Lingering finish
2019 Hoyt Family Vineyards Petit Verdot	Paso Robles Willowcreek District	Barrel Aged	Double Gold	97	Tart blackberry. Cocoa dust. Very floral. Balanced. Great acidity.

## Idyll Time Wine

2021 Idyll Time Wine 2021 Idyll Time Wine Syrapinot	Central Coast, Monterey County	Barrel Aged	Single Vineyard Selection	Gold	90	Lovely light berry wine. Good for any occasion
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## Innumero

2022 Innumero Pinot Noir	Russian River Valley	Barrel Select	Gold	93	Earthy, savory, refined tannins. Cellar worthy
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## J. Lohr Vineyards & Wines

2021 J. Lohr Vineyards & Wines J. Lohr Estates Seven Oaks Cabernet Sauvignon	Paso Robles		Best of Class	92	Ripe, full mid-palate. Cocoa powder, dark chocolate.
2021 J. Lohr Vineyards & Wines J. Lohr Estates Seven Oaks Cabernet Sauvignon	Paso Robles		Gold	92	Ripe, full mid-palate. Cocoa powder, dark chocolate.

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## JL WOOD

2022 JL WOOD JL	Arroyo Seco			Gold	91	Leaner style, great notes of grapefruit, vanilla, well balanced.
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## Karen Birmingham

2023 Karen Birmingham Sauvignon Blanc	Lodi			Gold	94	Leafy, lime and lemon.
2023 Karen Birmingham Sangiovese Rose	Lodi			Gold	93	Bright notes of summer fruit; Lingering finish

## King Estate

2019 King Estate Brut Cuvée	Willamette Valley	Methode Champenoise	Estate Grown	Best of Class	97	Lemon pear, Rainer cherry; quince; Touch of lemon pith
2022 King Estate Domaine Pinot Gris	Willamette Valley	Estate Grown, Produced and Bottled		Best of Class	97	Citrus driven; notes of mandarin orange and green apple
2022 King Estate Domaine Pinot Gris	Willamette Valley	Estate Grown, Produced and Bottled		Double Gold	97	Citrus driven; notes of mandarin orange and green apple
2019 King Estate Brut Cuvée	Willamette Valley	Methode Champenoise	Estate Grown	Double Gold	97	Lemon pear, Rainer cherry; quince; Touch of lemon pith
2023 King Estate Rose of Pinot Noir	Willamette Valley			Gold	94	Good structure from aroma to finish; Good summer wine

## Kings Mountain Vineyards

2021 Kings Mountain Vineyards Kings Mountain Vineyards Bacchus	Santa Cruz Mountains Appellation	Estate Grown		Gold	93	Earthy with dark stone fruit; Vibrant acidity
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## Les Hauts de Lagarde

2023 Les Hauts de Lagarde MAISON RAYMOND	Bordeaux Sec AOC	Grown, Produced and Bottled	Vegan certified	Best of Class	93	Sweet tropical notes, honeysuckle, quince paste, thrilling hint of Kaffir lime and touch of wild sage.
2023 Les Hauts de Lagarde MAISON RAYMOND	Bordeaux Sec AOC	Grown, Produced and Bottled	Vegan certified	Gold	93	Sweet tropical notes, honeysuckle, quince paste, thrilling hint of Kaffir lime and touch of wild sage.

## Lightly

2023 Lightly Lightly Sauvignon Blanc	California			Gold	93	Well balanced.
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## Lincourt

2023 Lincourt Steel Chardonnay	Sta. Rita Hills	Steel Vineyards	Double Gold	96	Nectarine, white peach, floral nose; very appealing aromatically. Well balanced
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## Lost Oak Winery

2021 Lost Oak Winery Merlot	Texas High Plains
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2023 Lost Oak Winery Orange Muscat	Texas High Plains
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## LVE: Legend Vineyard Exclusive

2021 LVE: Legend Vineyard Exclusive Cabernet Sauvignon	Napa Valley	Best of Class	97	Dark berry fruit with leather notes. Well balanced with approachable tannins
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2021 LVE: Legend Vineyard Exclusive Cabernet Sauvignon	Napa Valley	Double Gold	97	Dark berry fruit with leather notes. Well balanced with approachable tannins
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2022 LVE: Legend Vineyard Exclusive Chardonnay	Carneros	Gold	92	Ginger, dried pineapple and toasty vanilla notes. Good with sweet and sour pork. Very robust.
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## McGrail Vineyards

2021 McGrail Vineyards The Weston	Livermore Valley	Estate Grown, Produced and Bottled	Lucky 8 Vineyards	Gold	91	Dried black fruit; big tannins with a clean finish
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2021 McGrail Vineyards Sláinte Red Blend	Livermore Valley	Estate Bottled & Produced	Lucky 8 Vineyard	Gold	94	Blueberry and tangerine, huckleberry. Nice mid palate and pleasing notes
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2021 McGrail Vineyards Shamus Patrick Red Blend	Livermore Valley	Estate Bottled & Produced	Lucky 8 Vineyard	Gold	92	Dr pepper; green chilies; Chocolate covered coffee beans
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2023 McGrail Vineyards Peyton Paige Sauvignon Blanc	Livermore Valley	Estate Grown and Produced	Lucky 8 Vineyard	Gold	92	Fine wine, high acidity.
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## McIlroy Cellars

2023 McIlroy Cellars Rose of Pinot Noir Russian River Valley Three Vineyards	Russian River Valley	Three Vineyards	Double Gold	96	Delightfully clean mouthful with aromas of strawberry; Great with food or five o'clock
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## Mercer Brothers

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2021 Mercer Brothers Mercer Bros Cabernet Sauvignon	Horse Heaven Hills	Estate Vineyards	Gold	92	Sweet oak vanilla; dark cherry, bitter sweet chocolate
<b>Mercer Wine Estate RESERVE</b>					
2019 Mercer Wine Estate RESERVE Mercer RESERVE Cavalie 7 Cabernet Sauvignon	Horse Heaven Hills	Estate Vineyards	Gold	92	Spice and oak characteristics are well integrated. Firm tannins with a lingering finish
<b>Mercer Wine Estates</b>					
2021 Mercer Wine Estates Mercer Small Lot Petit Verdot	Horse Heaven Hills	Estate Vineyard	Best of Class	98	Vibrant. Smooth texture. Dark blue fruit. Pepper and spice. Very well balanced. Engaging.
2021 Mercer Wine Estates Mercer Small Lot Petit Verdot	Horse Heaven Hills	Estate Vineyard	Double Gold	98	Vibrant. Smooth texture. Dark blue fruit. Pepper and spice. Very well balanced. Engaging.
2021 Mercer Wine Estates Small Lot Cabernet Franc	Horse Heaven Hills	Estate Vineyards	Gold	90	Palate matched the nose; sweet oak spice, herbal cherry and ripe fruit
2023 Mercer Wine Estates Small Lot Rose	Horse Heaven Hills	Estate Grown	Gold	94	Nose is complex. Follows thru to the end. Great structure. Clean finish.
2023 Mercer Wine Estates Small Lot Viognier	Horse Heaven Hills	Estate Vineyard	Gold	92	Nectarine, ripe kiwi, Lime. Nice long zippy finish
<b>Mia Marie</b>					
2023 Mia Marie Rosé of Tempranillo	San Diego County		Gold	93	Delightful and floral; Nice round body; nice acid and finish
<b>Miletta Vista Winery</b>					
2023 Miletta Vista Winery Blue Vacation	Nebraska		Gold	93	Bright, long finish. Peach and lychee.
2023 Miletta Vista Winery Elephant Ear	Nebraska		Gold	90	Aromas of honey; floral notes. Red berry aromas
<b>Nassau Valley Vineyards</b>					
NV Nassau Valley Vineyards Nassau Valley Vineyards Broadkilm White	Delaware	Estate Bottled & Produced	Best of Class	93	Lychee, dragon fruit, hint of lime, well crafted.

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NV Nassau Valley Vineyards Nassau Valley Vineyards Naked Chardonnay	Delaware	Estate Grown, Produced and Bottled	Best of Class	96	Very tropical. Clean acidity. Lots of texture. Lots of complexity. Gentle intensity.
NV Nassau Valley Vineyards Nassau Valley Vineyards Naked Chardonnay	Delaware	Estate Grown, Produced and Bottled	Double Gold	96	Very tropical. Clean acidity. Lots of texture. Lots of complexity. Gentle intensity.
NV Nassau Valley Vineyards Nassau Valley Vineyards Broadkiln White	Delaware	Estate Bottled & Produced	Gold	93	Lychee, dragon fruit, hint of lime, well crafted.
<b>Navarro Vineyards</b>					
2023 Navarro Vineyards Gewürztraminer Deep End, Anderson Valley	Anderson Valley		Best of Class	95	Nice and floral.
2023 Navarro Vineyards Edelzwicker, Anderson Valley	Anderson Valley		Best of Class	99	Key lime pie, citrus driven, acidity, leads to a beautiful mouth feel.
2022 Navarro Vineyards Barbera, Mendocino	Mendocino		Best of Class	97	Cherry fruit punch. Graber olives.
2023 Navarro Vineyards Muscat Blanc, Estate Bottled	Anderson Valley	Estate Bottled	Best of Class	96	Citrus, pretty nose, warm spice, tangerine and white peach.
2023 Navarro Vineyards Gewürztraminer Deep End, Anderson Valley	Anderson Valley		Double Gold	95	Nice and floral.
2023 Navarro Vineyards Edelzwicker, Anderson Valley	Anderson Valley		Double Gold	99	Key lime pie, citrus driven, acidity, leads to a beautiful mouth feel.
2022 Navarro Vineyards Chardonnay, Première Reserve	Anderson Valley		Double Gold	95	Fresh breezy; Cashmere texture; Really soft vanilla; Apple butter
2022 Navarro Vineyards Barbera, Mendocino	Mendocino		Double Gold	97	Cherry fruit punch. Graber olives.
2023 Navarro Vineyards Muscat Blanc, Estate Bottled	Anderson Valley	Estate Bottled	Double Gold	96	Citrus, pretty nose, warm spice, tangerine and white peach.
2023 Navarro Vineyards Grüner Veltliner, Anderson Valley	Anderson Valley		Gold	94	Juicy, well balanced, spice and white pepper.
2023 Navarro Vineyards Sauvignon Blanc, Cuvée 128	Anderson Valley		Gold	92	Nice floral notes.
2022 Navarro Vineyards Pinot Noir, Méthode à l'Ancienne	Anderson Valley		Gold	94	Notes of rum and blackberry - well structured with a crisp clean finish

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2023 Navarro Vineyards Riesling, Deep End	Anderson Valley			Gold	92	Very nice wine. Tropical fruit.
2023 Navarro Vineyards Pinot Gris, Anderson Valley	Anderson Valley			Gold	92	Lime zest, white pepper and poached pear
2023 Navarro Vineyards Rosé of Sangiovese, Mendocino	Mendocino			Gold	91	Tart strawberries; Nice balance with an inviting finish.
2022 Navarro Vineyards Chardonnay, Mendocino	Mendocino			Gold	91	Clean, good texture; Apricot
<b>New Clairvaux Vineyard</b>						
2021 New Clairvaux Vineyard Petite Sirah	Tehama County	Single Vineyard	Poor Souls Block	Best of Class	96	Great integration of oak, spice, and fruit. Great with food.
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NV New Clairvaux Vineyard White Table Wine Lot 10	California		Vina Ranch	Gold	92	Rich, honey, peach and delicious.
NV New Clairvaux Vineyard Vino Dolce Lot 13	Tehama County		Vina Ranch	Gold	90	Bourbon barrel maple syrup.
NV New Clairvaux Vineyard Angelica Lot 11	Tehama County		Abbey Angelica	Gold	92	Kiwi, dry pineapple pleasing finish, A delightful aperitif with cheese
2023 New Clairvaux Vineyard Moschofilero	Tehama County		St. James Block	Gold	91	Floral white blossom, intriguing, kiwi, nectarine expression.
<b>Nichelini Family Winery</b>						
2023 Nichelini Family Winery Sauvignon Blanc	Napa Valley	Estate Bottled		Best of Class	98	Green apple, green pepper, classic California Sauvignon Blanc.
2023 Nichelini Family Winery Sauvignon Blanc	Napa Valley	Estate Bottled		Double Gold	98	Green apple, green pepper, classic California Sauvignon Blanc.
2021 Nichelini Family Winery Cabernet Sauvignon	Napa Valley	Estate Bottled		Gold	94	Lovely balance of fruit and oak with fine tannins. Great crowd pleaser
2023 Nichelini Family Winery Moscato	Napa Valley	Estate Bottled		Gold	94	Silky palate, viscosity, sunshine, juicy and white peach.

## Notre Vue Estate

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2021 Notre Vue Estate Pinot Noir	Russian River Valley	Grown, Produced and Bottled	Certified Sustainable	Double Gold	96	Bright! Raspberry, blueberry notes with a delightful hint of spice.
2022 Notre Vue Estate Pinot Noir	Sonoma County, Russian River Valley	Estate Grown, Produced and Bottled		Gold	91	Earthy with dark red fruit; spicy finish; cardamom

## Oak Farm Vineyards

2020 Oak Farm Vineyards Raffaele (Red Blend)	Lodi, Mokelumne River	Estate Grown, Produced and Bottled	Certified Sustainable under Lodi Rules	Best of Class	95	Pomegranate seeds, leather, cotton, olives, dark cocoa. Red onion soup.
2021 Oak Farm Vineyards Sangiovese	Lodi, Mokelumne River	Estate Grown, Produced and Bottled	Certified Green & Sustainable under Lodi Rules	Best of Class	92	Nice balance. Bright acidity. Cherry soda. Good tannin. Lively. Gentle tobacco note on finish.
2020 Oak Farm Vineyards Raffaele (Red Blend)	Lodi, Mokelumne River	Estate Grown, Produced and Bottled	Certified Sustainable under Lodi Rules	Double Gold	95	Pomegranate seeds, leather, cotton, olives, dark cocoa. Red onion soup.
2021 Oak Farm Vineyards Sangiovese	Lodi, Mokelumne River	Estate Grown, Produced and Bottled	Certified Green & Sustainable under Lodi Rules	Gold	92	Nice balance. Bright acidity. Cherry soda. Good tannin. Lively. Gentle tobacco note on finish.
2023 Oak Farm Vineyards Sauvignon Blanc (Classic Series)	Lodi		Certified Green & Sustainable under Lodi Rules	Gold	93	Tropical, rich.

## Ojai Pacific View

2021 Ojai Pacific View Dolcetto	California			Gold	93	Pleasant. Woodsy depth. Plum. Lilac floral. Dark chocolate.
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## ONEHOPE

2021 ONEHOPE Winery Exclusive Cabernet Franc	Napa Valley		Winery Exclusive	Best of Class	93	Chocolate, oak, roundness on the mid palate
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## Onesta Wines

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2021 Onesta Wines Cinsault	Lodi	Single Vineyard	Bechthold Vineyard	Double Gold	95	Pop rocks. Black licorice. Zesty lifted palate.
<b>Passaggio Wines</b>						
2023 Passaggio Wines Sangiovese Bianco	Sonoma Valley	Single Vineyard	Albini Vineyards	Double Gold	97	Shockingly beautiful. Floral notes, great finish. Good minerality, white cherry, great acid.
2023 Passaggio Wines Cabernet Franc Blanc	Sonoma	Unoaked		Double Gold	95	Summer melon; Clean finish; pleasant palate
<b>Pedroncelli</b>						
2021 Pedroncelli Sangiovese	Dry Creek Valley	Single Vineyard	Home Ranch Vineyard	Gold	90	Well composed. Uniformity on palate.
2023 Pedroncelli Rose	Dry Creek Valley	Single Vineyard	Bushnell Vineyard	Gold	92	Dried fruit and pleasing finish
2021 Pedroncelli Cabernet Sauvignon	Dry Creek Valley		Block 007	Gold	90	Good with food, black cherry, cassis.
<b>Pennyroyal Farm</b>						
2023 Pennyroyal Farm PinoTrio	Anderson Valley	Estate Grown & Bottled		Double Gold	98	Direct, full bodied, white peach, great texture, vibrant acidity, minerals and natural spices.
2022 Pennyroyal Farm Anyhow Blanc	Anderson Valley	Estate Grown & Bottled		Gold	93	Lovely blend, refreshing, luscious, lingering dry finish and well crafted.
2023 Pennyroyal Farm Sauvignon Blanc	Anderson Valley	Estate Grown & Bottled		Gold	93	Jasmine, Asian spice, very interesting wine.
2022 Pennyroyal Farm Chardonnay	Anderson Valley	Estate Grown & Bottled	Hammer Olsen Vineyard	Gold	91	Really nice lemons - bitter lemon peel; Green pineapple; Zippy
2023 Pennyroyal Farm Pinot Noir Rosé	Anderson Valley	Estate Grown & Bottled		Gold	91	Candy fruit on the nose; delightfully refreshing; Great summer "go to"
2021 Pennyroyal Farm Pinot Noir	Anderson Valley	Estate Reserve, Estate Bottled	Monty In Vineyard	Gold	92	Currant, raspberry; Soft finish with medium complexity; crowd pleaser
<b>Perri Jaye Vineyards</b>						
2021 Perri Jaye Vineyards Pinot Noir	Sonoma County, Russian River Valley	Estate		Best of Class	97	Delightful dark fruit with subtle hints of spice followed by a clean finish

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2021 Perri Jaye Vineyards Pinot Noir	Sonoma County, Russian River Valley	Estate		Double Gold	97	Delightful dark fruit with subtle hints of spice followed by a clean finish
<b>Poema</b>						
NV Poema Cava Brut Rosado	Cava DO			Gold	90	Berries, cherries, supple and quaffable.
<b>Rack &amp; Riddle</b>						
NV Rack & Riddle Blanc de Noirs	Sonoma County	Method Champenoise		Double Gold	95	Crowd pleaser, rich, ripe golden apple
NV Rack & Riddle Blanc de Blancs	North Coast	Method Champenoise		Gold	91	Crisp pear, citrus, balanced and lively
<b>Raymond Vineyards</b>						
2021 Raymond Vineyards Reserve Selection Cabernet Sauvignon	Napa Valley			Gold	91	Dark rich fruit, tobacco. Dark fruit and oak impact.
<b>Robert Renzoni Vineyards and Winery</b>						
2023 Robert Renzoni Vineyards and Winery Vermentino	Temecula Valley			Double Gold	97	Great spicy, white peach, aromatic, lychee, minerality, well made.
<b>Rosa Fierro Cellars</b>						
2022 Rosa Fierro Cellars Delicada Rosa	Livermore Valley	Single Vineyard	Fong Vineyard	Gold	93	Creamy mouthfeel. Fresh stone fruit. Well balanced finish.
2022 Rosa Fierro Cellars Savvy	Livermore Valley	Single Vineyard	Sunol Highlands Vineyard	Gold	90	Honey.
2020 Rosa Fierro Cellars Call me a Cab	Livermore Valley	Single Vineyard	Thatcher Bay Vineyard	Gold	92	Cherry fruit, tangy and nice. Red fruit, and citrus.
2020 Rosa Fierro Cellars Sola	Livermore Valley	Single Vineyard	Ziganti Vineyard	Gold	93	Green leaves, cherry cassis, cola notes and ripe fruits.
<b>San Sebastian Winery</b>						
NV San Sebastian Winery Blanc De Fleur	Florida	Method Champenoise		Best of Class	96	Silky, bananas, sherbet and juicy.
NV San Sebastian Winery Port - Ruby	American			Best of Class	96	Pink peppercorn. Raspberry pecan Danish. Soft herbal notes.

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NV San Sebastian Winery Port - Ruby	American			Double Gold	96	Pink peppercorn. Raspberry pecan Danish. Soft herbal notes.	
NV San Sebastian Winery Blanc De Fleur	Florida			Double Gold	96	Silky, bananas, sherbet and juicy.	
<b>Sean Minor</b>							
2023 Sean Minor Rose, California Series	California			Gold	92	Subtle red fruit; Well balanced; Nice bright acidity	
2022 Sean Minor Grenache - Rossi Ranch, Invited Series	Sonoma Valley		Invited Series	Gold	91	Strawberry, annis, black pepper, nice structure.	
<b>SEPPI</b>							
2018 SEPPI Brut Rosé	California		Methode Traditionnelle	Best of Class	90	Nutty, toasty, blanched almonds. Lovely.	
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<b>Silverado</b>							
2023 Silverado Miller Ranch Sauvignon Blanc	Yountville		Single Vineyard	Miller Ranch Vineyard	Gold	92	pineapple, citrus.
<b>St. Francis</b>							
2022 St. Francis Martinelli Vineyard Chardonnay	Russian River Valley			Artisan Collection	Best of Class	97	Very well balanced; Nice wet stone; yellow peach and apple. Pretty nose. Gorgeous mouth feel; Sage with a slight herbal note; Complex
2023 St. Francis Rose Wine	Sonoma County			Artisan Collection	Best of Class	92	Fresh strawberry, orange peel. Floral nose. Warm climate. Salmon colored.
2022 St. Francis Martinelli Vineyard Chardonnay	Russian River Valley			Artisan Collection	Double Gold	97	Very well balanced; Nice wet stone; yellow peach and apple. Pretty nose. Gorgeous mouth feel; Sage with a slight herbal note; Complex
2022 St. Francis River East Vineyard Pinot Noir	Russian River Valley			Artisan Collection	Gold	93	Great mouth feel with a good finish
2020 St. Francis Wild Oak Vineyard Petite Sirah	Sonoma Valley			Artisan Collection	Gold	92	Bright plum, nice balanced tannins. Balanced flavors and ideal finish.

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2023 St. Francis Rose Wine	Sonoma County	Artisan Collection	Gold	92	Fresh strawberry, orange peel. Floral nose. Warm climate. Salmon colored.	
<b>Starr</b>						
2022 Starr Inertia	Sierra Foothills		Best of Class	94	Cherry fruit and oak. Red fruit and citrus	
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<b>Taylors</b>						
2023 Taylors Taylor Made Pinot Noir Rosé	Australia, Adelaide Hills		Best of Class	98	Classic bright and food friendly; Lively finish	
2023 Taylors Taylor Made Pinot Noir Rosé	Australia, Adelaide Hills		Best of Show Rosé Wine	98	Classic bright and food friendly; Lively finish	
2023 Taylors Taylor Made Pinot Noir Rosé	Australia, Adelaide Hills		Double Gold	98	Classic bright and food friendly; Lively finish	
<b>Thousand Islands Winery</b>						
NV Thousand Islands Winery La Crescent Spritz	New York		Best of Class	90	Tropical fruit, vanilla pudding and creamy.	
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<b>Trotter 1/16 Winery</b>						
2021 Trotter 1/16 Winery Cabernet Franc	Napa Valley	Barrel Aged	Cadden Vineyard	Gold	92	Nose of berries and Santa Rosa Plums.
2021 Trotter 1/16 Winery Cabernet Sauvignon	Napa County, Coombsville	Barrel Aged	Flying J's Vineyard	Gold	94	Bright dark fruit. Perfectly balanced.
<b>Tsuki Sake</b>						
NV Tsuki Sake Super Moon Junmai Daiginjo	Salt Lake County			Gold	92	Sweet, floral, apricot, grapey, millet grain, balanced.
<b>Vineyard of Pasterick</b>						
2020 Vineyard of Pasterick Syrah	Dry Creek Valley	Estate Bottled & Produced	Sonoma County	Gold	90	Dark fruit, with a touch of leather. Very well balanced. Great winemaking.
<b>Wakefield Taylors Wines</b>						
2022 Wakefield Taylors Wines Estate Shiraz	Australia, Clare Valley			Best of Class	91	luscious dark fruit with solid tannins and a pleasing finish
2023 Wakefield Taylors Wines Estate Riesling	South Australia			Best of Class	94	Lime. Petroleum.

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2021 Wakefield Taylors Wines St Andrews Cabernet Sauvignon	Australia, Clare Valley			Gold	92	True Aussie cabernet characteristics. Eucalyptus and spice lead to a smooth and satisfying finish
2022 Wakefield Taylors Wines Estate Shiraz	Australia, Clare Valley			Gold	91	luscious dark fruit with solid tannins and a pleasing finish
2023 Wakefield Taylors Wines Estate Riesling	South Australia			Gold	94	Lime. Petroleum.
<b>Whitehaven</b>						
2023 Whitehaven Sauvignon Blanc	Marlborough			Best of Class	97	Herbal, green bell pepper, very pleasant wine.
2023 Whitehaven Sauvignon Blanc	Marlborough			Double Gold	97	Herbal, green bell pepper, very pleasant wine.
<b>Wood Family Vineyards</b>						
2021 Wood Family Vineyards "The Captain"	Livermore Valley	Barrel Aged		Best of Class	97	Plum and menthol; dark cocoa powder; Lilac aromatic; lavender
2023 Wood Family Vineyards Sauvignon Blanc Stainless Steel Aged	Livermore Valley	Unoaked	Stainless-Steel Aged	Double Gold	95	Rich, herbal tea, mineral.
2021 Wood Family Vineyards "The Captain"	Livermore Valley	Barrel Aged		Double Gold	97	Plum and menthol; dark cocoa powder; Lilac aromatic; lavender
2021 Wood Family Vineyards "Viva" Cabernet Sauvignon	Livermore Valley	Barrel Aged		Gold	91	Tart entry, lingering finish. Green beans, cassis and olives.
2021 Wood Family Vineyards Cabernet Franc	Livermore Valley	Barrel Aged		Gold	92	Black cherry, oak, sturdy tannins; Slightly herbal; light toast
2021 Wood Family Vineyards "Woody's Cab" Cabernet Sauvignon	Livermore Valley	Barrel Aged		Gold	92	Nice acid, dark fruit and toast oak