annual BrightWines "below wholesale" Winter Sale	retail	WHOLESALE	BWS-25	savings	TASTING NOTES: WS = Wine Spectator, DM = Decanter
BWS-25 printer format LANDSCAPE for best view	price	published COST	per bottle	off retail	WE=WineEnthusiast, RP=WineAdvocate, VM=Vinous/Galloni et al
BROQUEL (Trapiche) 2022 Mendoza MALBEC	\$16	\$12.00	\$10.83	32%	91 pts JS, magenta/purple, berries bright and dark, subtle mocha
Bec Hardy 2019 "Pertaringa" Cabernet Sauvignon	\$17	\$12.00	\$11.67	31%	92 pts Wine Enthusiast "delivers in a big way" (McLaren Vale)
Capo Nativo 2023 Chile Sauvignon Blanc	\$12	\$10.00	\$9.99	17%	fresh and lively, touch of grassy mineral and good citrus zest
"The Verve" South Australia 2016 SHIRAZ-Mataro	\$19	\$13.33	\$10.97	42%	89-92 pts "cherries, blood orange, dark chocolate, mint, earth" WE
Gris Marin 2023 (sable de camargue, Languedoc) Rose	\$12	\$9.00	\$8.33	31%	perennial favorite French summertime Rose, fresh but end-of-vintage
Bodegas Marin 2021 Carinena (Spain) Garnacha	\$12	special purchase	\$9.99	17%	Grenache "featuring black cherry, cocoa and herb notes" Decanter
Elk Cove 2023 Willamette Valley ROSE of Pinot Noir	\$20	\$13.33	\$12.99	35%	very classy dry Rose from a great Willamette producer, end of vintage
"The Aviator" Red (Flying Cloud) 2021 Paso Robles red	\$20	special purchase	\$16.99	15%	smooth red blend, fun mix of Pinot Noir with Zin and Petite
Les Carrieres de Mezy 2021 cuvee reserve SANCERRE	\$30	\$21.33	\$19.99	33%	100% Sauv Blanc, impressive, powerful, and deep, drinking at-peak
Tunella 2021 Fruili Pinot Nero (pinot noir)	\$22	\$16.67	\$16.67	24%	bright & juicy, berries & cream, classy Pinot Noir rated 90 JS, 88WS
"Les Lauzeries" 2023 Tavel	\$20	\$14.00	\$13.97	30%	fabulous rose! pinnacle of Cotes du Rhone roses, current vintage!!
Toad Hollow 2022 Mendocino Merlot	\$16	special purchase	\$13.33	17%	92 pts Wine Enthusiast! full rich "plum, boysenberry, notes of violets"
Scaia 2021 Corvina Rosso	\$17	\$13.00	\$12.99	24%	drinks like modern easygoing Ripasso Valpolicella, 100% Corvina too
Scaia 2023 Venezie Bianco	\$17	\$13.00	\$12.99	24%	drinks like modern, lively, melons-and-citrus style of Soave Classico
Bodegas Exopto 2022 Rioja	\$19	\$13.33	\$13.33	30%	91 pts RP "juicy and approachable" 60% Garnacha 35% Tempranillo
Shane "Constant Disruption" 2019 Paso Robles Zinfandel	\$24	\$18.00	\$17.99	25%	70-year old vines from Paso's cooler west side, smooth and classy
Vaeni cooperative 2017 Xinomavro Naoussa	\$13	special purchase	\$9.99	23%	compare to Nebbilolo "hits way above it's price tag" red garnet, plum
Marin 2023 Carinena (Spain) Garnacha Blanca	\$12	special purchase	\$9.99	17%	this fun "white Rhone" Spanish white reminds of Ocnautic (ask me)
Babich 2023 "black label" Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc	\$16	special purchase	\$12.50	22%	new vintage of a fave "classic (and unmistakeable) Marlborough" W.E.
Mastroberardino 2019 Lacryma Christi del Vesuvio Rosso	\$24	\$16.67	\$12.99	46%	mineral and tart cherry, only 12.5% abv, classic wood-fired pizza red
Bollig-Lehnert 2017 Mosel Goldtropfchen spatlese Riesling	\$22	\$14.00	\$12.99	41%	"lime zest, dried herb and stone lemon flavors honeyed wine" WE
Mastroberardino 2022 Lacryma Christi del Vesuvio Bianco	\$22	\$16.00	\$12.99	41%	MORE ARRIVES NEXT WEEK bone dry stoney seafood white
Fattoria Pagano 2019 Campania IGT rosso Aglianico	\$20	\$13.33	\$12.99	35%	drinks like Sangiovese with darker fruit tones and volcanic shadings
Fattoria Pagano 2021 Campania IGT bianco Falanghina	\$20	\$13.33	\$12.99	35%	famed seafood white of southern Italy, stoney but with depth of fruit
Georges Duboeuf 2024 Beaujolais-Villages nouveau		last 8 btls	\$12.99		the last of a pretty good Nouveau season, Wine Spectator liked it
Carol Shelton "Coquille Rouge" 2018 Red Blend	\$25	\$18.00	\$16.67	33%	Carignan, Grenache, Alicante Bouschet, Petite Sirah blend, 93 W.E.
Carol Shelton central coast "Coquille Rouge" 2020 Red	\$27	\$18.00	\$17.99	33%	91 points WE "lavish in so many ways" old vine M/C/PS/G blend
Skouras 2021 Nemea - Aghioritiko "Saint George"	\$23	special purchase	\$17.99	22%	French oak-aged "black-cherry notes on the nose, velvety tannins" 89 pts WE
P.S. GARCIA 2017 "Bravado" Red (Itata, Chile)	\$26	last bottle	\$20.83	20%	Languedoc style from Chile, rated 90-94 pts by 5 different magazines
Marakounis 2022 "En Arhi" Cabernet Franc	\$24	special purchase	\$21.67	10%	modern, light, smooth, from 35 year Cabernet Franc vines on Cyprus
Fincas Valdemacuco 2021 Ribera del Duero crianza	\$26	special purchase	\$21.99	15%	100% Tempranillo, french barrel oak aged for bold modern richness
Chateau de Cruzeau 2022 Pessac Leognan blanc	\$40	last bottle	\$27.99	30%	Gold Medal in Paris, lush and luscious white Bordeaux, 91 pts DM
Beckmen 2021 Santa Ynez, Calif Cabernet Sauvignon	\$40	last 2 btls	\$27.99		92 pts VM, limited stock, "inky dark fruit, plenty of complicating earth"
Cotswolds "Christmas Gin" (750ml) British Dry GIN		last 6 btls	\$39.99		last of the Xmas stock, it sold like the Dickens, classy and complex
Domaine Maubernard 2023 Bandol rosé		last 2 btls	\$29.99		91 pts Decanter, "impressively vibrant" pink made by a Bandol icon
Domaine de la Sarazinière 2021 Pouilly-Fuisse	\$37	special purchase	\$29.99 NOW	19%	92 points Tim Atkin, dry and flavorful (and famous) "White Burgundy"
Retail prices are from Wine Spectator, Robert Parker's Wine Advocate,					BWS-25 wines are limited to stock on hand (some are very limited)
Wine Enthusiast, or may be local retail estimates from wholesale cost;			through		prices listed are per-bottle, no further case discounts unless noted
and do not necessarily reflect BrightWines previous newsletter prices			Feb 17th		MORE ON PAGE TWO: "Bin Ends" & "Sold Out" (end of the list)

PAGE TWO		BWS-25 per bottle	TASTING NOTES: WS = Wine Spectator JS = James Suckling
use LANDSCAPE printer option for best view CLEARANCE and/or "Bin Ends" of BrightWines stock	stock	per bottle	WE=WineEnthusiast, RP=WineAdvocate, VM=Vinous/Galloni/Tanzer "Everything Must Go" - SOME of these are true "RARITIES"
La Cappuccina 2020 "Madego Rosso" Cabernet blend	4 btls	\$12.99	Rosso Veneto from Italy, a dry and earthy Cab/Merlot/Carmenere
Lucchetti 2022 Verdicchio dei Castelli di Jesi	last bottle	\$12.99	bone dry and salty white from the Marche, a favorite last summer
"Warp and Weft" Red Blend (South Africa)	4 btls	\$15.99	drinks like northern Rhone meets Aussie, last of stock from 20 cases
Stella Rosa "Rosso" (scratch and dent) \$10 - \$12 retail	5 btls	\$4.99	red wine version of Moscato? fizzy and sweet, but very, very popular
Stella Rosa "Berry" (scratch and dent) \$10 - \$12 retail	6 btls	\$4.99	try serving Stella Rosa at a church fundraiser or wedding, etc
BWS-25 *SOLD OUT ITEMS* (the end of the list)			
Domaine Pelaquie 2022 Cotes du Rhone		sold out	50% Syrah / 50% Grenache, vineyards in/near Laudun CdR villages
Dreolino 2020 Chianti Rufina		sold out	90% Sangiovese, a classic style of Chianti from hills of Rufina
Les Hauts de Barville 2021 Chateuneuf du Pape blanc		sold out	rare white Rhone, 91 pts Wine Spectator "Drink now through 2026"
Husch 2020 Mendocino Chardonnay		sold out	90 pts WE "minimum of oak spice full-bodied, juicy, generous"
Three Wine Co. (Matt Cline) 2020 Contra Costa Zinfandel		sold out	red fruited medium-bodied style of Zin with cranberry/raspberry and spic
La Cabotte 2021 "colline" Cotes du Rhone		sold out	88 pts Wine Spect. Grenache/Mourvedre/Syrah, peppery dark fruits
"Wild Thing" (Carol Shelton) 2021 Viognier		sold out	90 points Wine Spectator, very classy yet fun too (painted label)
L'Ecole 41 2023 Yakima old vines Chenin Blanc		sold out	91 pts Wine Enthusiast, new release, MORE SOON at Como ???
Runquist 2021 "R" Amador Barbera		sold out	full-bodied, well-oaked, Jeff Runquist's flagship big red, limited stock
Chateau de Cruzeau 2019 Pessac Leognan rouge		sold out	90 VM "impeccable and absolutely delicious" 90 WE, 93 DM, 91 JS
Balcon de Pilatos 2020 Maturana Rioja		sold out	96 pts Wine Enthusiast, a real show-stopper, 100% varietal Maturana
Senorio de P. Pecina 2017 Rioja Crianza		sold out	91 points RP, serious full-bodied Crianza that is just now hitting peak
Chateau Tour de Mons 2020 Margaux		sold out	92 JS, 92 JD, "Another gem of a wine" by famed Chateau Labegorce
Warre's 2010 late bottled Vintage Porto		sold out	92 pts Wine Enthusiast, "a very fine Port perfectly ready to drink"
Indaba (South Africa) 2020 Chenin Blanc		sold out	dry, crisp with stoney pineapple tones, "Best Buy" Wine Enthusiast
G.D. Vajra 2022 Langhe Rosso		sold out	elegant and classy, ready-to-drink blend from a TOP winery in Barolo
Uccelliera 2020 "Rapace" Rosso Toscana		sold out	Super-Tuscan red by great Brunello winery, 93 pts JS and 92 pts RP
Dei (Tuscany) 2019 Vino Nobile di Montepulciano		sold out	Wine Spectator "Top 100" list 93 WS, 93 JS, 93 Decanter
Coto de Imaz 2017 Rioja Gran Reserva		sold out	(retail \$35) 91 pts JS "Pronounced and complex better after 2025"
Maidenstoen 2019 dry Riesling		sold out	93 points WE, single vineyard DRY Riesling from California
Varvaglione 2019 "Papale" Primitivo di Manduria		sold out	top-tier (\$36 retail) Primitivo from the heart of the best zone 90 pts JS
SCRATCH - and - DENT "Rags to Riches" cases, etc		sold out	"Scratch and Dent" wines from the Sneak Preview weekend sold out
Montecillo Rioja Crianza		sold out	"Scratch and Dent" wines from the Sneak Preview weekend sold out
"Bread and Butter" wines, Chard, Cab, Merlot, and Pinot		sold out	"Scratch and Dent" wines from the Sneak Preview weekend sold out
Trapiche "oak barrel" Cabernet		sold out	"Scratch and Dent" wines from the Sneak Preview weekend sold out
Silk and Spice "spice road" red		sold out	"Scratch and Dent" wines from the Sneak Preview weekend sold out
Phantom Red		sold out	"Scratch and Dent" wines from the Sneak Preview weekend sold out
Wente "Riva Ranch" Chardonnay		sold out	"Scratch and Dent" wines from the Sneak Preview weekend sold out
Chateau Bernard Magrez 2019 Saint Estephe		sold out	93 VM, 92-93 points by JS, RP, JD, and 94 pts Decanter

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e-mail orders preferred, through Feb 17th

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