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September Selections

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Package No. 1: Cellar Essentials

REDS:

ANGELS GATE WINERY 2002 CABERNET
A magnificent blend of 68% Cabernet Franc with 32% Cabernet Sauvignon. This well structured wine is laden with plum and blackberry with hints of vanilla. \$18.95

STREWN 2001 TERROIR MERLOT
A voluptuous, well made Merlot with lovely cherry and vanilla nuances. Considerable tannins ensure that this will age well for the next two to three years. \$24.95

WHITES:

CILENTO WINES 2000 RESERVE CHARDONNAY
A big, blustery Californian style Chardonnay. Rich in aromas of butterscotch and toffee, with hints of banana and coconut. This is a mature wine and is an absolute pleasure to drink right now! \$24.95

CREEKSIDE ESTATE 2002 PINOT GRIS
2003 Ontario Wine Award Winner
Balance is the key word for this wine. It is generously rich, yet harmonious with golden pear and grapefruit aromas. \$15.95

\$84⁸⁰ Case of 4 as shown, also available as all red or all white, visit www.wineconnection.ca or call us for details.



Package No. 2: Critic's Picks

REDS:

CREEKSIDE ESTATE 2000 PINOT NOIR
Score: 90/100
This is a classic Ontario Pinot Noir with good balance between fruit and oak. In addition to ripe cherries and smoky spice on the nose, it offers a complex peppery character that defines the greatest examples of this variety. \$15.95

VINELAND ESTATES 2002 CABERNET FRANC
Score: 87/100
Outstanding fruit! Aromas of cherries and chocolate, hints of licorice and mint. \$12.95

WILLOW HEIGHTS 2000 GAMAY NOIR
Score: 86/100
Back by popular demand! The nose is the essence of pure, ripe raspberries – this wine has quickly become a staff favourite – try it slightly chilled. \$10.95

WHITES:

VINELAND ESTATES 2001 GEWURZTRAMINER
Score: 86/100
A delicate example of Gewurztraminer, showing aromas of spiced apples and peaches with a hint of lychee fruit. The latter is particularly characteristic of this exotic variety. \$11.95

REIF ESTATE 2002 TROLLINGER-RIESLING
Score: 87/100
This is a wonderfully aromatic wine. Fresh flowers, tangerine and fresh peaches leap out of the glass in this off-dry refresher. \$14.95

LAKEVIEW CELLARS 2001 PINOT BLANC
Score: 88/100
A zesty, spicy character with a hint of almond defines this wine. It has wonderful apple, pear and pineapple aromas in a well balanced, crisp and clean style reminiscent of the fine wines of Alsace, France. \$10.95

\$77⁷⁰ Case of 6 as shown, also available as all red or all white, visit www.wineconnection.ca or call us for details



Package No. 3: House Selections

CHATEAU DES CHARMES 2000 CABERNET
A rich bouquet of blackcurrant, cherries and cinnamon. Smooth & velvety, a true crowd pleaser. \$9.95

CHATEAU DES CHARMES 2000 CHARDONNAY/PINOT GRIS
The Chardonnay shows its signature rich butterscotch, the Pinot Gris adds lovely hints of melon. \$9.95

\$59⁷⁰ Case of 6 as shown, also available as all red or all white, visit www.wineconnection.ca or call us for details.



Bonus: Just Add Gold!

As an additional bonus we are offering this exclusive dessert wine from the highly acclaimed Cave Spring Cellars winery.

TWENTY VALLEY 2001 SELECT LATE HARVEST VIDAL
A wonderfully hedonistic dessert wine, with ripe apricot and orange marmalade aromas. This wine was bottled specially for Berry Brothers & Rudd, one of the oldest and most esteemed British wine merchants, and for Wine Connection – your source for the fine and rare wines of Ontario. \$16.95

Add one bottle to any case ordered.

\$16⁹⁵

Meet the Wine Connection Experts



THE WINE CRITICS
Gordon Stimmell (Toronto Star) and Dan Kislenko (Hamilton Spectator)

Each month, our expert wine critics taste hundreds of samples submitted by Ontario wineries. They taste the wines blind and score them on an objective scale. We place the top scoring wines into "tasting packages" and offer them to you, our readers – and your friends!



Together with our Sommelier, Bob Blumer has written recipes for each of this month's featured wines, like Lemon-Glazed Chicken Popsicles. Recipes are available exclusively at Wine Connection. Watch all-new episodes of Surreal Gourmet on Food Network Canada, debuting October 9th at 8pm ET/PT.

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