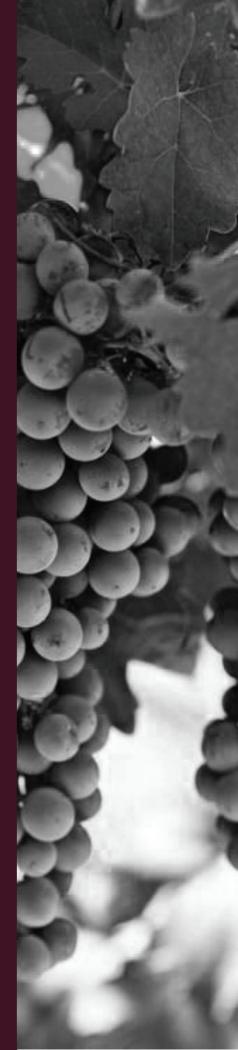


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2021 PORTFOLIO

"Celebrating 41 Years of Family Business"

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# **OUR STORY**

Manfred Bauer is the Owner and CEO of Wein-Bauer Inc, one of the leading importers of Austrian and German wine. Manfred personally travels the globe to bring to the marketplace special wines and spirits that are among the best in the world.

Born in Stockerau, Austria, Manfred spent most of his childhood and early years working in his father's winery. In 1980, he founded Wein-Bauer, Inc. located in Franklin Park, Illinois. For years, Manfred traveled between Europe and the U.S. to lead and direct his business here and abroad. In 1984, he relocated full time to the United States to hands-on manage his quickly expanding import company. Manfred soon saw the potential to fill a market niche in the United States through the importation of fine European wines, spirits, and beers.

Today, Wein-Bauer operates as a family business with regional offices on both coasts and in Wisconsin as well as brokers in key states to ensure Wein-Bauer can properly service their country-wide distribution network.



# <sup>E</sup>Escondida

# FINCA LA ESCONDIDA

#### FROM BODEGAS LA ROSA

Bodegas La Rosa finds inspiration in it's vision to be the most versatile and dynamic winery. To achieve this goal they have developed an innovative proposal that combines a core portfolio with a wide range of brand concepts.

The core portfolio includes the brand Finca La Escondida. Finca La Escondida Varietals have an outstanding performance in the market.
Bodegas La Rosa's brand concept
portfolio results from their continuous effort to better understand our
customer needs and emerging consumer trends. This dynamic range of
concepts is targeted to different and
specific consumer segments and is in
constant evolution.



## ARGENTINA

# CEPAS PRIVADAS

#### FROM GRUPO PENAFLOR

Grupo Peñaflor is an Argentine company founded in 1904 by a family of Italian immigrants to produce table wines and other drinks with and without alcohol.

At the end of the 90s, Grupo Peñaflor changed the focus of its business and decided to specialize in the production of fine wines. At that time, the company gave a strong boost to the exports of all its products, thus entering new markets to offer

quality Argentine wines and outstanding reputation.

In 2010, the Bemberg Family acquires the entire stock of Grupo Peñaflor, a milestone that marks the beginning of a cycle of great expansion for the company, based on the commitment to the sustained development of the Argentine wine industry, the significant investments, the growth of exports and the excellent reputation of its brands.



## AUSTRIA





# ESTERHAZY ESTATE

The history of the House of Esterházy goes back to the 13th century. The princely line was founded in 1687 by Emperor Leopold I.

Wine-growing has been in the genes of the House of Esterházy for more than 250 years, and it has evolved to today's standard with the opening in 2006 of the new winery, with its state of the art equipment and presentation rooms near Eisenstadt.

Esterhay has produced most of their wines from the Leithaberg DAC, where they own roughly 80 hectares. The Esterhazy Estate was the first European winery to recieve a B-Corp Certification





# AUSTRIA



WEINGUT



#### **WINE ENTHUSIAST**

Grüner Veltliner 91 pts.

Zweigelt 90 pts.

Blaufränkisch 92 pts.

Pinot Noir 90 pts.

Pinot Noir Rosé 89 pts.



## KISS: GUSTAV KLIMT Wine Enthusiast

Klimt Grüner Veltliner **88 pts.**Kiss Red Blend



Leithaberg Blaufränkisch 93 pts.
Leithaberg Chardonnay 92 pts.





Pinot Blanc Chardonnay Blaufränkisch Blaufränkisch Rosé



## AUSTRIA

# MO-VELT FROM ESTERHAZY ESTATE

**GRUNER VELTLINER** 

MO-VELT

Mo-Velt is 100% Grüner Veltliner from Burgenland, grown predominetely in limestone soil. Mo-Velt stands for "Mozart's Veltliner", as the artwork is an homage to Mozart on his 250th birthday. It is a live portrait by Adi Holzer.

Adi Holzer was born in
Stockerau near Vienna in
1936 and finished his
studies at the Akademie
der bildenden Künste in
Vienna in 1960. He is
married to a Dane and
has lived in Denmark
since 1962.

He has strongly marked several churches, public buildings, and institutions in his commissions in Denmark, Germany, and Austria.

Holzer is very well founded as he expresses himself in paintings, glass mosaics, ethching, lithography and silkscreen. A confrontation with Adi Holzer is a confrontation with a richly facetted, world-open artist, a confrontation that can bring the matter to mind and light into a dismal day.

## Wine Spectator

Mo-Velt Grüner Veltliner 88 pts.



## **CALIFORNIA**

# **BAUER THIRTY5**

In collaboration with Prescion Wine Company - Napa, California

Thirty5 is a tribute to 35 years of entrepreneurship. It is a wine created for those who are pioneers in their craft, lives, and community.

Thirty5 is proof that triumph is the result of patience and persistence through adversity. This wine was created to inspire and celebrate the journey of life. A wine made to cheers all the success, struggles, and courage.

Manfred Bauer started Wein-Bauer in 1980, in a foreign country, speaking a foreign language determined to represent his family's winery and legacy in America. Through all the struggles Manfred never folded, saying to his mother, "I won't come home a loser." Manfred's customers supported him through the most difficult years, believing and trusting him.

We created Thirty5, six years ago, as an homage to our new home. Our first ever domestic project. From our family to yours, Prost!

"Our 2018 Cabernet Sauvignon opens with enticing aromas of dark fruit and cocoa. Blackberry, black licorice and oak flavors envelop the palate with hints of warm mulling spices and chocolate. Complex and powerful, this wine has a long, luxurious finish."



## FRANCE



# POL CLEMENT

Founded by Eugene Charmat revolutionary behind the Charmat Methode

Compagnie Française des Grands Vins (CFGV) was founded in 1909. With over 100 years of history, Compagnie Française des Grands Vins is today the largest sparkling wines producer in France.

Pol Clément sparkling wine is produced according to the Charmat process by second natural fermentation in cuve close. The base wines are carefully selected and treated before fermentation. Then they receive an addition of sugar and yeasts creating the formation of bubbles. After fermentation, the wines are filtered before bottling.



A tantalizing French sparkling wine. A full suite of white grapes - Ugni Blanc, Folle Blanche, Menu Pinot, Chenin Blanc, and Sauvignon Blanc have contributed in their own unique way to this stylish blanc de blancs. Light yellow, pale gold with very fine bubbles. Fresh on the nose, with floral notes. Rich and full on the palate - an extended finish of fruity notes, showing a clean mineral and citrus.







#### ROSE

A nice pink robe with bright glints. Light and delicate red fruit aromas. Lasting flavors of red berries: mellow and well-balanced.

#### **BRUT**

Pale yellow color. Nice cordon of bubbles. Delicate bouquet with a hint of apple and citrus aromas. Refreshing and pleasant wine.

## FRANCE

# VEUVE OLIVIER

Produced in South West France from classic wine varieties. Veuve Olivier is quickly becoming one of the absolute best bargain sparkling wines in the world, winning multiple gold medals from international writers with a retail price of under \$15.

Machine Harvest. The basic wine is fermented at a low temperature. The second fermentation takes place at 14°C for 2 weeks, followed by dosing. The Brut and Rosé are blends.

The soil for the Blanc are predominately chalk, while the Rose grows in clay & limestone.



#### **BRUT**

Pale yellow and elegant color with fine bubbles. A fruity and elegant sparkling wine, with aromas of fresh butter and cake. Fresh and harmonious sparkling wine.

#### ROSE

Stunning salmon pink tones. Intense and fine, dominated by notes of red berries. The combination of fine bubbles and delicate aromas makes this wine a delightfully light and silky rosé. Aromas of red berries like cherries and strawberries: mellow and well-balanced.





# ST. CHRISTOPHER



The St. Christopher wines comprise of some of the most exciting, unique and highest quality wines being produced in Germany.

St. Christopher offers highly rated Mosel wines like the Top 100 Piesporter Goldtröfchen Spatlese as well as old German classics likes Zeller Schwarze Katz and Liebfraumilch. Today the wines range from Rheinhessen
Gewurztraminer to
Holidays classics like,
Glühwein. The St.
Christopher project started
in 1992 as a collaboration
between Manfred Bauer
and Gunther Schlink with
the idea of sourcing the
best Germany has to offer
under one brand.









#### PIESPORTER GOLDTROPFCHEN

Piesporter Goldtröpfchen is renowned as one of the best Riesling sites in the world. St. Christopher is harvesting from 20 hectares of the famous steep slopes of the mosel. These vineyard's soil play a major role in the high quality rieslings they are able to product. The vines are under predominately blue slate soil which retain acid and heat.

St. Christopher Piesporter's are harvested contract growers encompassing a total of 20ha within the famous steep slopes of the slate covered Goltröpfchen vineyard designation. All wines are hand harvested, machine sorted and then made in stainless steel tanks. Temperature controlled fermentation with select yeast.

#### WINE ENTHUSIAST

Kabinett 89 pts. Best Buy Spätlese 89 pts. Best Buy Auslese 90 pts. Best Buy

## PIESPORTER MICHELSBERG

Piesporter Michelsberg Riesling is from the vineyards located in and around the small village of Piesport, harvested from a collection of individual plots.





# BAUER HAUS

Bauer Haus is located in the heart of the Rheinhessen in Germany. The Winery is committed to producing quality wines at the most affordable price. This value-driven brand offers an everyday style at an affordable price.

The Bauer Family has a deep rooted history in wine-making dating back to 1923. Below you can see the castle that is depicted on the label in an abstract form. The castle is burg kreuzenstein, located in Austria where the roots of the Bauer family's wine-making began.





#### sj MONTIGNY



# SJ MONTIGNY

A traditional winery with nature-oriented viticulture and modern cellar technology combined to create wines that express great originality and Terroir diversity. Our wines are as multifaceted as our vineyard sites: Bretzenheim, Bad Kreuznach, and Grebin.

Since 2009, our winery is at home In Bretzenheim, where our life and work are interconnected. If you want to produce wine with heart and soul, then these two things belong together. Most of our vineyards are just a stone's throw from our cellar.

We see each vineyard as an independent personality, which we treat with love and respect. We focus on the principles of nature-oriented viticulture. For us, the health of the soil is an essential factor, most importantly, the sustainable formation of humus, because vital vines can only prosper in healthy soil.

# WINE ENTHUSIAST. THE WORLD IN YOUR GLASS

Kreuznacher Mönchberg Riesling 92 pts.
Kreuznacher Steinberg Riesling 91 pts.
Gewürztraminer 89 pts.
Riesling Kabinett 89 pts.











# SCHLINK HAUS Rooted in family regarded as

Rooted in family tradition, since 1886 the Schlink family has been based in the hard of German wine country, The Nahe.

The Schlink family is on it's fifth generation of wine-making. With innovation and quality still at the forefront of this family winery that is

regarded as the first to bring on the blue bottle Riesling.

The winery was founded in 1886 by Josef Barthelmeh in the township of Wallhausen, in the Nahe River Valley.









# RIESLING

# WINE ENTHUSIAST. THE WORLD IN YOUR GLASS

Riesling QBA Best Buy

Kabinett 87 pts. Best Buy

Spätlese Best Buy

Auslese 87 pts. Best Buy





# **ORGANIC**

## WINE ENTHUSIAST.

Organic Dornfelder 87 pts.
Organic Riesling 88 pts.



Fruity Dornfelder unites the irresistible flavor of wonderful matured plums, juicy red berries and sun kissed sweet cherries to create a wine experience filled with unique fruitiness.

# **DESIRE**

The Desire wine collection was the first brand extension from the famous wine-making Schlink Family. This is a modernized take on the traditional German wine-making and packaging.

The motivation behind the brand is to draw a younger demographic and offer styles that are commonly produced in Germany, but not seen on an international level. Such as, dry

rieslings gewürztraminer, and grapes like regent.

Under the Gunther Schlink Desire label, the Schlink family produces Piesporters, Trocken, and Eiswein forms of Riesling. Experience Riesling in all possible styles through Desire Wine Collection





# JOSEF DRATHEN

The Drathen winery has been in family possession for over 100 years whose forefathers originated from the Netherlands making their way to the Moselle via Linz on the Rhine River.

The Peter Josef Drathen winery was founded in 1860 with its home in St. Aldegund and was renamed in 1927 as the Josef Drathen winery through the settlement of the estate. On the death of the founder Josef Drathen in 1939 the winery was run by his widow Else, her niece Grete Gesthüsen with her husband Hugo until 1969.

On 1 July 1969, the next generation represented by Arthur Gesthüsen, Dieter Gesthüsen, and Josef Zirwes took over and successfully ran the business for about 30 years. By using careful business policies it was possible to

open a completely new and modern wine-making facility in the business park on Zell-Barl in 1993.

Since 1996 the management of the business has been in the hands of the younger generation of the family represented by Tim Gesthüsen and Jürgen Zirwes.

## SCHLOSS KOBLENZ



## HUNGARY

# JOSEF DRATHEN

### BLAUFRANKISCH Kunsagi, Hungary

The grape flourishes in continental climate where hot summers and long, sunny autumn days offer ideal conditions for the buds to flower and ripen into the blue/purple buncheswhile on the vine. Our Blaufrankisch hails from the Kunsagi area of Hungary, found on the Alföld (great Hungarian plain) with its sun-drenched soils, the perfect vineyard area for this sweet, quaffable red wine. Some critics agree that Blaufränkisch shares similar tasting notes to that of the regal French varietal, Gamay (think Beaujolais) with which it has sometimes been confused. Both grapes craft a light to medium body wine of complex, slightly-ageable qualities.





#### BUDAHERZ "The Heart of Budapest"

Blaufränkisch- Low in tannins with a pronounced spicy character. Rich fruity flavors of wild blackberries and raspberries.

#### SCHLOSS KOBLENZ "The Castle of Koblenz"

Blaufränkisch- Delicate in scent this has aromas of bright cherry and violet. This semisweet blaufränkisch bursts on the palate with fresh red-cherry and strawberry flavors. Juicy and cheerful, it finishes with a hint of caramelized sugar.

#### PETER FREIMUTH

Pincebor Blaufränkisch- Light to medium body with cherry and ripe fig aromas. Hearty sweet wine flavors round out a velvety palate with supple tannins.

DONAUSONNE "The Sun of the Danube River" Blaufränkisch- This is a fruity, jammy wine with light mineral notes for balance.



## ITALY

# TRE FRATELLI

#### **STORY**

Tre Fratelli means "Three Brothers" and the label represents the three hillsides in Veneto where the grapes are grown. Tre Fratelli wines symbolize the finest traditions of Italian wine-making.

#### TASTING NOTES

A lively, dry, and crisp white wine, this grape variety has become the most popular choice for grilled seafood, poultry, and veal dishes in white sauce. The honey-pear, apple, and citrus flavors will invigorate your palate; the mellow finish with a hint of white pepper spice adds to its refreshing quality.

#### VINEYARD NOTES

Tre Fratelli is sourced from three hillside vineyards in the Veneto region of northeast Italy, the heartland of Pinot Grigio production. Hillside vineyards grant extra exposure to both sunshine and breezes that ensure healthy vines and grapes.

#### **VINIFICATION**

After harvest, the grapes are de-stemmed, crushed, and fermented. Temperature-controlled stainless steel vats are used to preserve the wine's fruit-forward, fresh and clean flavors.















# QUINTA NOVA

Quinta Nova de Nossa Senhora do Carmo is a place of extreme beauty in the heart of Douro valley. It is owned by Amorim family since 1999, and is now in the hands of the family's 4th generation.

With a story longer than 250 years, the property displays original structures and the original cellar from 1764. But the Quinta has a much earlier history

than this. The land's fist owner has been identified as the Portuguese Royal House in 1725.

An entrepreneur spirit and family vision are the driving forces of the Quinta Nova winery. Combined with a passionate commitment to the future, determined from the beginning of multiple changes to a path of oenological excellence.









## WINE ENTHUSIAST

Pomares Red 88 pts.
Pomares White 87 pts.
Terroir Reserva 91 pts.







# QUINTA DE S. SEBASTIAO SINCE 1755

# QUINTA DE S. SEBASTIAO

Quinta De S. Sebastião is located in a small town north of Lisbon called Arruda dos Vinhos, one of the sub-regions of the main region of Lisbon. Arruda dos Vinhos has a tradition of wine-making for over 1.000 years.

Quinta De S. Sebastião was founded in 1755, it has since played a major role in restoring tradition and infrastructure while making outstanding wines.

Today, Quinta has become globally recognized and

continues to grow under the current owner and Portuguese entrepreneur, Mr. Antonio Parente.

The beauty of the Quinta is a complex combination of mild climatic factors, sunny slopes, geographic location, proximity to the sea, protection of the mountain, and of course the people who live and take care of Quinta De S. Sebastião's lands and vineyards every day.

The winemaker is Filipe Sevinate Pinto who has been with the winery since 2012





#### Q.S.S. RARE

An award winning line that not only drinks well, but does well. Quinta De S. Sebastião has partnered with the lpl.pt to protect and preserve "rare" animals that are on the verge of extinction.



The vineyards are located on the highest peak of the property, at a 240 meter elevation. These wines have proven to be an exceptional value, embodying the best of Portugal.





QUINTA DE S. SEBASTIÃO

Proceeds from every bottle purchased will be donated. Consumers can scan the QR code on the back label to find out more.

#### FORTE DO CEGO

The name holds a very historical meaning. Quinta De S. Sebastiao is located along a ancient route, which defended Lisbon with 152 forts from French invasion. The Quintas name was actually dubbed "Forte De S. Sebastiao". Today these forts are diversely depicted on the label.



Q.S.S. Rare 89 pts. Best Buy

Miradouro Da Vinha **Best Buy** 

> Forte Do Cego **Best Buy**

## TURN ME

# TURN ME WINE

The Turn Me Collection was created to help people "Turn" into a certain style of wine drinker.

The Package is based on artwork done by the famous 1950's pin-up artist Alberto Vargas, the first pin-up artist published in Playboy and Esquire. A very classic vintage design, with screw cap closure for everyday drinking ability.

The Turn Me Wine collection is a series of wines that are all based on live models selected from our semi-annual "Look-alike" contest where consumers submit photos over social media for a chance to be the next "Model on the Bottle!" Followed by special appearances, bottle signing, and much more!



#### TURN ME RIESLING

Playful and refreshing. Delicate sweetness, fruit flavors and lively acidity gives it perfect balance and harmony. Perfect by itself or to compliment milk cheeses, salad, white meat, fish or poultry.

#### TURN ME SWEET TEMPRANILLO

The nose is slightly herbal with deeper and more intense fruit notes. Flavors of berries, dark sweet cherries and a hint of vanilla. Very mild and smooth finish with a juicy fruity after taste.

#### TURN ME RED ZWEIGELT

Very approachable and charming to drink, Turn Me Red is a robust burst of seductive fruit. The smooth edge of the tannins create a lust of subtle cocoa, cherry fruit, anise and plums.

## DESSERT WINE



# **DESSERT WINE**

#### **ESTERHAZY**

Sauvignon blanc 2012 Eiswein Chardonnay 2016 Eiswein 2015 Trockenbeernauslese 2015 Beernauslese

**SCHLINK** 

2018 Silvaner Eiswein 2018 Trokenberrnauslese 2018 Beernauslese



2018 Silvaner Eiswein



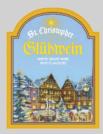


## QUINTA NOVA

1997 Vintage Port 2000 Vintage Port 2014 Late Bottle Vintage

## **GLUHWEIN**









ST. CHRISTOPHER GLUHWEIN

Hot spiced wine, with hints of spices like anise, cloves, and cinnamon. Serve warm in a mug with friends to warm up any cold winter night!

St. Christopher Glühwein captures the holiday spirit in a bottle. Glühwein is a traditional German/ European cold-weather beverage found at Holiday and Christmas

markets around the world. The best way to enjoy is to serve warm in a mug with friends.

St Christopher Glühwein is available in Traditional Red, White (Apple & Cinnamon), Blueberry, Cherry, and Kinderpunsch (non-alcoholic).

#### TRADITIONAL RED

Made with red wine and blended with cinnamon, nutmeg and other natural spices. The original German holiday drink of choice. Christmas spirit in a bottle.

#### **CHERRY**

Made with red wine with a blend of natural cherry juice. Cloves, cinnamon, orange and lemon peels.

#### TRADITIONAL WHITE

Made with white wine and blended with honey, caramel and various rich and hearty spices.

#### **BLUEBERRY**

Made with red wine with a blend of natural blueberry juice. Sweet and fruity with a hint of spice.



## HALLOWEEN

# HALLOWEEN WINE

A SPOOKY TWIST ON THE ICONIC GERMAN BLACK CAT

#### According to legend,

Three wine merchants came to the town of Zell, Germany, to buy some wine. They couldn't agree on which one was the best when a black cat suddenly jumped on one of the barrels, arches its back, its fur standing on end, and swiped its paw at anyone who tried to get closer. The wine merchants quickly came to an agreement and chose the barrel which was defended by the cat, thinking that it probably contained the best wine.

"Halloween wine is a late harvest sparkling dornfelder from Germany. A sweet, fruity wine perfect to pop open and celebrate the holiday, a spooky blood red colored "treat" for adults"



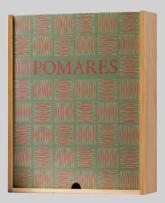
# GIFT PACKS















## **SPIRITS**

# BAUER'S OBSTLER

A BAUER FAMILY RECIPE

This Obstler ("Obst" is the German word for fruit), dates back 5 generations of wine-making and distillations. For two generations we have kept the recipe the exact same as the day we started.

Bauer's Obstler is an apple and pear brandy naturally distilled in Salzburg, Austria with Alpine mountain fruit.

Our naturally selected hand-picked fruit

gives our Obstler the scent of juicy fruit accompanied by floral notes with a medium finish. Best served chilled after a meal or simply enjoyed with friends.

Bauer's Obstler is also Arnold Schwarzenegger's drink of choice, an Austrian favorite!



## **SPIRITS**

# BAUER'S BIERSCHNAPPS

A BEER INSPIRED SPIRIT

Different in every way,
Bauer's Bierschnapps is a
combination of two worlds.
A spirit that is inspired by
beer, made for those who
embrace difference, tradition
and creativity. The 60-proof
(30% ABV) has a remarkably
smooth finish.

It fascinates with it's fresh bouquet of hops and it's lovely honey scent. The first taste is sweet with notes of grain and malt.

It has an especially fruity flavor with a mild alcohol note. Has an exciting, sparkly feel with a fine, malty taste. Soothing, warm finish with long lasting aroma of pear, stone fruit and hints of grain.





# **NEUSCHWANSTEINER**

#### AN OUTSTANDING BEER, FOR AN INSPIRING TASTE EXPERIENCE

Noble heritage, selected ingredients, specific refinements – Neuschwansteiner is an extraordinary Edelmärzen, created to enjoy in some of the world's most exclusive locations.

Combining effortlessly tradition and unconventionality, it creates an exceptional taste experience, not only meeting the highest demands but exceeding them at the first sip.

The exterior is subtly understated. But inside it's a totally different story; Neuschwansteiner is a complex, expressive, and thoroughly noble Edelmärzen. Its natural pureness is enhanced by a special refinement process: Handed down over generations, and adapted many times over the years, our

brewing process perfectly balances traditional purity and technical capabilities with an unprecedented taste experience.







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