

This is going to be fun...join us at Santiam Wine Company for this exceptional wine tasting at Santiam Wine Co.

Place: Santiam Wine Company

Time: 4-7 PM

Date: Friday, July 16th

Price ONLY \$15 for six 1 oz pours

The Wines:

Pocas White Porto \$12.

Fortified Wine produced from white grapes grown in the Northern Portugal's Douro Valley. Its floral aromas and fresh, fruity taste make it a refined aperitif. Served chilled with smooth cheeses, dried fruits, almonds and olives.

Kopke Rose Porto \$25.

Full of dimension, this smooth-drinking Rosé has a light garnet color, with an aromatic nose of fragrant old roses and white peaches. The soft palate has voluptuous notes of tangy strawberries and pomegranate rounded by sweet cherries, followed by a long, haunting berry finish.

Kopke 10 year Old White Port \$56.

Cool, light-amber color, this unique white tawny port derives from the traditional white grapes of the Porto e Douro region, including Arinto, Viosinho, Gouveio and Malvasia Fina. Starting with aromas of a Pear and burnt sugar, this elegant port delivers luscious flavors of Japanese pear-apple, with accents of hazelnut, nutmeg and orange zest. The lingering grapefruit finish provides the perfect balance for the sweetness.

2001 Grahams Late Bottle Vintage \$21.

Graham's 2001 Late Bottled Vintage, like Vintage Port, is a wine of a single year but it is not a „declared%o Vintage Port. Whereas Vintage Port spends only two years in casks and then matures in bottle, LBV is aged in casks and then bottled with a light filtration at between four and six years old. At the time of bottling it has completed its maturation and is ready for drinking without the need for decanting.

2001 Dow Quinta da Senhora da Ribeira \$40

Dow's owns two of the Douro's finest Quintas, Senhora da Ribeira and Bomfim. They were acquired in 1890 and 1896, making Dow's one of the first houses to invest in premium vineyards. Tasting Notes: Near opaque, blue/black color. Huge concentration provides an aromatic explosion of violets and rockrose. This is a full-bodied wine bursting with rich plummy, cassis flavors. In the mouth, typical Dow peppery overtones and the classic drier edge. Temperature control during fermentation (robotic lagares), combined with the ripeness of the grapes gave an excellent structure and balance.

1994 Roze's Late Bottle Vintage \$30.50

Hope to see you there! Thank you!

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