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**James Bond Night! (Reservations might be a good idea. 503-589-0775)**

Special James Bond Favorite Appetizer Plate: 2 glasses 3oz Bollinger Champagne, Caviar on develed eggs, Liver Pâté, Olives, Salmon Mousse, Crostini For two \$30 (Optional)

Dinner Special: New York Steak Oscar, \$30

Dress-up (optional) as James, a villian or one of his many girls if you like! We are!!

Drive on down with your favorite car! Show off all you want!

Enjoy our James Bond decor. Take part in our James Bond Trivia contest and win a prize!

Depart with a rose in your hand

**Cabernet Sauvignon Tasting: Full pour \$42 Half pour: \$23**

**Date: Friday, August 24th from 4-8 PM**

**2014 Mt Brave Mt. Veeder Cabernet Sauvignon CA. \$72**

The top score, though, has to go to the 2014 Cabernet Sauvignon, which is 90.5% Cabernet Sauvignon and the rest small quantities of Merlot, Cabernet Franc, and Malbec. This wine has an opaque purple color, a big, sweet kiss of blueberry and blackberry liqueur, some graphite, a juicy, full-bodied, savory mouthfeel, and excellent purity and underlying balance. This seamlessly rich mountain Cabernet Sauvignon should age effortlessly for two decades or more. **95+ Points Wine Advocate**

**2014 Silver Oak Alexander Valley, CA. \$86**

Our 2014 Alexander Valley Cabernet Sauvignon has a garnet color with a ruby red rim and bluish tint. It has an alluring nose of chocolate-covered strawberries, vanilla, nutmeg, truffle and sage. On the palate, it has a broad yet delicate entry and offers cranberry flavors. These flavors are complemented by raspberry and pluot with savory black olive characters on the mid-palate. The wine finishes with silky tannins, cedar and bramble flavors with excellent length and return. This wine is drinkable upon release, but given proper cellaring conditions can be enjoyed through 2038.

"The 2014 vintage is perhaps the most enticing in recent years. TASTING NOTES: At this youthful stage, the wood is quite prominent, yet its lovely red fruit comes through as well. Its aromas and flavors are nicely melded and will continue to soften and gain complexity over time. There is no drama, this is a wine one can always count on to be true to itself." (Tasted: July 18, 2018, San Francisco, CA) 93 Points Wilfred Wong

**2016 Caymus Cellars Cabernet Sauvignon Napa Valley, CA \$88 New release**

Review for the previous vintage: Deep purple-black in color, the 2015 Cabernet Sauvignon springs from the glass with lifted crème de cassis, violets and chocolate box notes plus hints of lilacs, raspberry leaves, anise and cardamom. The perfumed black fruit preserves and chocolate-laced notes completely pack the full-bodied palate, with soft, velvety tannins and just enough freshness, finishing very long and very spicy. Definitely one for hedonists seeking immediate gratification. **95 + Wine Advocate**

**2014 AMaurice Cellars, Walla Walla, WA \$40**

The 2014 Artist Series Manson is a beauty made from 63% Cabernet Sauvignon, 27% Cabernet Franc and 10% Merlot. Expansive and layered, it has lots of currants, blackberries, spice and dried flower aromas and flavors. It is terrific on the palate as well, with full-bodied richness and a plump, mouth-filling style, it's going to drink nicely through 2024 **91 Points Wine Advocate**

**2014 Zerba Cellars Cabernet Sauvignon Milton Freewater, OR. \$36**

Zerba Cellars is an big beautiful estate winery located in the heart of the Walla Walla Valley. This full-bodied red

offers bold aromas of black cherry, currant, leather, and vanilla that evolve into more cherry and red plum flavors in the mouth accompanied by big gentle tannins that linger and linger

**2013 Basel Cellars Cabernet Sauvignon Walla Walla Valley \$23**

Five unique vineyards in Eastern Washington come together in this elegant blend of Cabernet Sauvignon, namely Double River, Double Canyon, Gamache, Wallula and Phinny Hill. Each site brings a clear and noticeable expression to our Cabernet and it showed great potential from the day it was picked until the end of barrel aging. These different lots enjoyed extended maceration during fermentation and brought forth structure and depth in these wines. All of our Cabernet lots were aged predominantly in French oak, with 90% of it being new. New French oak compliments the varietal well and brings out the vibrant fruit-forward notes from each vineyard site even more. It aged harmoniously for 18 months and was blended and bottled in the April of 2015.

**Varieties:** 91% Cabernet Sauvignon, 9% Cabernet Franc

Enjoy!

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