



December 2017

Volume 1759 close to 15 years!

Ho, Ho, Ho, It's off to Christmas we go! 🎵 On the Twelfth day of Christmas my true love gave to me...12 Bottles of Bubbly!
And a bottle of my favorite Pinot, A Cheap & Cheerful Six-pack, and a leisurely lunch at Santiam Wine & Bistro! 🎵

Keep an eye on our schedule. You don't want to miss a tasting! Sign-up for our newsletter by visiting
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Bring your friends, staff, family for lunch~

Booking now for Holiday Lunches, Dinners and Parties!

NEW! Flourless Chocolate Torte on our dessert list! By Prologue!

From the "Grand Cru" at Santiam Wine & Bistro

Have a Merry, Merry Christmas! May your Season GLOW!

Wine Spectator Top 100 for 2017

2014 Alto Moncayo Veratno Old Vine Garnacha \$30

Expressive flavors of cherry, raspberry and dark chocolate mingle in this polished red, balanced by notes of licorice and wild herbs. The tannins are well-integrated, and balsamic acidity keeps this balanced. Dense and harmonious, in the modern style. Drink now through 2022. **92 Points Rank 27 out of 100**

December 2017 Wine Tasting Calendar:

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1ST 4-8 PM COST TBD
WASHINGTON SYRAH..QUE SYRAH, SYRAH!

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2ND 12-4 P.M. FREE
SIX WINES FROM OUR DECEMBER CHEAP & CHEERFUL
12-4 P.M. ENJOY LUNCH, SHOP AND RELAX.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6TH 4-8 P.M. PRICE: TBD
ANCIENT WORLD WHITE WINES

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8TH 4-8 P.M. PRICE TBD
Spanish Reds

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9TH 12-4 P.M. FREE
TASTING SIX WINES FROM OUR DECEMBER CHEAP & CHEERFUL

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13TH WHITE WINE TASTING 4-8
THREE CHAMPAGNE AND THREE BUBBLY FESTIVE TASTING
SPECIAL BACON WRAPPED SCALLOPS WITH CAESAR SALAD

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15TH FROM 4- 8PM PRICE: TBD
3 DOMESTIC CABERNET AND 3 BORDEAUX

CALENDAR CONTINUED...

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16TH FROM 12-4 PM FREE
LEFTOVERS FROM LAST NIGHT AND BUBBLY

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 20TH OPEN 10-8 PM
**NO TASTING TONIGHT WE ARE OPEN FOR SHOPPING, WIN-
ING & DINING!**

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 22ND TASTING 4-8 PM PRICE TBD
WASHINGTON CABS

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 23RD HOURS 10-6PM
**LAST MINUTE SHOPPING WE'LL TISSUE, BAG & BOW FOR
FREE TODAY! COME IN AND FINSH YOUR SHOPPING HAVE
LUNCH AND RELAX ENJOY THE HOLIDAY TIME**

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 24TH OPEN 11-2 PM OPEN LAST MIN-
UTE SHOPPING**

MONDAY, DECEMBER 25TH MERRY CHRISTMAS
CLOSED
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 26TH CLOSED

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 27TH OPEN 11-8 PM
TASTING CHARDONNAY

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 29TH TASTING BUBBLY OR CABERNET
CHAMPAGNE TASTING & BIG RED TASTING THREE
CAYMUS YOUR CHOICE! DINNER SPECIAL PRIME RIB**

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 30TH A GREAT DAY TO COME FOR
LUNCH AND ENJOY SOME TIME TOGETHER.**

CLOSED SUNDAY, DECEMBER 31ST-2ND

December Red Nose Santa Cheap & Cheerful Red six-pack AKA C&C 6-pack: \$60.30

In this month's hand-picked Cheap & Cheerful Six-Packs. You will find incredible wine values from around the globe. The price reflects **10%** off if you buy the following six wines Red or White — your reward for trusting me. These wines are ready and waiting for you to pick-up! Mix the white and red up if you wish! **(These wines can be purchased individually or by the case!) The Wine Club without rules! But, it does RULE! Something for everyone!**

2015 Delas Ventoux Cotes-du-Rhone \$11

Now labeled just as Ventoux, this has always been a superb value in the Delas lineup. The medium-bodied 2015 Cotes du Ventoux is a blend of 80% Grenache and 20% Syrah that never sees oak. Bold black cherry fruit flavors are complemented by hints of olive, espresso and cracked pepper, finishing dry and savory. 88 Points Wine Advocate

2014 Glass Mountain Cabernet Sauv. Chile \$8

Black cherry aromas form core fruit accompanied by spicy black pepper, spearmint, & roasted nut woven within. Fleeshy, ripe pomegranate flavors still hold the youthful brightness, giving the wine a velvety texture & finish. Food Pairing This is a fantastic entertaining wine to serve with grilled burgers fresh off the BBQ!

2015 Evoida Granacha, Spain \$11

This blend of 90% Grenache and 10% Syrah aged in concrete and demi-muid is a custom cuvée from importer Eric Solomon. Made from very old head-pruned vines that are not irrigated in pure slate soils, some of the vines are close to 100 years of age. This is really an amazing wine for the price. It is a fruit bomb, so those not wanting flavor, or in search of wimpy wines need to consider a light beer. Deep ruby/plum purple, with loads of blueberry and black currant fruit, underlying

crushed rock notes and some floral scents are all present in this remarkable wine that sells for a song!

2014 Gifford Hirlinger Stateline Red \$15

The 2014 Stateline Red is a bit of a "kitchen sink" blend containing Merlot, Cab Sauv, Malbec, Tempranillo, and a little bit of Petit Verdot! This wine is all about the fruit, with clean and well-ripened cherry, raspberry, and a touch of cassis. The mouth follows with red fruits, notes of ripe plum, and baking spices rounding it all out. The tannins are young and firm, and the acidity keeps it fresh and clean. We hope you enjoy this one as much as we do!

2015 Chateau Malbat Bordeaux Rouge \$11

The wine is rich and packed with superripe blackberry fruits. While there is acidity to keep the wine crisp, it does have a heavy feel to it from the high alcohol that also brings a pepper edge. Drink from 2018.

2015 Luna di Luna Merlot/Cabernet Italy \$11

Festive Red Bottle! "Big, bold and bright - Luna di Luna's new generation blend of Merlot / Cabernet in a raging Ferrari red bottle and at a value price will blow you away! The brilliant combination of the most popular and fashionable wine grapes, with six months of oak aging, brings out characteristics of a high-priced wine. The 60

December 2017 Festive White Cheap & Cheerful \$69.75

NV Treveri Blanc de Blanc WA. \$14 91 Points Wine Spectator! (Available in 375ml \$10)

2016 Matua Sauvignon Blanc, New Zealand \$11.50

2016 Chateau Haut Rian Bordeaux Blanc France \$11

2016 Peter Yealands Sauvignon Blanc \$13

2015 Seven Hills Pinot Gris Oregon \$13

2015 Louis Latour Grand Ardeche Chardonnay France \$15



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STORE HOURS

TUESDAY 11-7

WEDNESDAY -FRIDAY 11-8

SATURDAY 10AM -CLOSE

WINE TASTING EVERY

WHITE WEDNESDAY &

RED ON FRIDAY

EVERY SATURDAY

COMPLIMENTARY

WINE TASTINGS

12-4PM!

OUR MENU IS OPEN

PLEASE JOIN US!

- * SPECIALTY CHEESES FROM AROUND THE GLOBE * CORONA BEANS
- CASINA ROSSO BLACK TRUFFLE SEASALT, VIGNALTA ROSEMARY SEASALT, LUSTAU SOLERA VINAGRE COOKING SHERRY
- * LEMON INFUSED OLIVE OIL * VIGNALTA ROSEMARY SEASALT
- * ITALIAN, SPANISH OLIVE OIL- MALETTI BALSAMIC VINEGAR SHERRY WINE VINEGAR * MARSALA* GIFT BASKETS * SHIPPING BOXES * SHIPPING AVAILABLE * GIFT CERTIFICATES! * FREE TISSUE WRAP AND HANTIED BOW! YOU CAN ALSO PURCHASE OUR MARINATED NUTS, OLIVES, OR FRESHLY SLICED GOURMET CHEESES, DEMI FRENCH BAGUETTES— PRICES POSTED AT THE STORE.
- TO GO ORDERS AVAILABLE!