



# Top 50 Christmas Picks

1. **Dunavar Pinot Gris (w)** Fresh and clean. Our favorite Hungarian. **\$9.49**
  2. **Lurton Pinot gris (w)** Wonderfully Argentine but French producers! **\$9.99**
  3. **Beringer Chenin Blanc (w)** Delicate tastes of pear and melon. **\$10.99**
  4. **Altano (r)** Terrific every day Portuguese red. **\$11.49**
  5. **Finca Los Primos (r)** A perennial Argentine winner. **\$11.99**
  6. **Salento Rosso (r)** Think friends, a movie and pizza! **\$12.99**
  7. **Neario Bianco (w)** Lots of ripe pineapple flavors. **\$12.99**
  8. **Neario Rosso (r)** Bright aromas of raspberry. Yum! **\$12.99**
  9. **Watermark Chardonnay (w)** An Aussie winner and wallet friendly. **\$12.99**
  10. **Watermark Cabernet (r)** Fruit forward dynamo. **\$12.99**
  11. **Albet i Noya Tempranillo (r)** Fabulous little red wine! Organic! **\$13.99**
  12. **Castano Hecula (r)** Lighter style, easy drinking. **\$15.49**
  13. **CVNE Rioja Bianco (w)** Perfect white for paella. **\$15.49**
  14. **Weingut Joh. Haart Piesporter (w)** Refreshingly off dry Riesling. **\$15.99**
  15. **Cusumano Insolia (w)** Very Pinot Gris like. Yummy with fish. **\$15.99**
  16. **Cusumano Nero d'Avola (r)** Power, balance and structure. **\$15.99**
  17. **Fox Wood Old Bush Syrah (r)** A great red for the \$\$\$\$. **\$15.99**
  18. **Castle Rock Chardonnay (w)** Rich, refined, and refreshing. **\$16.49**
  19. **Altos Las Hormigas (r)** A newcomer from Argentina. **\$16.99**
  20. **Fox Wood Viognier (w)** Fabulous well rounded white. **\$16.99**
  21. **Chateau Villarambert Julien Rose.** Just in time for turkey! **\$16.99**
  22. **Albet i Noya Cava (w)** Delicious bubbly, and it's organic! **\$17.99**
  23. **Vigna Fontanella Mustilli (w)** Incredibly easy sipping white. **\$18.49**
  24. **Villa Matilde Falanghina (w)** Enticing with light, fresh flavors. **\$18.99**
  25. **Castle Rock Cabernet (r)** Nice rich taste. Very good value. **\$19.49**
- Legend: red (r) – white (w)**



## Ports

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| <b>Barros Colheita 1967</b> One of the best vintage tawny ports ever!            | <b>\$109.99</b> |
| <b>Fonseca 1997</b> A powerhouse, sure to impress.                               | <b>\$124.99</b> |
| <b>Quinta do Infantado 1983</b> Five star vintage and ready now.                 | <b>\$60.99</b>  |
| <b>Taylor 2000 375ml</b> Last chance to get a hold of this masterpiece.          | <b>\$60.99</b>  |
| <b>Smith Woodhouse 2000</b> Legendary Vintage. Exceptional price.                | <b>\$84.99</b>  |
| <b>Van Zeller 2000</b> One of the best priced 2000's around.                     | <b>\$49.99</b>  |
| <b>Quinta do Infantado 2000</b> Delightful, small production, beautiful price.   | <b>\$73.99</b>  |
| <b>Fonseca Guimaraens 1978</b> This is the port to drink now, fantastic!         | <b>\$80.49</b>  |
| <b>Grahams 1966</b> Wow! Can we say more?  | <b>\$449.99</b> |
| <b>Infantado Tawny</b> A perfect complement to a perfect evening.                | <b>\$22.99</b>  |
| <b>Quinta do Vesuvio 1997</b> The perfect estate. One taste and you'll know why. | <b>\$119.99</b> |

## ??-?-? The De-Vine Truth ??-?-??

**Are grapes still "foot-trodden"?**

*Yes, but rarely. Some producers in the Port region of Portugal still use this method. There is no more perfect method for gentle pressing than the human foot. So, why isn't "foot-pressing" used extensively? People are unreliable and expensive, so most producers prefer machinery. Almost the same quality without the lunch break!*



# KENSINGTON WINE MARKET WINTER SESSION

1. **Introduction to Red Wine** **\$35**  
This class is always packed. Learn how to taste wine and discover the differences between grape varieties. **Tue Jan 18 Thr Mar 10**
2. **Tight Wad Oenophile** **\$30**  
Quality wines don't have to be expensive. Find out which ones our staff considers good value. **Thr Jan 20**
3. **Classic Cheese and Wine Pairing** **\$50**  
Another special evening featuring the sublime cheeses of Janice Beaton. Discover the classic pairing of wine and cheese and find out your preferences. **Tue Jan 25 Thr Mar 3**
4. **Single Malt - Lassies Only!** **\$40**  
Attention! Attention! This is an important announcement. "Miss Scotland", our own Kathleen O'Connor, is back by popular demand. NO LADS ALLOWED! **Thr Jan 27**
5. **Lost in Translation** **\$50**  
Don't miss this Sushi and Sake tasting at "Sushi Club", Calgary's best sushi restaurant. Call KWM to reserve your spot. This tasting will begin at 7:00 pm. Location:1240 Kensington Road, NW. **Tue Feb 1**
6. **Introduction to Port** **\$40**  
This class provides a rare opportunity to taste a variety of ports, comparing producers and styles. Book early, this one is popular. **Thr Feb 3**
7. **Classic Single Malts** **\$40**  
Our KWM class is always a success. What better way to acquire a taste for the 'ole single malt without going to Scotland! All this while munching on oatcakes, smoked salmon and "haggis". **Tue Feb 8**
8. **Incrocio/The Crossing** **\$60**  
Join Michele Verdi on the journey of a lifetime. This special evening (questa sera) we'll criss-cross Oenotria (Italy) tasting glorious, benchmark wines (vini) as we traverse each region. Beware! The fashion "polizia" will be watching! **Thr Feb 10**
9. **Perfecto = Bubbles + Cheese** **\$50**  
Join Janice Beaton and KWM's Laurie Mackay for an effervescent evening exploring the divine pairing of sparkling wine and cheese. **Mon Feb 14**
10. **Big House Reds** **\$50**  
Think rich, lush, ripe and ready! Sign up now, this class always sells out first. **Thr Feb 17**
11. **Port and More** **\$45**  
Don't miss this opportunity to try some of the great fortified wines of the world. Of course, there will be port, but we hope to delight your taste buds with sherry and other fortified wines you may not have tried. **Thr Feb 24**
12. **"He Said", "She Said"** **\$40**  
Wine therapy for couples. Join Darryl and Lisa for a fun filled evening on the politics of wine buying and tasting. **Tue Mar 1**
13. **Tour de France** **\$50**  
Join us for a whirlwind tour of the best that France has to offer. The evening will showcase wines from Burgundy, Bordeaux, the Loire and other lesser known regions. Learn why the French still do it so well! **Tue Feb 22**
14. **Master Malt** **\$75**  
For the experienced connoisseur! Join our experts for a special class where the subtleties of Single Malt are thoroughly examined. This class includes a Riedel Crystal Single Malt Glass. **Tue Mar 8**
15. **Introduction to White Wine** **\$35**  
Back by popular demand and just in time for Spring sipping. Learn how to taste wine and discover the differences between grape varieties. **Tue Mar 15**
16. **Aussie Madness** **\$60**  
Australian wines are presently the hottest wines in the world. Don't miss this opportunity to taste this exclusive lineup of the best. Stand up format. **Fri Mar 18**
17. **Food and Wine Sleepover**  
Enjoy a night's stay at the Kensington Riverside Inn, Alberta's only AAA Four Diamond Inn and let Laurie Souza of Chez Felice, Sonoma, California and Richard Lindseth of Kensington Wine Market create an evening of relaxation, food, wine and fun! From \$194.00 per person dbl occupancy. All reservations through KRI at 228-4442. **Fri Feb 25**

**ALL TASTINGS ARE NON-REFUNDABLE AND NON-TRANSFERABLE**

All tastings start promptly at 7:00 P.M.  
Seating is strictly limited so book early to avoid disappointment, tel.: 283-8000  
It is recommended that those attending wine tastings use public transportation  
Tastings are complete with light snacks  
Inventory prices are subject to change

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26. **Allanmere Chardonnay (w)** Yummy and full bodied. Tropical. **\$19.99**
  27. **Domaine des Aubuisieres Brut (w)** An organic sparkling from the Loire. **\$19.99**
  28. **Poggerino Labirinto (r)** 100% Sangiovese. !00% delicious. **\$19.99**
  29. **Domaine des Aubuisieres Silex (w)** Chenin Blanc with finesse. Organic. **\$20.49**
  30. **Sportoletti Rosso (r)** A hedonistic red from Umbria. **\$21.49**
  31. **Villa Matilde Falerno del Massico (r)** Rich, warm and full-bodied **\$21.49**
  32. **Vinum Cellars Chenin Blanc (w)** We adore this charming white! **\$22.99**
  33. **Quinta do Infantado Tawny (r)** Terrific value for a Tawny Port! **\$22.99**
  34. **Vinum Cellars "Pets" (r)** A fruit and spice delight. **\$23.99**
  35. **Poggio al Sole Chianti Classico (r)** Beautifully priced classic red. **\$24.99**
  36. **Township 7 Merlot (r)** Canadian winery gold medal winner! **\$24.99**
  37. **Reschke Vitulus (r)** From Australia! Irresistible niche producer. **\$26.99**
  38. **Township 7 Chardonnay (w)** One of our favorites. Creamy and full. **\$28.99**
  39. **Bent Creek Sparkling Shiraz (r)** For the holidays! Great with chocolate. **\$29.49**
  40. **Gambal Chardonnay (w)** A Burgundian treasure. Perfectly balanced. **\$31.99**
  41. **Reschke Bos Cabernet (r)** Rich, plummy, full, and on and on ... **\$36.99**
  42. **Moss Wood Ribbon Vale Merlot (r)** The best WA producer. Elegant. **\$36.99**
  43. **Luca Malbec (r)** From Argentina, our very best Syrah. **\$38.99**
  44. **Gambal Savigny les Beaune (r)** Highly rated red. Just a few cases. **\$41.99**
  45. **Kay Brothers Shiraz (r)** KWM's #1 selling Shiraz. **\$44.99**
  46. **Kunin Viognier (w)** From the USA. Perfect for turkey dinner. **\$49.49**
  47. **Moss Wood Chardonnay (w)** From WA, an elegant first class wine. **\$58.99**
  48. **Kay Brothers Hillside Shiraz (r)** We cannot keep this one in stock. **\$69.99**
  49. **Giorgio Prima la Massa (r)** A Chianti to surpass any Super Tuscan. **\$70.99**
  50. **Isole Olena Cepparello (r)** Only the Italians can bottle sex! **\$76.99**
- Legend: red (r) – white (w)**

## The Spirit of Christmas

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| <b>Lagavulin 16 Yr Old</b> A peaty favorite from the island of Islay.   | <b>\$63.99</b>  |
| <b>Isle of Arran Bourbon Cask Strength</b> Smooth & rich bourbon finish. Packs a punch.                             | <b>\$66.99</b>  |
| <b>Springbank 10 Yr Old, 100 Proof</b> A rich, lively spirit in the Campbeltown style.                              | <b>\$73.99</b>  |
| <b>Isle of Arran Port Cask Strength</b> Perfect on a chilly evening, smooth port finish.                            | <b>\$73.99</b>  |
| <b>Springbank 15 Yr Old</b> Sherry casked and limited in availability. Grab it now!                                 | <b>\$96.99</b>  |
| <b>Springbank 12 Yr Old Bourbon Cask</b> Smooth & sweet, must add water!  | <b>\$96.99</b>  |
| <b>Longrow 10 Yr Old</b> A heavily peated malt from Springbank Distillers. Wow!                                     | <b>\$101.99</b> |
| <b>Speymalt Macallan 1985</b> A 17 Yr Old from the classic speyside distillery.                                     | <b>\$110.99</b> |
| <b>Murray McDavid Clynelish 1983</b> A classic coastal malt with hints of the sea.                                  | <b>\$134.99</b> |
| <b>Connoisseurs Choice Banff 1976</b> What a deal for a 26 Yr Old speyside rarity!                                  | <b>\$136.99</b> |
| <b>Connoisseurs Choice Rosebank 1990</b> Light & sweet in the true lowland style.                                   | <b>\$140.99</b> |
| <b>Speymalt Macallan 1974</b> Back in stock, a top-of-the-class speysider!  | <b>\$176.99</b> |
| <b>Murray McDavid Mission Craigellachie 1979</b><br>A mature 33 Yr Old from the now mothballed speyside distillery. | <b>\$180.99</b> |
| <b>Murray McDavid Dallas Dhu 1974</b> An increasingly rare whisky really packs a punch.                             | <b>\$180.99</b> |
| <b>Connoisseurs Choice Ardbeg 1975</b> This rare 28 Yr Old has become a class favorite.                             | <b>\$287.99</b> |
| <b>Speymalt Macallan 1966</b> Wow! A 36 Yr Old sherry casked Macallan. A rare treat.                                | <b>\$422.99</b> |

