



Join us for Saturday afternoon wine tastings, 2 to 6:30 p.m.

**This Saturday, January 16<sup>th</sup>**

## **North to South**

### **Whites**

#### **Nigl Grüner Veltliner Freiheit, 2008**

Weingut Martin Nigl is easily one of the elite wine estates in Austria. Located in the Kremstal, a prestigious wine region on the north side of the Danube upstream from Vienna, Nigl produces just 7,500 cases a year in total. The Freiheit has the hallmark purity, racy texture and citrus-mineral-fresh herb subtlety that make Nigl such a go-to producer.

**Reg. \$19.99**

**Special \$17.99**

#### **Ravines Dry Riesling, Finger Lakes, 2007**

The Finger Lakes region of upstate New York is one of our most established wine regions (with a terrific wine festival in July) and Dr. Konstantin Frank, both the man and the winery, was pioneering in making it so. The man behind Ravines Wine Cellars, Morten Hallgren, is carrying forward that legacy, having been winemaker at Konstantin Frank for 8 years. Riesling is the key grape of the Finger Lakes and this is made in a decidedly dry New World style with only 3 grams per liter residual sugar (similar to many dry red wines). With no lack of classic Riesling fruit

flavors, this is snappy, generous, tasty wine.

**Reg. \$15.99**

**Special \$14.39**

### **Reds**

#### **Chapelle-St.-Arnoux Côtes-du-Rhone, 2007**

Located in Vacqueyras, Chapelle-St.-Arnoux is a *negociant* producing well-priced based on traditional Rhone grape varieties. Pinot-noir-like in body, this Côtes-du-Rhone based on Grenache, Syrah and Mourvedre has the user-friendly palette of crushed berry flavors that make this type of wine so satisfying and at a weekday price.

**Reg. \$8.99**

**Special \$7.99**

#### **Domaine Faillenc Sainte Marie Corbières, 2007**

We've featured the wild, distinctive wines of Domaine Faillenc several times particularly their Syrah. Founded during the reign of Louis XIV on the remains of a Roman winery, Domain Faillenc consists of just 20 acres of vineyards in the foothills of Mont Alaric west of the medieval walled city of Carcassonne. A blend of Grenache, Syrah and Cinsault fermented together, the Corbières has the deep color and rich, dark fruit flavors of the now-famous 2007 vintage.

Another example of the terrific values to be found in the south of France.

**Reg. \$16.99**

**Special \$15.29**

- Jeff Gledhill

**Special pricing applies the day of the tasting only**

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