

# THE CANDELILLA CAFÉ WINES



## RED BLENDS

**NEW 2019 PRISONER BY THE PRISONER WINE COMPANY ... 80** *A cult wine features enticing aromas of Bing cherry, dark chocolate, clove, and roasted fig. WW 93 Zinfandel, Cabernet Sauvignon, Petite Sirah, Syrah, and Charbono.*

**NEW 2018 PESSIMIST BY DAOU VINEYARDS ... 60** *A powerhouse vintage with a plethora fruit showcasing blueberry, boysenberry, plum and strawberry, truffle, roasted coffee, lavender and lilac RP 92*  
Blend: 62% Petite Sirah, 20% Zinfandel, 16% Syrah, 2% Lagrein

**NEW ORIN SWIFT CELLARS ABSTRACT 2018 ... 90** *Full Bodies with bombastic notions of crushed black cherries, warm plums and blueberry compote with hints of dried herbs, spice box and new leather. RP 92*  
*A blend of Petite Sirah, Syrah, Grenache and Cabernet Sauvignon*

## MERLOT

**KENDALL JACKSON VENTER RESERVE MERLOT 2017 ... 11 / 44** *Intricate layers of black cherry, plum, currant, and wild berry mingle with a hint of spice.*  
*Composition is 98% Merlot 1% Cabernet Sauvignon, 0.5% Cabernet Franc and 0.5% Petit Verdot.*

## CABERNET

**NAPA CELLARS CABERNET SAUVIGNON ... 90** *A big wine that brims with black currant, blackberry, some sage and cedar underscored with mocha and tobacco threads. WE 90*

**SILVER OAK ALEXANDER VALLEY CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016 ... 180** *This wine has an enticing nose of cassis, blackberry, vanilla, sage and spearmint. WS 90*  
Blend: 94.6% Cabernet Sauvignon, 4% Merlo, 0.5% Petit Verdot, 0.5% Cabernet Franc, 0.4% Malbec

**KENDALL JACKSON VENTER'S RESERVE CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2017 ... 11 / 44** *Aromas of lush black cherry, blackberry and cassis draw you in to this Vintner's Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon. RP 90*

**CAYMUS VINEYARD NAPA VALLEY CABERNET 2018 ... 180** *This wine is ripe, smooth, and delectable. Enjoy its lovely aromas and flavors of ripe fruit and oak. WS 92*

## ZINFANDEL

## SPARKLING

**ROSE GOLD ROSE 2019 ... 10 / 40** *Classic dry Provence rosé. Beautiful pale pink in color with aromas of rich, fresh fruits, followed by hints of white flowers and minerals.*  
Blend: 50% Grenache, 50% Cinsault

**RUFFINO PROSECCO ... 12 / 48** *Bright straw yellow with fine bubbles. The bouquet is fragrant and intensely fruity. It shows clean notes of apples, pears and citrus, accompanied by slight hints of hawthorn, wisteria and elder*  
*Ruffino Prosecco perfectly matches with fish and shellfish dishes as well as Chicken and Pork*

**G.H. MUMM BRUT GRAND CORDON ... 100 WS 90**  
**CANDONI MOSCATO ... 11 / 44** *Fruity and fragrant, with aromas of fresh nectarine and honey, followed by sweet and refreshing flavors of ripe peach and apricot*  
*A perfect accompaniment to pastries, cakes, fruit salads, desserts, cheesecake, and spicy dishes.*

## WHITE BLENDS

## CHARDONNAY

**CAKEBREAD CELLARS CHARDONNAY 2018** *Aromas of ripe golden apple, white peach, and notes of oak. On the palate, apple and pear characters are balanced by fresh acidity, and the finish is clean, with appealing mineral notes. RP 90 ... 115*

**MEIOMI CHARDONNAY 2019 ... 12 / 42** *Smooth, opulent layers of stone fruit and hints of citrus and apple are heightened by sweet smells of ripe tropical fruit, honey, and baking spices. The full flavors are highlighted by minerality and juiciness in the palate and a rich, plush finish.*

## PINOT NOIR

**MEIOMI PINOT NOIR 2019 ... 14 / 48** *A rich garnet color, the wine reveals lifted fruit aromas of bright strawberry and jammy fruit, mocha, vanilla, and toasty oak. Expressive boysenberry, blackberry, dark cherry, juicy strawberry, and toasty mocha flavors lend complexity to the soft, plush palate.*

## MALBEC/SYRAH

## SAUVIGNON BLANC/PINOT GRIGIO

**ROBERT MONDAVI PRIVATE SELECT PINOT GRIGIO 2019 8 / 30**

**KIM CRAWFORD SAUVIGNON BLANC 2019 ... 12 / 48** *Very pale yellow. Classic Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc aromas of lifted citrus, tropical fruit, and crushed herbs. A fresh, juicy wine with vibrant acidity and plenty of weight and length on the palate. Ripe, tropical fruit flavor with passion fruit, melon, and grapefruit. WE 90*

**CAKEBREAD CELLARS SAUVIGNON BLANC 2019 ... 105** *Aromas of fresh pink grapefruit, sweet citrus and hay burst with freshness on the nose. Cool melon tones balance pink grapefruit on the palate, accented by ripe acidity and a subtle mineral citrus finish. WW 91*  
*Blend: 99% Sauvignon Blanc, 1% Semillon*

## **MALBEC**

**BODEGA COLOME ESTATE MALBEC 2018 ... 16 / 55** *Elegant nose of pure plums, dried tomato, paprika and damson. Quite dense with well-integrated oak, ripe fine-grained tannins. D 90*

**BRENNAN, TEMPRANILLO \$15 / \$60**