

# TERROIR BY-THE-GLASS



THE IDEA OF TERROIR ENCOMPASSES MORE THAN JUST SOIL TYPE, CLIMATE, GEOGRAPHY, VEGETATION & VARIETAL CHOICE. IT INCORPORATES THE HAND OF MAN, LOCAL HISTORY, CULTURAL TRENDS, CULINARY TRADITIONS & SOCIAL ECONOMICS.

## SECOND FIDDLES & SUPPORTING ACTORS

### PINOT MEUNIER - JOSÉ MICHEL - VALLÉE DE LA MARNE, CHAMPAGNE - NV

[BAKED GOLDEN APPLE, MEYER LEMON, FRESH BRIOCHE, CHEESE RIND, TOASTED ALMOND, HIGH ACID]  
LOCATED IN THE VALLEE DE LA MARNE, JOSE MICHEL IS A SMALL GROWER PRODUCER & FOUNDING MEMBER OF THE 'TRESORS DE CHAMPAGNE.' HE HAS CHAMPIONED PINOT MEUNIER SINCE 1955.



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### ALIGOTE - DOMAINE CHANZY - CLOS DE LA FORTUNE - BOUZERON, BURGUNDY - 2018

[RIPE NECTARINE, GREEN APPLE, FROTHED CREAM, CROISSANT FLESH, CRUSHED SEASHELL, MED+ ACID]  
LOCATED IN THE COMMUNE OF BOUZERON, DOMAINE CHANZY'S FOCUS OF PRODUCTION IS THE MONOPOLE (SINGULARLY OWNED) VINEYARD OF CLOS DE LA FORTUNE, PLANTED TO ALIGOTE VINES.



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### KLEVENER - DOMAINE GERARD-METZ - HEILIGENSTEIN, ALSACE - 2016

[POACHED PEAR, PINEAPPLE, LYCHEE FRUIT, LEMON VERBENA, CORIANDER SEED, RIVER STONE, MED ACID]  
DOMAINE GERARD-METZ OWNS 12 HECTARES OF VINES SPANNING ACROSS MULTIPLE COMMUNES, INCLUDING THE GRAND CRU OF MUENCHBERG & THE INCREDIBLY RARE PLOTS OF KLEVENER IN HEILIGENSTEIN.



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### CINSAULT - SCHOLIUM PROJECT - "1MN" - BECHTOLD RANCH, CALIFORNIA - 2016

[CRANBERRY SKIN, POMMEGRANATE, BLACK CHERRY, WHITE PEPPER, FRESH GAME, CLAY, HIBISCUS, MED- TANNIN]  
A PURPOSELY NOMADIC CALIFORNIA WINERY, WITH A PHILOSOPHY OF VINEYARD-SPECIFIC TERROIR EXPRESSION, BIODYNAMIC VINEYARD WORK, NON-INTERVENTIONALIST WINEMAKING & SPONTANEOUS FERMENTATION.



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### CANAILOLO - IL VINCO - "CANAJÒ" - MONTEFIASCONE, UMBRIA - 2016

[FRESH MULBERRY, DRIED CHERRY, BLACK PLUM, BRONZE FENNEL, GRILLED MEAT, ZA'ATAR, MED TANNIN]  
IL VINCO BEGAN THEIR PROJECT IN LAZIO AS AN ATTEMPT TO PRESERVE THE EVER-DIMINISHING PLANTINGS OF CANAILOLO NERO & TO SHOWCASE ITS UNIQUE POTENTIALITY AS A SINGLE VARIETAL.



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### GRACIANO - VINA IJALBA - RIOJA BAJA, RIOJA - 2015

[BAKED STRAWBERRY, SPICED LAMB, DILL, LEATHER, CEDAR, TOBACCO, TOASTED COCONUT, MED+ TANNIN]  
VINA IJALBA BEGAN ITS LIFE AS THE FIRST ORGANIC WINERY IN RIOJA & HAS RECENTLY TRANSITIONED COMPLETELY TO BIODYNAMICS. IT IS ALSO THE FIRST WINERY TO FERMENT A SINGLE-VARIETAL EXPRESSION OF GRACIANO.



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## A TASTE OF TERROIR 50

EXPERIENCE MAXIMUM TERROIR EXPOSURE WITH A FLIGHT OF ALL SIX UNDERDOG WINES

PINOT MEUNIER	PINOT MEUNIER HOLDS A VASTLY UNDERVALUED SUPPORTING ROLE TO CHAMPAGNE'S PINOT NOIR & CHARDONNAY IN THE AUBE & MARNE SUBREGIONS.
ALIGOTE	ALIGOTE PLAYS A VIRTUALLY UNKNOWN SECOND FIDDLE TO THE UBIQUITOUS CHARDONNAY. BOUZERON IS THE ONLY TOWN DEDICATED TO GROWING ALIGOTE.
KLEVENER	KLEVENER, AKA SAVAGNIN ROSE OR Roter Traminer IS A VERY RARE PARENT GRAPE OF GEWURTRAMINER, AND IS ONLY GROWN IN THE TOWN OF HEILIGENSTEIN.
CINSAULT	THE LETTER "C" SHOULD LIKELY FOLLOW "GSM" IN THE ACRONYM FOR BLENDS FROM RHONE, AS CINSAULT IS A LARGELY UNCREDITED SUPPORTING ACTOR THERE.
CANAILOLO	CANAILOLO IS LARGELY EXTINGUISHED IN TUSCANY, BUT HAS PLAYED AN HISTORICAL PART AS A SUPPORTING ACTOR TO SANGIOVESE IN REGIONS LIKE CHIANTI.
GRACIANO	GRACIANO IS USUALLY FOUND IN VERY SMALL PERCENTAGES IN WINES FROM RIOJA. PLAYING SECOND FIDDLE TO TEMPRANILLO FOR GENERATIONS.