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CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Welcome to our best-ever range of Christmas gifts! Wine is all about sharing and that's what makes it such a beautiful present, so make yourself comfortable and please take a few moments to browse our tempting range.

Whether you're after gift-packed bottles, impressive hampers, fine Champagne or handcrafted spirits, you'll find them here, with more still online ... or plump for our ever-popular gift vouchers (p.22).

Need some help choosing? Simply call our friendly Gifts Team using the phone number at the bottom of each page. They'll help you choose the perfect gift to suit any budget, style or taste. Please do order soon to guarantee your choices.

Best wishes,

Tony Laithwaite (Founder)

P.S. Don't forget, there's even more to choose from online.

Highlights to look out for ...



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Guaranteed to please at Christmas



Discovery Dozen

12 delicious bottles, chosen by our expert team to showcase refreshing whites and smooth, rich reds – a welcome gift for any wine lover.

Whites include a crisp Aussie dubbed “sunshine in a glass” by TV’s “Mr Wine” Oz Clarke, a classic pear-and-apple Pinot Grigio and a gooseberry-fresh Sauvignon Blanc from Chile’s four-time *Winery of the Year* ... not forgetting the peachy, ripe Chardonnay from a delightful father-and-son team in Spain.

Reds include a plummy French Merlot from acclaimed Joseph Castan, a cherry-scented Sangiovese that gives Chianti a run for its money, and *La Porteña* sees Argentina’s Malbec grape and dark Shiraz join forces with delicious results. The velvety Spanish Cabernet is another real beauty – oodles of smooth flavour.

Presented in a Laithwaite’s wine box.

£83.88 £69.90 ex VAT
12 bottles **M2948001**



Also available at the same price:

Discovery Whites 12 bottles **M2948101**



Discovery Reds 12 bottles **M2948201**



Perfect festive pairs



Discovery Mixed Duo

The mouthwatering gooseberry and guava flavours of fine Sauvignon Blanc continue to take the UK by storm and Riversong, from Chile's four-time *Winery of the Year*, is simply delicious, on its own or with Christmas nibbles.

Merlot is another guaranteed crowd-pleaser and Spain's Hacienda de LUNA is from arid vineyards near Valencia ... all that sunshine makes for a lovely depth of ripe plum and damson flavours with moreish hints of dark chocolate.

Presented in a luxury gift box.

£20 £16.66 ex VAT
2 bottles **F0099401**



Classic Mixed Duo

Everyone loves the leap-from-the-glass aromas and flavours of NZ Sauvignon Blanc and Mussel Pot from Marlborough has been our runaway success of the last two years – seriously recommended.

The mellow reds of Rioja are perfect for festive drinking and few can touch Barón de Barbón – named “*probably the best Rioja for the money in the UK*” by the press when it launched and our bestseller for over 15 years!

Presented in a luxury gift box.

£25 £20.83 ex VAT
2 bottles **F0099501**

Also available at the same price:

Classic Whites Duo 2 bottles **F0099601**

1x Mussel Pot Sauvignon, NZ.

1x Colle Marianna, Soave, Italy.

Classic Reds Duo 2 bottles **F0099701**

1x Barón de Barbón, Rioja, Spain.

1x Viña Tarapacá Cabernet, Chile.

See online for more information



Fine Dining Duo

A sensational duo for those who like big flavours and to dine in fine style.

Sauvignon Blanc hits its peak in France's Loire Valley and top-of-the-line *Abbessé Royale* is stunning in its intensity of freshly mown grass, gooseberry and citrus.

The high-altitude vineyards of the Forefather Malbec Shiraz offer a real step up from everyday Argentina – it's a powder keg of smouldering black fruits and spice ... truly memorable drinking.

Presented in a wooden gift box.

£33 £27.50 ex VAT
2 bottles **F0099801**

Also available at the same price:

Fine Reds Duo 2 bottles **F0099901**
1x Forefather Malbec Shiraz, Mendoza.
1x Le Grand Chai, Bordeaux AOC.

See online for more information

Luxury Duo

Just the ticket for those who appreciate the enduring French classics.

Chablis is close-to-compulsory at Christmas and this gem is from a patch of old vines (*vieilles vignes*), guaranteeing it's streets ahead for its richness of stone fruit flavours and minerally freshness.

We follow with textbook Bordeaux from the once-a-decade-quality 2015 vintage and Château Mayne Guyon boasts four Gold medals. Will delight claret lovers.

Presented in a wooden gift box.

£38 £31.66 ex VAT
2 bottles **F0103001**

Also available at the same price:

Luxury Reds Duo 2 bottles **F0103101**
1x Château Mayne Guyon 2015, Côtes de Blaye.
1x Tyrrell's Rufus Stone Shiraz, Australia.

See online for more information

Deluxe Duo

Two hallowed names of the New World come together in this glorious pairing.

If one wine put NZ on the map it's Cloudy Bay Sauvignon Blanc – a compulsory experience for wine lovers and still the benchmark for all Kiwi winemakers.

Penfolds are a byword for quality in Australia and this old-vine Barossa red sees the country's founding grapes joining forces ... Shiraz, Grenache and Mataro. Seriously impressive drinking.

Presented in a wooden gift box.

£55 £45.83 ex VAT
2 bottles **F0103201**



Delicious festive trios



Discovery Mixed Trio

Here's a lovely trio for fans of soft, generous flavours.

Uplifting Riversong Sauvignon Blanc is a bright and refreshing find from Chile's four-time *Winery of the Year* ... you'll love its tropical and citrus character.

In red, you have a silky smooth, five-year-old *Reserva* from Spain – expect plenty of redcurrant, sweet-vanilla oak and tobacco leaf – plus the richly textured 'big brother' to our bestselling *Il Papavero* ... made from powerhouse Primitivo grapes in the sun-scorched vineyards of southern Italy.

Presented in a luxury gift box.

£30 £25.00 ex VAT
3 bottles **J0236301**

Classic Mixed Trio

Introducing three of our very favourite estates from Italy, NZ and Chile.

Mussel Pot shows the gooseberry exuberance that's made Marlborough world famous for Sauvignon Blanc.

Cabernet is Chile's trump card and none has a more storied heritage than Viña Tarapacá. It's rippling with ripe, dark blackcurrant and plum. Then comes a beautiful, velvety, cherry-fresh red from Tuscany's great Paolo Masi – we've been huge fans of his reds since the 1980s!

Presented in a luxury gift box.

£35 £29.16 ex VAT
3 bottles **J0236401**

Celebration Trio

A trio guaranteed to please, each has been voted *Best in Class* by the judges who matter most ... you!

Everyone loves Prosecco at Christmas and our customers love the citrus, pear and apricot Ca' Bolani above all others.

Sunday Bay is our No.1 Kiwi white from Marlborough, its bright flavours and aromas delighting lovers of Sauvignon Blanc.

Malbec continues to be the hottest ticket in town and San Lucas delivers all the dark, chocolatey, heady flavours we all love. Amazing with a char-grilled steak!

Presented in a luxury gift box.

£35 £29.16 ex VAT
3 bottles **J0236501**





Fine Dining Red Trio

Introducing a trio of superb reds to complement food and look super smart on the dining table.

First up is a Gold-medal Bordeaux from probably the finest vintage of the decade, 2015. It's classically proportioned with cigar-box notes alongside black berry fruits.

Next comes Rioja Crianza from a father-and-daughter team, to turn slow-roasted lamb into a banquet.

To finish, a mouthfilling, altogether superior Argentine Malbec Shiraz from high in the Andes.

Presented in a wooden gift box.

£45 £37.50 ex VAT
3 bottles **J0236601**

Luxury Trio

Time to roll out the classics, starting with Gold-medal Champagne Lefebvre, a soft, biscuity beauty from Gérard Cuperly and family.

Top white Bordeaux is breathtaking in its intensity and Le C du Chai Cuvée Noble is brimful of honeyed fruits yet finishes beautifully pure and fresh.

Rounding out an excellent trio is a four-year-old Rioja from our oldest winemaking friends in Spain and a World Top 50 winery ... it's a benchmark Rioja balancing power and mellow maturity.

Presented in a wooden gift box.

£58 £48.33 ex VAT
3 bottles **J0236701**

Fine Wine Trio

The trio to seriously wow at Christmas, featuring unforgettable taste experiences from three hallowed vineyards.

Cloudy Bay sets the standard for NZ Sauvignon Blanc – its combination of intensity and elegance is a thrill to enjoy.

Gosset is a bijoux Champagne House of great reputation, est. 1584 and making tiny volumes of creamy, biscuity rich fizz.

Your red is a perfectly cellared Grand Cru from historic St-Emilion. Offering eight years of mellow complexity, it's sensational claret for a special occasion.

Presented in a wooden gift box.

£75 £62.50 ex VAT
3 bottles **J0236801**

Special occasion Christmas sixes

Discovery Six

Six smart buys our customers come back to again and again. You'll find bestselling Sauvignon Blanc, pear-and-apple Pinot Grigio and an inside tip showing Spain is alive with crisp, modern whites. Reds include a plummy Merlot from acclaimed Joseph Castan, a generous Aussie Shiraz blend from big Bob Berton and Chile's signature Carménère red. Delicious drinking!

Presented in a Laithwaite's wine box.

£47 £39.16 ex VAT
6 bottles **X2573501**

Also available at the same price:

Discovery Whites Six 2 bottles of each white **X2573601**

Discovery Reds Six 2 bottles of each red **X2573701**



Classic Six

A tongue-tingling tour of classic styles. Whites feature chart-topping Kiwi Sauvignon Blanc and tangy Italian Pinot Grigio alongside nectarine-scented Chardonnay from Argentina. In red, you have our all-time bestselling Rioja, plus a bold, brooding red from Down Under and a pretty, cherry-scented charmer from Tuscany's great Paolo Masi.

Presented in a luxury gift box.

£57 £47.50 ex VAT
6 bottles **X2573801**

Also available at the same price:

Classic Reds Six 2 bottles of each red **X2573901**



Fine Dining Six

We start with an exceptional Prosecco from local boy Alessandro Gallici, plus a seductive, butterscotch Chardonnay from Oz and a Gold-medal Sauvignon Blanc from Bordeaux. Reds are bona fide classics with another Gold-medal-winner from Bordeaux, plus a luxurious, redcurrant and tobacco Rioja and an incomparable Malbec from hotspot Mendoza.

Presented in a luxury gift box.

£70 £58.33 ex VAT
6 bottles **X2574001**





Luxury Six

Perfect for serious wine buffs, this selection reads like a *Who's Who* of highly respected vineyards.

- From a Champagne house founded in 1845, *Lefebvre* is a rich, Gold-medal Champagne from Gérard Cuperly and family.
- *Domaine Dampit* is a prize-winning Burgundy in a crisp, mineral style that's perfect with food.
- The beguiling, honeyed fruits of *Le C du Chai* will delight enthusiasts for top dry white Bordeaux.
- Black-fruited *i Corleonesi* offers big, sunny Cabernet flavours from the Sicilian hills.
- *Les Hauts de Font Rocher* is a beautiful Rhône, with structure and polish to suit rare roast beef.
- We finish with a Coonawarra Cabernet of historic pedigree, packed with rich black fruits and spice.

Presented in a wooden gift box.

£95 £79.16 ex VAT
6 bottles X2574101



Fine Wine Six

A shortlist of fine wines selected by the world's bestselling wine writer, Hugh Johnson.

- *Château La Clarière* is a gorgeously mature, 7-year-old Bordeaux from next door to Saint-Emilion and has won a Gold medal for every vintage this century!
- The Christmas Day centrepiece? 2001 Rioja from the deep cellars of noble *Conde de los Andes* ... 17 years of complex, evolved flavours to savour!
- *Brunello* is famed as Tuscany's biggest hitter and this 93-point example is our current favourite.
- A remarkable highlight, *Swartskaaap* ('black sheep') is 100% Cabernet Franc aged 18 months in oak above Walker Bay in South Africa. Big, juicy, multidimensional.

Presented in a branded gift box.

£150 £125.00 ex VAT
6 bottles X2574201



Champagne



Veuve Clicquot Brut NV

The widow Ponsardin was among Champagne's greatest pioneers and her instantly recognisable, iconic yellow label has been a cue for full-flavoured richness and consistency since 1877.



£39.99 **£34.99** £29.15 ex VAT

1 bottle **Q00319**

Presented in a branded gift box.

Bollinger Special Cuvée NV

By appointment to Her Majesty and the choice of James Bond ... "when you absolutely, positively, definitely have to impress, there is really only one Champagne to go for ... Bollinger" (WINE magazine)

£44.99 **£34.99** £29.15 ex VAT

1 bottle **Q00268**

Presented in a branded gift box.

Laurent-Perrier Brut NV 1.5l Magnum

Thanks to impeccable freshness and lightness of touch, Laurent-Perrier has a long established reputation as the connoisseur's Champagne. Even better in a conversation-stopping 1.5L magnum.

£80 £66.66 ex VAT

1 bottle **Q00388**

Presented in a branded gift box.

Bollinger La Grande Année 2007

Bollinger's Prestige Cuvée is only made in the best vintages, from 95% Grand Cru fruit – mostly Pinot Noir. Powerful yet refined with thrilling honeyed hazelnut, brioche and apple depth. Beautifully boxed.

£80 £66.66 ex VAT

1 bottle **Q00382**

Presented in a branded gift box.

Dom Pérignon 2009

If Champagne is a luxury, then vintage Dom Pérignon is pure hedonism and something most people would love to experience. The aged complexity really sets it apart and the gift pack is stunning.

£120 £100.00 ex VAT

1 bottle **Q00377**

Presented in a branded gift box.

Laurent-Perrier Champagne and flutes

Established in 1812 and famed for its combination of fine-boned elegance and seductive richness, Laurent-Perrier is a very popular choice with those in the know. This beautiful gift set also features two elegant flutes direct from the Champagne house.

Presented in a luxury gift box.

£41.99 **£35.99** £29.99 ex VAT
Q00393



Champagne, flutes and truffles

Why read *How to Win Friends and Influence People* when you could simply give this? It's a memorable experience just opening the set, even before you taste the biscuity Champagne. Also includes two beautiful Dartington flutes and six indulgent Champagne truffles.

Presented in a luxury gift box.

£45 £37.50 ex VAT
S00020



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Sparkling



Oriol Rossell Brut Cava

From a winery run like a Champagne house, this Cava has beaten £130-a-bottle Krug in competition.

£13.49 £11.24 ex VAT 1 bottle **Q00410**

Presented in a gift box.

Fili Prosecco

Drop-dead gorgeous Prosecco from Paolo Sacchetto. Apples, pear drops and creamy lemon in a genuine fine-dining Prosecco.

£15.99 £13.32 ex VAT 1 bottle **Q00421**

Presented in a branded gift box.

Southridge Blanc de Noirs 2013

From a family boasting over 198 medals and 26 Trophies, including 'Best International Sparkling Wine Trophy' three times, comes this toasty, mouthfilling fizz.

£28.99 £24.15 ex VAT 1 bottle **Q00288**

Presented in a gift box.

Prosecco and Truffles

You are guaranteed to bring instant smiles with this playful pairing of joyful, pear-and-apple Prosecco from a 19th century winery and seven creamy, milk chocolate truffles from Beech's, luxury chocolatiers of Lancashire since 1920.

Presented in a luxury gift box.

£25 £20.83 ex VAT **S00034**



Best of British



Thames Trilogy

Reserve this glorious fizz, including Windsor's sparkling jewel

First we have a proven winner from Barbara Laithwaite's tiny Wyfold Vineyard. "Fantastic sparkling ... any left in the bottle?" (Oz Clarke).

Then, Windsor Great Park Vineyard revives a tradition begun by Henry II which has won global headlines. In high demand! Plus, Henry and Kaye Laithwaite's deliciously crisp medal winner, grown in Marlow, caps a stunning trio of local stars.



Reserve a Thames Trilogy now, for delivery mid-December

1st instalment **£30 J00092**

2nd instalment **£50**

Presented in a limited edition gift box.

PLEASE NOTE: When the Thames Trilogy is ready for delivery, the second instalment will automatically be deducted from the card you used to pay the first instalment. Our standard delivery charge of £7.99 will also be applied, where applicable, at the time of the first instalment. See p.22 for full terms and conditions.

Kir Royale Gift Set

A treat for lovers of that Christmas classic, Kir Royale. A bottle of luscious Gold-medal Champagne from Gérard Cuperly and family, plus deliciously rich Cassis blackcurrant liqueur from boutique maker White Heron. (Tip: pour the Cassis in first).

Presented in a luxury gift box.

£45 £37.50 ex VAT **F0103401**



The smart option for festive gift giving



Classic Dozen

Here is our top tip for squeezing the greatest amount of drinking pleasure into one case ... and the delicious, handcrafted quality is evident from first sip to last.

Everyone enjoys a glass of zesty Sauvignon Blanc from New Zealand and France's Loire Valley, joined here by a deliciously authentic Italian Pinot Grigio and peachy, mouthfilling Black Stump ... a 'cult' hit. If you need something rich to partner salmon or even turkey, there's a classic, lemony Chenin Blanc from South Africa and a handcrafted Chardonnay from Argentina – bursting with peach and nectarine.

Reds feature three European classics in a fruit-filled Rhône Grenache from a Châteauneuf winemaker, a dark-cherry Tuscan red from old friend Paolo Masi and a berry-scented Rioja from a father-and-son team who are local heroes in Spain's top region. Next is a black red that sees Australia's two heavyweight grapes join forces, plus two smoothly powerful reds from Argentina and Chile ... superb with grilled meats.

Presented in a Laithwaite's wine box.

£96 £80.00 ex VAT
12 bottles **M2948301**





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*This 'black red'
sees Oz's two biggest
grapes join forces!*



*Always popular
Cape white on
best-ever form*



*Our bestselling
Rioja of the last
twenty years!*



*Smash hit
Marlborough
Sauvignon Blanc*



*Big juicy red from
a Châteauneuf
winemaker*



*Peachy, fresh
Chardonnay from
the Andes*

Also available at the same price:

Classic Whites 2 bottles of each white **M2948401**



Classic Reds 2 bottles of each red **M2948501**



The perfect gift for connoisseurs



Fine Dining Dozen

Too many highlights to list, but the theme is clear ... food-friendly wines that are also likely to spark plenty of dinner party conversation.

Whites include Gold-medal Sauvignon Blanc from Bordeaux and voluptuous Chardonnay from Oz, plus a rare white Rioja with a cult following.

Red highlights include Christmas classics like luxurious Rioja, Gold-medal claret and a prize-winning Chianti from legendary Paolo Masi. Not to mention a trio of velvet-smooth reds to discover from acclaimed winemakers in Argentina, Australia and South Africa.

For good measure we've also included a much-loved Prosecco from the great Alessandro Gallici.

Presented in a wooden gift box.

£130

£108.33 ex VAT

12 bottles **M2948601**



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wooden
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The luxury option for gifting



Luxury Dozen

Here's the ultimate festive box of delights, featuring the perfect pour for every occasion including Port, dessert wine from Bordeaux and Gold-medal Champagne from the Cuperly family.

Whites include an uplifting Sauvignon Blanc from New Zealand's sunniest town, a minerally intense white Burgundy and a heady, honeyed white Bordeaux to get the senses racing.

Reds feature a magnificent, oak-matured Rioja from a prized vineyard, a fine-pedigree French Pinot Noir that wows everyone lucky enough to taste it, a Coonawarra Cabernet from an historic estate and of course a bottle of textbook Bordeaux – superb with rare roast beef. The ultimate case for luxury indulgence also includes Port and that Christmas must-have, Sauternes.

Presented in a wooden gift box.

£170

£141.66 ex VAT

12 bottles **M2948701**



In a
wooden
gift box

Hamper Selections

Wine and Cheese Slate

A lovely gift featuring a host of handcrafted treats for cheese lovers. Exceptional British cheeses, fine crackers and luxurious chutney. Even better, the slate cheese board is included, plus there's a richly textured Rhône red to complete the perfect cheese course.

£29.99 £27.63 ex VAT
S10003 (Order now for delivery after 4th December)

Hamper includes:

Le Prince de Courthézon 2016, Côtes du Rhône, 375ml • Arran Fine Foods Apples & Arran Ale Chutney 190g • Ford Farm West Country Farmhouse Cheddar Cheese Truckle 200g • Long Clawson Blue Stilton 220g • Miller's Elements Ale Crackers 100g • Pont Gar Welsh Soft White Cheese 125g • 30cm x 20cm Slate Cheese Board



Spirit of Christmas

Guaranteed to bring smiles to the faces of real gourmands, featuring Coln Valley smoked salmon, fine Wessex ham and superb regional cheeses, plus star turns like pork rillette with sloe gin and Lir dessert chocolates. Great Durif and Pinot Grigio too.

Presented in a kubu basket.

£125 £114.13 ex VAT
S10006 (Order now for delivery after 18th December)

Hamper includes:

Black Duck Durif 75cl 14.5% vol • White Duck Chardonnay Pinot Grigio 75cl 13% vol • Coles Figgy Christmas Pudding 275g • Coln Valley Smokery Sliced Smoked Salmon 125g • Cornish Charcuterie Ambient Pork Rillettes with Sloe Gin 110g • Ford Farm West Country Farmhouse Cheddar Cheese Truckle 200g • Hider Roasted & Salted Jumbo Peanuts & Cashews 110g • In a Pickle Gamekeepers Relish 190g • Lir Dessert Chocolate Collection 145g • Long Clawson Blue Stilton 220g • Maclean's Mini Mince Pies x 12 • Miller's Fig & Sultana Toast 100g • Olives Et Al Matured Kalamata Pitted Olives 250g • Paxton & Whitfield Celtic Soft Cheese 200g • Scott Farms Sweet Potato Chips 100g • Wessex Country Gammon Dorset Cured Sliced Ham 200g

Delivery of Food Hampers: *The Silent Night and Pure Indulgence hampers are available for delivery from Tuesday 2nd October. The Wine & Cheese Slate is available for delivery from Tuesday 4th December and the Spirit of Christmas hamper is available for delivery from Tuesday 18th December. The Wine & Cheese Slate and Spirit of Christmas hampers cannot be delivered on Sunday or Monday as we cannot guarantee that they will remain fresh during transit over the weekend. Hampers cannot be delivered on 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th or 31st December and 1st or 2nd January. All hampers containing fresh food must be signed for upon delivery.*

The last hamper order date for guaranteed Christmas delivery is 1pm on Wednesday 19th December. Any orders received without a specified date will be delivered between 6th and 19th December. If the recipient is not available to receive their gift, we are not responsible for these products after the first delivery attempt. For further T&C's please see p.22.



Silent Night

Always a runaway success – urgent orders essential. There are more than enough touches of luxury in this collection of sweet and savoury treats to please every member of the household ... and with two fine wines from Chile as well, it shows you've thought of everything.

Presented in a luxury carton.

£65 £57.25 ex VAT
S10004 (Order now for delivery after 2nd October)

Hamper includes: Don Cayetano Merlot Chile 75cl 13% vol • Don Cayetano Sauvignon Blanc Chile 75cl 12% vol • Arden & Amici Mini Chocolate Panettone 100g • Barfield Bakery Mince Pies x 4 • Brown Bag Smoked Bacon Crisps 150g • Butlers Assortment of Chocolate Truffles & Pralines 100g • Buttermilk Irish Cream Fudge 100g • Crunch Craving Spicy Peanuts 85g • Elizabeth Shaw Raisin & Hazelnut Biscuits 140g • Farmhouse Biscuits Cranberry & Pumpkin Seed Savoury Biscuits 100g • Frank's Luxury Rocky Road Oaties 300g • Goupie Chocolate Confection 80g • The English Provender Co. Caramelised Red Onion Chutney 325g • Yorkshire Popcorn Salt & Sweet Popcorn 40g

Pure Indulgence

This supreme Christmas hamper reads like a roll-call of the finest gourmet indulgences from around Britain. There's also a luscious Port, a clutch of family-estate wines (including fizz) and six wonderful Robin Reed Christmas crackers.

Presented in a traditional lidded basket.

£250 £219.52 ex VAT
S10008 (Order now for delivery after 2nd October)

Hamper includes: Ca' Bolani Prosecco Edizione Limitata 75cl 10.5% vol x 2 • Fonseca Bin No. 27 Finest Reserve Port 37.5cl 20% vol • Barón de Barbón Oak Aged Rioja 75cl 13.5% vol x 2 • Barón de Barbón Rioja Blanco 75cl 13.5% vol x 2 • Arden & Amici Baci Di Dama Italian Biscuits 100g • Slumber Jack Kenya coffee 227g • Buttermilk Irish Cream Fudge 100g • Cambrook Brilliantly Baked Hickory Smoke Flavour Almonds 80g • Cornish Charcuterie Ambient Salmon Pâté with Horseradish & Dill 110g • Elizabeth Shaw Raisin & Hazelnut Biscuits 140g • Goupie Chocolate Confection 80g • Holmes Bakery Blackcurrant Shortbread 170g • Lily O'Briens Petit Chocolate Indulgence 290g • Maclean's Mini Mince Pies x 12 • Linden Lady Chocolate Covered Marshmallows with White Snowflakes Sprinkles 140g • Maxwell & Franks Christmas Pudding with Cider 454g • Miller's Plum & Date Toast 100g • Nibnibs Rosemary Grissini Breadsticks 125g • Olives Et Al Sunshine Pitted Mixed Olives with Garlic & Rosemary 221g • Robin Reed Silver Glitter Holly Classic Crackers 6 x 12" • Scarlett & Mustard Cracking Christmas Chutney 200g • Scarlett & Mustard Rudolph's Left Overs Curry Sauce 250ml • Scott Farms Cheddar Cheese & Chive Sweet Potato Chips 110g • Snack Tree Luxury Coated Nut Selection 240g • Stokes Blackcurrant Extra Jam with Claret • The Original Cake Company 5.5" Round Top Iced Cake with Gold Star • Yorkshire Popcorn Salt & Sweet Popcorn 40g



Sideboard luxuries

See online
for our full
range of
spirits



Andresen LBV 2012

Heavenly late-bottled-vintage 2012 Port from one of the last remaining family-run Port houses, established in 1849. Masses of sweet, blackcurrant, bramble, chocolate and tobacco richness ... and being an LBV it's perfectly ready to enjoy now.

£15.99 £13.32 ex VAT
1 x 75cl bottle **Q00977**
Presented in a branded gift box.

Kew Organic Gin

The great British gin renaissance continues, with originality in seemingly endless supply. Kew Organic Gin is the fabulous result of a joint venture between The London Distillery Company and the Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew. Fine London gin if ever there was!

£29.99 £24.99 ex VAT
1 x 70cl bottle **Q00957**
Presented in a branded gift box.

Glenfiddich 15-year-old single malt & glasses

The Glenfiddich distillery in Speyside lays claim to making the world's most awarded single-malt Scotch whisky. This special set offers a 15-year-old whisky billowing with oak, baked apple and cinnamon, plus two smart tumblers. Presented in an attractive gift box.

£48 £40.00 ex VAT
1 x 70cl btl and 2 glasses **Q00920**
Presented in a branded gift box.

Armagnac XO

Beautifully packaged, individually numbered Armagnac in a carafe-style decanter, from charismatic Lionel Osmin. Has spellbinding complexity of oak, leather, orange peel and sweet spice ... an after-dinner drink of genuine excellence.

£48 £40.00 ex VAT
1 x 70cl bottle **Q00843**
Presented in a branded gift box.

Plantation Rum 20th Anniversary Edition

Rum is having a bit of a moment! A smartly packaged, decanter-style Plantation Extra Old Rum from Barbados, initially aged in the Caribbean in former bourbon casks then transported to the Cognac region of France for a second maturation in French oak barrels. Ridiculously enjoyable.

£51 £42.50 ex VAT
1 x 70cl bottle **Q00975**
Presented in a branded gift box.

Old Malt Craigellachie 11-year-old

This Speyside Old Malt was matured in Sherry casks and is marvellously complex ... look forward to aromas of red berries, milk chocolate and herbs, with flavours of orange, apple, caramel and shortcake ... plus a lingering finish with a touch of spice. It really is one to savour!

£55 £45.83 ex VAT
1 x 70cl bottle **Q01008**
Presented in a branded gift box.

Frapin VSOP Cognac & glasses

Growers since 1270 and with a family tree including the likes of Rabelais, Frapin are old-established Cognac royalty. From the Premier Cru enclave and aged in Limousin oak casks, this has an intense colour and harmonious orange, vanilla and dried flower character. *Superbe, alors!*

£58 £48.33 ex VAT
1 x 70cl btl and 2 glasses **Q00996**
Presented in a branded gift box.

Gifts for friends ...

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This exclusive offers four gins and four tonics to mix and match.

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A huge hit each year, from 14th-generation Barão de Vilar. The 'book' contains 10 x 6cl measures of Port including ruby, white, 20-yr-old and Colheita 1990 ... plus background information and detailed tasting notes to have you talking like a pro.

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Gin Baubles (6 x 5cl) **Q00983**



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£36

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Whisky Baubles (6 x 5cl) **Q01018**



Festive Gift Sets



Fine Rioja and Dartington stemless wine glasses

For fans of quality Rioja (which is most of us!) it doesn't get much better than patiently oak-matured, berry-scented Marichalar Crianza 2014 ... ready to enjoy in two stylish stemless wine glasses from Dartington Crystal, designed by Tony Laithwaite, with a flared lip for maximum enjoyment.

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NZ Sauvignon & Dartington glasses

At its exciting best, New Zealand Sauvignon Blanc delights us all with its leap-from-the-glass aromas of gooseberry and freshly cut grass. Here's our No.1 Christmas favourite, from Marlborough's 'golden mile' ... perfect when served in two stemless wine glasses from Dartington Crystal.

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Black Stump gift collection

A sure-fire hit for lovers of rich reds. Winemaker Alan Kennett's blend of Durif and Shiraz sees Australia's two darkest, most flavoursome grapes join forces ... no wonder it's our No.1 bestselling red. Plus the set includes two collector's edition Black Stump wine glasses. Demand will be intense!

£27 £22.50 ex VAT
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Dark chocolate, Malbec & glasses

A heady experience for chocolate fans, with two super-smooth, organic dark chocolates from Green & Black's paired with a big, soft, juicy Malbec that also happens to be our customers' favourite bottle from Argentina. Completing the set are two stemless wine glasses from Dartington Crystal.

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La Clarière and Accessories

A beautiful gift set for lovers of fine Bordeaux. This rich, ripe Gold-medal-winner from an "exceptional year" and "the leading estate in Côtes de Castillon" (Decanter) with over 150 awards and Paris' top Lauréat, is presented in a beautiful gift box with all the accessories needed to really get the most out of this sumptuous, barrel-aged claret.

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Beer and Magnums



Loose Cannon set with glass

Medal-winning ales – all big customer favourites – from the brewery that revived a centuries-old tradition in Abingdon. Gunners Gold is a session ale named for a WWII tail-gunner who is a local. Full-bodied, thirst-quenching Abingdon Bridge boasts three Golds, while Bombshell is a bright, citrusy style beloved of our staff!

£12 £10.00 ex VAT
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9-year-old Rioja magnum in a wooden gift box

It's over three decades since Tony Laithwaite first bought from Ana Bujanda's father and this collector's edition 9-year-old Gran Reserva is reserved for their oldest UK friends. An eye-catching centrepiece for the Christmas table, it's immense yet silkily smooth drinking.

Finca del Marquesado
Gran Reserva 2009 (magnum)

£45 **£30** £25 ex VAT
Q00677

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Classic white Bordeaux in impressive magnums

Sisters Marie and Sylvie make this beauty as a tribute to dad Francis and no expense is spared, from the low-yielding vines to the finest oak. Crafted from Sauvignon Blanc, Sauvignon Gris and Sémillon, it brims with honeyed, creamy lemon and soft spice. Perfect now, or can be kept for a year or two.

Château Thieuley 2015
(magnum)

£40 £33.33 ex VAT
Q05041

Insider tip Bordeaux

Fine-wine authority Robert Parker applauds this château for an “impressive track record for quality for close to 30 years”. We jumped at the opportunity to buy a small parcel of mature 1.5l magnums. Whether as a cornerstone for the cellar or adding a touch of glamour to the festive table, this delightful claret made within a stone's throw of the grandest châteaux is a terrific choice.

Château Ramage La Batisse 2008
(magnum)

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Q00502



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We deliver throughout the UK (except to the Channel Islands and BFPO addresses).

Standard delivery (£7.99 per delivery address or free with orders of 18 bottles or more sent to a single address): Delivery arrives within 3 working days except for offshore islands, N. Ireland, Scottish Highlands & some other areas of Scotland.

Named day (£8.99 per delivery address): Choose a specific day. We don't deliver on Sunday. Not available for offshore islands, N. Ireland & Scottish Highlands. Not available for bulk pallet deliveries

Bulk orders: a pallet delivery can be arranged for business customers. Please call 03330 142 766 to discuss your requirements.

Delivery of Food Hampers p16-17:

The Silent Night and Pure Indulgence hampers are available for delivery from Tuesday 2nd October. The Wine & Cheese Slate is available for delivery from Tuesday 4th December and the Spirit of Christmas hamper is available for delivery from Tuesday 18th December. The Wine & Cheese Slate and Spirit of Christmas hampers cannot be delivered on Sunday or Monday as we cannot guarantee that they will remain fresh during transit over the weekend. Hampers cannot be delivered on 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th or 31st December and 1st or 2nd January. All hampers containing fresh food must be signed for upon delivery.

The last hamper order date for guaranteed Christmas delivery is 1pm on Wednesday 19th December. Any orders received without a specified date will be delivered between 6th and 19th December. If the recipient is not available to

receive their gift, we are not responsible for these products after the first delivery attempt.

Last Order Dates

The last order date for guaranteed Christmas delivery for the UK mainland is Friday 21st December, and 5pm Wednesday 12th December for N. Ireland, ROI, Scottish Highlands and business address deliveries. The last named day delivery for the UK mainland order date is 2pm on Friday 21st December. Excludes food hampers – please see above.

Gift messages

If you would like to include a personalised message with your gift, we can print a maximum of 200 characters (including spaces), except on food gifts which have a limit of 60 characters (including spaces). Please state your message when you order.



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Advent Calendars



Here are two special Advent calendars guaranteed to add a little 'grown up' cheer in the countdown to Christmas



Favourite wines

Opening an Advent calendar is suddenly a lot more fun. The perfect gift – either to yourself or a fellow wine lover. 24 windows to open, 24 delicious wines to sip. Each one is a guaranteed crowd pleaser ... from bestselling Rioja to mouthwatering Sauvignon – and a cracking Champagne for a special treat on Christmas Eve.

Wine Advent Calendar 24 bottles x 187ml - 250ml.
1st instalment **£10**
2nd instalment **£69.99** Delivered late November
Z00004

Crafty beers

Never mind the 12 days of Christmas, here are the 24 crafty ales of Advent! Pale ale, stout, bitter, pilsner ... there's a festive beer delight behind every door. The perfect Christmas countdown for any beer lover.

Beer Advent Calendar 24 x cans / bottles 33cl - 37.5cl.
1st instalment **£10**
2nd instalment **£39.99** Delivered late November
Z00002



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Plus spirit calendars - the perfect gift for whisky, vodka and gin lovers



Chase 12 Festive Spirits

Something to look forward to *after* Christmas. 12 drawers housing award-winning, super-premium vodkas and gins from Chase – the UK's first single-estate distillery.

Chase 12 Festive Spirits (12x5cl) NV
£60 (£50 ex VAT) **S00129**



Gin Advent Calendar

A gin treat for each day of Advent!
A delicious selection, from new releases to well-known brands, you just might discover a new favourite

Gin Advent Calendar (24x3cl) NV
£124.95 (£104.12 ex VAT) **Q00947**



Whisky Advent Calendar

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