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# BUILDING BONDS TO WEATHER STORMS

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Auction Catalogue

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## Latour 2000

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### Tasting Notes:

"Latour has made truly great wines in the past two decades and this is one of the best. It has fabulous aromas of black truffles, currants, raspberry and dried flowers. Mind-blowing on the palate, it's an emotional and soulful red"  
– James Suckling 100 Pts (2014)

RRP: \$2,102

**Minimum Starting Bid: \$2,400.00**

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## Château Lafite Rothschild, Pauillac, Bordeaux 2004

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Ch Lafite Rothschild is a global icon, and frequently ranks as the most expensive of the Bordeaux First Growths. Lafite makes wines of power and concentration, and of elegance and balance.

This wine is a donation from the private collection of Mr. Steven Seow

### Tasting Notes:

“Yes, there is power to this wine. But more than that, it exudes authority: a dense and solid wine with an impressive presence and texture. It has a velvet mouthfeel: the tannins are dusty and mineral, alongside fruit flavours of ripe black plums and dark figs, leavened with fresh acidity. – Wine Enthusiast 96 Pts (2007)

**RRP: \$1,950**

**Minimum Starting Bid: \$2,200.00**





# Latour 2004

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## Tasting Notes:

"A terrific effort...the dark ruby/purple-tinged 2004 Latour exhibits a strong cassis character intermixed with notes of crushed rocks, earth, cedar and forest floor. Racy, elegant, but powerful with medium to full body, and sweet tannin, it will benefit from 5-7 years of cellaring, and should keep for 3 decades. It is a very impressive offering."

- Robert Parker WA 95 Pts (2007)

RRP: \$1,340

**Minimum Starting Bid: \$1,550.00**



# Dom Perignon P2 Plénitude 2002

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The Dom Perignon P2 is a special cuvee that is aged longer than the already extraordinary Dom Perignon Vintage Champagne. The 2002 P2 has been maturing for 17 years in house's chalk cellars before release and exemplifies the pinnacle of champagne making.

## Tasting Notes:

"The 2002 Dom Perignon P2 is showing very well indeed, wafting from the glass with aromas of crisp yellow orchard fruit, dried white flowers, orange oil, smoky peach, peat and praline. On the palate, it's full-bodied, broad and textural, with a ripe and muscular core of fruit, ripe acids and fine concentration, concluding with a long and elegantly toasty finish." – Vinous 97+ Pts (2019)

**RRP: \$925**

**Minimum Starting Bid: \$1,100.00**



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# Penfold Grange 2001

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Named after Grange Cottage, the first Australian home of Penfolds founders, the Penfolds Grange was an experimental wine project begun by Max Schubert, chief winemaker, to make an age-worthy Australian wine. In a story of perseverance, Max's first effort was dismissed by wine experts, but he persisted in secret. The rest is history, and today Penfolds Grange is wine royalty

## Tasting Notes:

"The 2001 Grange is one of the few vintages of this cuvee to be composed of 100% Shiraz. Inky/blue/purple to the rim, with a stunning perfume of blueberries, blackberries, chocolate, graphite, and earth, it boasts good acidity, huge tannins, magnificent concentration, and a multilayered, textured mouthfeel. It is a big, but impeccably well-balanced Shiraz that should be at its best between 2010-2030+." – Robert Parker 98+ Pts (2006)

RRP: \$899

**Minimum Starting Bid: \$1,050.00**

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# Louis Roederer Cristal Brut 2014 Champagne

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Cristal was created by Louis Roederer in 1876 to satisfy the demanding tastes of Russia's Tsar Alexander II. To distinguish this cuvee, this exceptional champagne comes in a flat-bottomed, transparent lead-crystal bottle. Hence it's name. It is typically made with around 40% Chardonnay and 60% Pinot Noir.

## Tasting Notes:

"Bursting from the glass with expressive aromas of ripe citrus fruit, nectarine, white flowers, freshly baked bread and subtle hints of honeycomb, it's medium to full-bodied, vinous and fleshy, It is a brilliant Champagne that will offer a broad drinking window. This bottle was disgorged in June 2021 with seven grams per liter dosage."

– Wine Advocate 96 Pts (2022)

**RRP: \$500**

**Minimum Starting Bid: \$600.00**



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# Hospices de Beaune Pommard Premier Cru Cuvee Dames de la Charite 2005

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The Hospices de Beaune annual wine auction, first conducted in 1859, is perhaps the worlds oldest and famous charity wine auction. In 2023, the auction raised 23M Euros. Historically, vineyard sites were gifted to the institution, and today the Domaine des Hospices de Beaune covers 60 hectares, comprising mostly Premier Cru and Gran Cru sites. The Cuvee Dames de la Charite comprises fruit from Pommard Premier Cru sites

## Tasting Notes:

None available - The 2005 Burgundy Vintage was superb, and many wineries delivered rich and full wines, whilst retaining elegance and balance.

RRP: \$249

**Minimum Starting Bid: \$350.00**



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## Albert Bichot Domaine du Pavillon Meursault 1er Cru Les Charmes 2020

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Meursault is a commune of Burgundy famed for beautiful, buttery white wines, with clear oak influence. Les Charmes is a 1er Cru site, and known for producing vibrant, honeyed wines, with rich nutty characters. 2020 was a hot vintage, producing ripe wines. The challenge for the wine-maker is retaining freshness and elegance.

### Tasting Notes:

“Shows ample concentration and structure, framing the peach, citronella, butterscotch and clove flavours. The texture verges on oily, just pulling back as this turns more precise on the citrusy aftertaste. Best from 2024 through 2030. 562 cases made.” – Wine Spectator 93 Pts

**RRP: \$206**

**Minimum Starting Bid: \$300.00**



# Argiano SOLENGO 2015

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Argiano is one of the oldest and most prestigious estates in Tuscany, and can trace its history back to 1580. The Solengo on the other hand, is a modern creation, a Supertuscan, conceived by the father of Super Tuscan wines, Giacomo Tachis, with the first bottling in 1995.

## Tasting Notes:

"Fantastic aromas of flowers such as violets and roses with dark purple fruits and hints of stones, too. Full body with ultra-fine tannins and a long and linear finish. This is a return to the great Solengos of the mid-1990s. The best since 1997. Cabernet sauvignon 50%, petit verdot 30%, merlot 15% and sangiovese 5%." - James Suckling 97 Pts

RRP: \$151

**Minimum Starting Bid: \$250.00**



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## Domaine Joseph Faiveley CHAMBOLLE Musigny 2018

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### Tasting Notes (2016 Vintage):

"Macerated flavors of cherry, black currant, violet, spice and soy are wrapped in a silky structure. Well-structured, with all the elements in the right proportions. Shows fine length and potential. Best from 2022 to 2036"

– Wine Spectator 93 Pts (2019)

RRP: \$147

**Minimum Starting Bid: \$200.00**

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(i.e. your successful bidding price of item at \$10,000.  
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\*For Illustration purpose only.  
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