

America's Wine Importers, Directors And Sommeliers Can't Wait To Drink More Of These Wines In 2023

After a year of jumping back in the world, I reached out to many of the old and new faces I'd encountered along the way for an end-of-year-round-up looking forward, instead of back. I asked: what wines (or sake!) do you want to drink more of in 2023? I got a slew of responses, proving more than ever, the great big wide world of wine continues its expansion into the farthest corners and minds of the country.

Read on and be inspired.



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“For 2023, plans include to open up Provence-centric rosé fans to the vast world of alternate rosé varietals and styles and enjoy the ride of enlightenment as well. Seeking out classic wines that are typically overlooked and overshadowed by a more popular varietal or type of wine, like pinot noir from Sancerre and New Zealand, amazing Madeiras in place of Port, East Coast sauvignon blanc. Portuguese wines are also a focus for me and our team. With a personal affinity for their whites, reds and certainly a full range of port options, as well a strong local population. It’s a category that deserves attention on our list. It’s a country that mirrors Italy in its ability to have a wine/varietal for nearly every situation or culinary pairing opportunity that may present itself across all our dining options from family style dining in our Yurts to our Chef’s Table.”