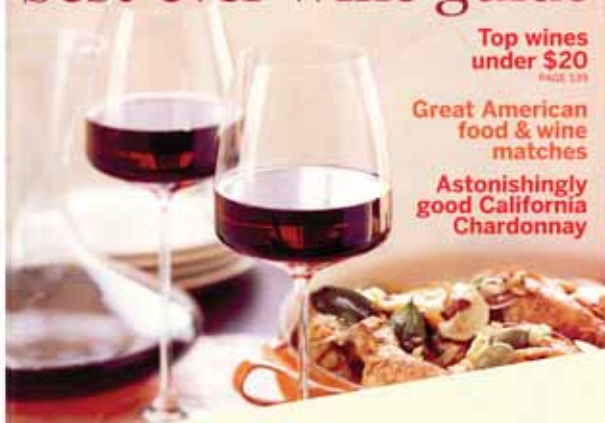


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america's 50 most amazing wine experiences

Who says you need to go to a fancy restaurant in a big city to have a memorable wine experience? F&W scoured the country to find unforgettable wine adventures from coast to coast. Turn the page and open the flaps for our discoveries.

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when every course on chef Randy Zweiban's \$44 menu comes with a free glass of wine. 325 W. Huron, Chicago; 312-664-2727.

16 Proof on Main

ky Wine-obsessed New York restaurateur Drew Nieporent bet on the Bluegrass State with a restaurant adjacent to Louisville's funky new 21c Museum Hotel. Guests can dine on Tuscan-American dishes while admiring (or pondering) a rotating display of provocative artwork. The well-edited 75-bottle wine list rivals the stellar selection of 40 bourbons. 702 W. Main St., Louisville; 502-217-6360.

17 Bacchanal Fine Wine & Spirits

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