

How to Spot a Good, Cheap Bottle of Wine

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Often times, bigger winemakers will offer products with a wide range of prices, which means you can typically find a great, affordable option from a producer that is known for making quality wines. Levine gives the example of Chilean winemaker Veramonte, a large producer that offers different price points. "More than 500 hectares of their vineyards are certified organic and growing. So even with an inexpensive wine, it's still falling under the same practices as their higher-end wines," she explains. "So the Veramonte Chardonnay 2017 is only \$12 and has great tropical fruits and citrus notes; it's crisp; it's got bright acidity; it's mouth-watering. And the note I made was 'ridiculously good for the price' -- we were all blown away that it could be that good."

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