This year we will be having our first ever champagne cart at Heart's Delight! Keep your eye out for this cart roaming around the ballroom. The cart is filled with various champagnes and they will be sold on a first come first serve basis so grab one while you can!

To include the following with much more to come!

Olivier Horiot Rosé des Riceys En Barmont 2012

Vilmart & Cie Champagne Cuvée Création 2000 **Donated by Lily & Scott Claffee** 

Lasalle's Cuvée Préférence NV

Montaudon Brut NV **Donated by Arthur Kuo** 

Billecart Salmon Rosé NV

Paul Bara's Special Club 2005

Mailly Grand Cru Brut NV **Donated by Arthur Kuo** 

# Enjoy It Now!

This special section will close at 7:45 p.m. and is designed for the enjoyment of our guests tonight! The pizza is hot and the beer is cold...take this back to your table a hero!

More items to come – check out the Enjoy It Now table for more delicious items to choose from!

**51** On Rye

estimated value: \$125

Fulfill your hunger with this delicious sandwich platter that will feed your entire table!

Donated by On Rye

5 2 Charcuterie and Cheese Platter for the Table

estimated value: \$100

One charcuterie and cheese platter to feed ten hungry people!

**Donated by Calvert Woodley Fine Wine & Spirits** 

**52** Beer – Ice Cold Beer! estimated value: \$20

Vin & Vic's Pizza and Wine Pairing

**94** estimated value: \$60

Your table will enjoy a delicious pizza and wine paired by Tom Madrecki, the mastermind behind Vin & Vic's.

Donated by Tom Madrecki, Vin & Vic's

55 Charcuterie and Cheese Platter for the Table estimated value: \$100

One charcuterie and cheese platter to feed ten hungry people!

**Donated by Calvert Woodley Fine Wine & Spirits** 

## **Silent Auction**

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## 12 - bottles Château Climens 1980

estimated value: \$900

"1980 is a wonderful vintage of Climens, which has produced an outstanding Barsac. An exotic bouquet of tropical fruit, pineapples, and melons is really top class. On the palate, the wine is rich, yet never heavy or cloyingly sweet, with crisp, rich, medium-bodied, lush, velvety, ripe fruity flavors. This is a superb effort from Climens, and one of the best sweet wines of the vintage." 90 points – Robert Parker

Donated by a generous collector this has been stored at 55° at The Wine Rack in Washington, DC

**Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight** 

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## **Domaine Paul Autard**

estimated value: \$450

6 - bottles Domaine Paul Autard La Côte Ronde Châteauneuf-du-Pape 1998

"The 1998 Chateauneuf du Pape offers a terrific nose of spice box, cherry jam, pepper, and assorted berries. It is medium to full-bodied, with plenty of glycerin, moderately sweet tannin, a fat mid-palate, and a dense, thick, powerful finish." – Robert Parker

Donated by Yolita Tjoeng and Song Jo

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## 2 - Magnums George Wine Company Sonoma Coma Pinot Noir 2015 estimated value: \$200

We are so sorry to be missing George at Heart's Delight this year – a Heart's Delight veteran he is our favorite one-man-show. George Levkoff crafts Pinot Noir the "old-school" Burgundian way, and savvy sommeliers around the country keep spreading his gospel. And nowhere more so than Las Vegas, where, at last count, George Pinot Noirs grace the wine lists of nearly 100 top restaurants (Joel Robuchon, Spago and Picasso to name a few). New York comes close to this number, including iconic spots such as Craft, Marea, and The 21 Club. Closer to home, you'll find George at BLT Steak, Proof, and The Inn at Little Washington to name a few.

**Donated by George Wine Company** 

103

## 1 - bottle Le Petit Mouton de Mouton de Rothschild 2005

estimated value: \$300

In honor of our featured first growth, we have a lovely donation from the Baron de Philippe Rothschild portfolio. "Beautiful blackcurrant fruit dominates the 2012 Le Petit Mouton de Rothschild. Pure, juicy, succulent, with ripe tannin and a medium to full-bodied, supple mouthfeel, this is a sexy second wine to drink over the next 12-15 years." 90 points -Robert Parker

Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight

104 Wine & Cheese Basket

3 – bottles Château Les Ormes-de-Pez 2000 Carrara Marble Board

Fiona Beckett's Cheese Course

This basket is the perfect for hosting your next wine and cheese night! The basket includes the essentials for an amazing get together with your friends – a book to help prepare your cheese course, a marble board with cheese tools for the perfect display, playing cards that have a unique wine fact on each card, a anchor wine stopper, and three bottles of Château Les Ormes-de-Pez 2000 which Robert Parker describes as "Fully mature, this nice chunky, fleshy wine displays notes of jus de viande, roasted herbs, plum sauce, black currants, and sweet cherries in a medium-bodied, savory, fruit-forward style."

Donated by Gamil & Susan Grais and Friends of Heart's Delight

# 105 Georgetown Painting estimated values #150

Born in Washington DC, Cecily Corcoran explores life and nature in her artwork. "My aim is to capture simple beauty. I hope to record a glimpse of this beauty before it folds into time. As I begin to create, I look for color, movement, and balance. I then determine the light source, because light provides a mood and reveals texture. My composition is blocked in with shapes of color varying from dark to light. I develop my work into a representational style."

From her studio in the United States to her work in cities and fields around the world, Cecily tailors her palette to bring out the essence of her subject. her specialty is oils, although some of her other works include acrylics, watercolors, and pastels.

**Donated by Cecily Corcoran** 

## 106 2000 Bordeaux Trio estimated value: \$450

- 1 bottle Château Figeac 2000
- 1 bottle Château Gruaud-Larose 2000
- 1 bottle Château Calon-Ségur 2000

2000 Bordeaux is a unique and important Bordeaux vintage. You have to go back to 1990 to find a year that was this good in all appellations, and at all different price levels. 2000 Bordeaux are ripe, opulent, round and aromatic. They are balanced, fresh and combine concentration with elegance.

"Tasted the Château Figeac vertical at the property...The nose is clean and fresh with strong graphite aromas, very Left Bank in style with black truffle and smoky notes developing. The palate is masculine and rather austere at first, though I notice that it gains fleshiness in the glass..." 91 points – The Wine Advocate

"...This is a pure, full-bodied Gruaud Larose with plenty of new saddle leather, cedar wood, black currants, cherries, licorice, and Provencal herbs. Spicy, earthy, full-bodied, and rich, it has hit its plateau of full maturity, where it should stay for another 20 or more years." 94 points - Robert Parker

"...The 2000 Calon Segur is one of those wines that reminds you how great the millennial vintage could be. Now at fifteen years old, it has a brilliant, vivacious red berry nose infused with ash and cigar box aromas. The detail here is a beguiling and it just "sings" Saint Estèphe... It finishes with a twist of bitter cherry on the finish that completes what is a deeply impressive Calon-Ségur; it might just outclass the 2005." 94 points – The Wine Advocate

**Donated by Scott & Cindy Greenberg** 

## Two Night Stay at the Sofitel Rome Villa Borghese

estimated value: \$1,000

All roads lead to Rome as you begin your journey at the five-star Sofitel Rome Villa Borghese for a two night stay including breakfast for two. The Sofitel Rome Villa Borghese is an enchanting boutique hotel set in an historic building dating back to the 1890's. The hotel enjoys splendid views over the Villa Borghese Park. Galleria Borghese and Villa Medici are just a five-minute walk from the hotel which reflects Rome's harmony of history, architecture and style.

Restrictions: Subject to availabilty. Expires May 31, 2018.

**Donated by Sofitel Rome Villa Borghese** 

108

## Wine Night Basket

estimated value: \$190

- 1 bottle August Briggs Ancient Vines Zinfandel 2013
- 1 bottle August Briggs Sonoma Coast Pinot Noir 2012
- 1 bottle August Briggs Monte Rosso Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon 2011

Perfect Pairings Book

Bambeco Wine Glasses, Set of 2

The Perfect Pairings book will help you prepare for a night of fun and delicious wine drinking. While drinking August Briggs from your new Bambeco wine glasses, enjoy playing a round of cards with The Wine Deck while learning interesting facts about wine that are posted on each card. At the end of the festivities use your IMM wine stopper to save the wine for later!

Donated by Mr. & Mrs. John Miklos and Friends of Heart's Delight

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## **Maryland Wine Excursion**

estimated value: \$400

Head over to The Wine Kitchen on the Creek in Frederick for a five-course wine-paired dinner for two. The Wine Kitchen offers all the fresh, seasonal ingredients that our area has to offer and has a unique wine list that you will get to try. Continue the Maryland fun by bringing seven of your friends to Black Ankle Vineyards in Mount Airy where you will be led on a guided tour through 22 acres of sustainably-grown vineyards. Next you will be given an in-depth tour of Black Ankle's unique eco-friendly tasting room. After the tour has concluded you will have a wine tasting.

Restrictions: The Wine Kitchen on the Creek: Reservation required, minimum one week prior to dinner. Excludes tax and gratuity. Expires May 31, 2018.

Donated by Black Ankle Vineyards and The Wine Kitchen on the Creek

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## 12 - bottles Château Haut-Bergey 2001 (in original wooden box) estimated value: \$300

"A sexy combination of blueberry, blackberry, and raspberry fruit in addition to graphite and barbecue spices jumps from the glass of this earthy, soft, medium-bodied 2001. Elegant, upfront, and seductive, with a plush texture as well as fine depth..." 90 points - Robert Parker

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**Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight** 

# Wine Tasting with Eric Platt from Artisans & Vines for Ten estimated value: \$500

Eric Platt is not only part of the Heart's Delight Committee Leadership, he has been in the wine world for 25+ years. He will entertain and educate you and nine of your best friends for an inhome private wine tasting of wine from around the world. Artisans and Vines was founded in 2009 by two former Country Vintner pioneers, as an import marketing company focusing on European wines from France, Spain, German and Italy. More recently the portfolio has grown to include new world wines from New Zealand and California. The portfolio has been built by passionate professionals with decades of experience who seek terroir-oriented wines from around the world. Old world Champagne producer, Poilvert-Jacques, and new world producer, Matakana Estate, from Marlborough, New Zealand, are just a couple of the gems in this forward-looking portfolio.

Restrictions: Valid until May 2018 on a mutually agreeable date. Valid within 35 miles of Washington, DC

**Donated by Eric Platt and Artisans & Vines** 

## 112 Prognosticator Case estimated value: \$425

- 1 bottle Beau Vigne 'Juliet' Cabernet Sauvignon 2004
- 1 bottle Kelly Fleming Cabernet Sauvignon 2007
- 1 bottle Eagles Trace Estate Grown Cabernet Sauvignon 2003
- 1 bottle Burly Cabernet Sauvignon 2012
- 1 bottle Poliziano Asinone 2010
- 1 bottle Chateau de Saint Cosme Gigondas 2012
- 1 bottle Chad Cabernet Sauvignon 2013
- 1 bottle Kelham Vineyards Cabernet Sauvignon 2003
- 1 bottle B Cellars Blend 24 2012
- 1 bottle Château Suduiraut 2001
- 1 bottle Penfolds RWT Shiraz 2002

Prognosticator: noun/one who predicts future events or developments. This group gets together once a year and this year they all brought a bottle to donate to our auction. We predict that you will enjoy this lovely lot!

Donated by Leigh-Alexandra Basha, Leo Fox III, Barry Glassman, Tim & Sherry Meyers, Jeffrey J. Schragg & Mary Jo George and David Wexler

# 113 One Night Stay at the XV Beacon in Boston estimated value: \$645

Boston is full of history, sites and destinations that make a trip incredible rewarding. Your pied-aterre will be none other than XV Beacon, a boutique luxury hotel famous for peerless service and superior accommodations. Situated in a 1903 Beaux Arts Building that juxtaposes cutting-edge technology with extraordinary Jeffersonian styling, Fifteen Beacon is a refined landmark. The hotel's Beacon Hill location is perfect for exploring Boston's Freedom Trail, strolling across the Common or down to Faneuil Hall and waterfront. If you want to venture further, take advantage of the hotel's courtesy Lexus sedan service to as city attraction. Breakfast for two at Mooo.... is also included with your stay.

Restrictions: Subject to availability. Black out dates apply. Non-transferrable. Expires May 31, 2018. Blackout dates include: Valentine's Day weekend, Boston Marathon weekend, BU/BC graduation weekend, Fourth of July weekend, Head of the Charles weekend and New Year's Eve.

**Donated by XV Beacon Hotel** 

## 1 1 - bottle Veuve Clicquot La Grande Dame Brut Champagne 2004 in Presentation Case

estimated value: \$150

"Clicquot's 2004 Brut La Grande Dame is vivacious and buoyant, with lemon and grapefruit set in entertaining counterpoint to almond paste and vanilla-tinged, tart-edged baked apple. Saline oyster liquor adds another, savory dimension in a lingering finish, while hints of chamomile and jasmine serve for aromatic allure. This delightful bottling might well achieve genuine profundity over the next two or three years." 91 points - The Wine Advocate

**Donated by Joel Kleinman** 

# 1 1 5 SoDel Concepts Gift Basket estimated value: \$250

We are happy to welcome Douglas Ruley, Vice President and Director of Culinary Operations for SoDel Concepts and Chef of Bluecoast Seafood Grill, for his second Heart's Delight! SoDel Concepts is an award-winning restaurant group located on Southern Delaware's Culinary Coast, including eight restaurants, a catering company, and a food truck, which have collectively received over 50 Best of Delaware awards. You won't want to miss this gift basket, which includes \$200 for use in all of the SoDel restaurant locations including: Catch54 Fish House in Fenwick Island, Fish On Bar & Grill in Lewes, Lupo Italian Kitchen in Rehoboth, NorthEast Seafood Kitchen in Ocean View, Matt's Fish Camp and Bluecoast Seafood Grill and Raw Bar in North Bethany, Papa Grande's Coastal Taqueria in Fenwick Island and Rehoboth). Jazz up your own kitchen creations with SoDel Sea Salt (summer lemon zest, black pepper fennel, and bay spice). Also, enjoy a four pack on Matt's homemade soda!

## **Donated by SoDel Concepts**

## 1 1 6 All Decked Out! estimated value: \$220

- 1 bottle Big Table Farm White Hawk Vineyard Syrah 2006
- 1 bottle Egelhoff Wines Cabernet Sauvignon 2003
- 1 bottle Littorai Charles Heintz Vineyard Chardonnay 2009
- 1 bottle Pfendler Vineyards Pinot Noir 2007

Chateau Old World Wooden Wine Box

Bring home these delicious bottles of wine in your fun new wine barrel carrier case!

Donated by Mr. & Mrs. John Miklos and Friends of Heart's Delight

## 1 1 1 1 2 - bottles Château Chasse-Spleen 1989 (in original wooden box) estimated value: \$600

"Make no mistake about it, the 1989 Chasse-Spleen is the finest wine this property has produced since their great 1949. This is a spectacularly rich, powerful, authoritative example of the vintage that can compete with and even surpass many of the most famous names. Layer upon layer of concentrated, sweet, expansive, blackcurrant fruit is wrapped in a frame of toasty new oak and decent acidity. An awesome wine!" 91 points - Robert Parker

Donated by a generous collector this has been stored at 55° at The Wine Rack in Washington, DC

Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight

# 118 Tunisian Handmade Glass Ice Bucket and Glasses estimated value: \$90

We are so grateful for the support of the Embassy of The Republic of Tunisia and His Excellency Fayçal Gouia for their contributions to Heart's Delight! This year the Embassy of The Republic of Tunisia graciously hosted one of our Thursday private dinners this year. They also kindly donated this beautiful handmade Tunisian ice bucket and set of four glasses.

Donated by Embassy of The Republic of Tunisia

# 1 1 9 1 - Magnum Matthiasson Cabernet Sauvignon 2013 estimated value: \$130

Welcome back to Jill Klein Matthiasson for her second Heart's Delight. We hope you had a chance to try the 2013 Cabernet and now the chance to take some home with you in the larger format. Steve Matthiasson and Jill Klein Matthiasson are racking up the accolades with their Matthiasson Wine: Food & Wine's 2012 Winemakers of the Year, San Francisco Chronicle's Winemaker of the Year, James Beard Finalist to name a few. We are thrilled that Jill is here with us this year and brings with her a lovely 2009 magnum. Steve Matthiasson was a sought-after vineyard consultant for many years before starting his eponymous winery. It has quickly become a source for some of Napa Valley's most remarkable wines. With his grapes-come-first sensibility, his skill at balancing lusciousness with crisp intensity and his fascination with little-known varieties, Matthiasson is helping to change the Napa Valley paradigm. – Ray Isle, Food & Wine

## **Donated by Matthiasson Wine**

## 120 1982 Burgundy Collection estimated value: \$500

- 1 bottle Domaine Blain-Gagnard Batard-Montrachet Grand Cru 1982
- 2 bottles Coche-Dury Bourgogne Blanc 1982
- 1 bottle Domaine des Comtes Lafon Meursault Clos de la Barre 1982
- 2 bottles Domaine des Comtes Lafon Les Gouttes d'Or, Meursault 1982
- 2 bottles Le Montrachet Averys 1982

This generous collectors did all of the hard work now you just have to bid high and take home these aged Burgundies from 1982

## **Donated by Ed Lenkin**

Syrah to Go!

1 21 Syran to Go! estimated value: \$120

3 - bottles Havens Wine Cellars Hudson Vineyard Syrah 2004

Can't get enough Syrah? Not only will you be able to enjoy three bottles of Havens Wine Cellars Hudson Vineyard Syrah but you will be able to bring it with you in your new leather wine carrier! Rated 91 points by Robert Parker he states that "the 2004 Syrah Hudson Vineyard is a wellproven site for top-notch Syrah."

Donated by Gamil & Susan Grais and Friends of Heart's Delight

1 22 12 - bottles Château Montlisse 2000 (in original wooden box) estimated value: \$360

"This impressive 2000 qualifies as a sleeper of the vintage. This dense plum/purple-colored offering displays excellent sweet mocha-infused blackberry and cherry liqueur notes with hints of truffles and caramel. Full-bodied, with sumptuous sweetness, low acidity, and ripe tannin, it will be drinkable between 2005-2020.." 90 points - Robert Parker

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Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight

123 Custom Shirt from Trunk Club estimated value: \$200

Trunk Club was started to solve a simple problem: shopping for clothes in stores is overwhelming and inconvenient. With Trunk Club, you'll discover great clothes that are perfect for you without ever having to go shopping. This opportunity will allow you to create a custom shirt! You will meet your stylist at the Washington, DC Clubhouse to get measured and discuss what you want to have made. While there, you can get inspired by the energizing buzz of the place or just relax by the bar with a cocktail while we walk through all your options to create your dream shirt!

**Donated by Trunk Club** 

# **124** Bourbon Lovers' Kit estimated value: \$210

1 - bottle Prichard's Double Barreled Bourbon Signed Viski crystal tumblers and Viski Decanter

Heart's Delight hosted its first Bourbon Tasting & Auction this February and we were inspired to put together this package! Learn all the basics and more from Brown Booze and the Gatsby Cocktails book. This package also includes all you will need to entertain your new cocktail mixing skills – a signed bottle of bourbon from Prichard's Distillery, whiskey stones, a crystal decanter, crystal tumblers, and a set of etched rock glasses. Keep the party going the next morning with the Sugar Chalet bourbon maple syrup!

Donated by Prichard's Distillery and Friends of Heart's Delight

# 1 25 4 - bottles d'Arenberg The Dead Arm Shiraz 1998 estimated value: \$200

"...Everything is here, including a dense ruby/purple color, and subtle but impressive notes of damp earth, roasted meats, herbs, spice box, pepper, and black fruits. Tannic, full-bodied, and youthful, it is capable of lasting another 25-30 years." 94+ points - Robert Parker

Donated by Yolita Tjoeng and Song Jo

## 126 We → Jeff Tunks! estimated value: \$100

Jeff Tunks has never missed a Heart's Delight - 18 years in a row! Tonight he is featuring food from the newly opened TenPenh in Tysons Corner. Can't get enough? Here is your opportunity to eat his food again at any of the Passion Food Hospitality locations - DC Coast, Acadiana, PassionFish, District Commons, Burger, Tap & Shake, TenPenh Tysons and Penn Commons.

**Donated by Passion Food Hospitality** 

# 127 12 - bottles Château de Beaucastel Côtes du Rhône Coudoulet de Beaucastel 2009

estimated value: \$335

"The 2009 Côtes du Rhône Coudoulet red represents the essence of Provence in its notes of ground pepper, new saddle leather, lavender, kirsch, garrigue, and abundant red and black fruits. This complex, evolved, luscious red begs for a bloody grilled steak. With a creamy, medium to full-bodied texture, this gorgeous, complex, evolved wine should be enjoyed from 2011 - 2019." 90 points - Robert Parker

**Donated by James Hallinan** 

## 1 28 One Night Stay at Briar Patch Bed & Breakfast Inn estimated value: \$220

Enjoy a one night stay at Briar Patch Bed & Breakfast Inn, a historic property on 47 rolling acres with majestic mountain views in Middleburg - the heart of Virginia wine and horse country.

Restrictions: Valid Monday through Thursday for a room in the main house. Subject to availability.

Donated by Briar Patch Bed and Breakfast Inn

# 129 Game Night – Wine Themed! estimated value: \$200

- 1 bottle Rocca Family Estate Cabernet Sauvignon 2001
- 1 bottle Ruston Family Vineyards Stagecoach Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon 2003
- 1 bottle Salvestrin Estate Cabernet Sauvignon 2005
- 1 bottle Simoneau Vineyards Cabernet Sauvignon 2005

Invite your friends over for a game night and some great California Cabernet Sauvignons! Test your wine tasting and trivia skills by playing Winerd the ultimate wine tasting and trivia game!

Donated by Mr. & Mrs. John Miklos and Friends of Heart's Delight

# 130 12 - bottles Château La Lagune 1989 (in original wooden box) estimated value: \$900

"I have always enjoyed the 1989 La Lagune. At first I thought it was marginally superior to the 1990, but they are essentially equivalent in quality, although the 1989 possesses less fat, and a more ruggedly tannic structure. The color is a healthy dark ruby, and the wine offers up a smoky, sweet vanillin, jammy berry-scented nose with aromas of weedy tobacco. The wine is mediumbodied, with excellent purity and richness, and gobs of red and black currant fruit nicely dosed with new oak..." 90 points - Robert Parker

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## Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight

## Mint Julip Kit

estimated value: \$200

Get ready for the Derby! Show off your mint julip mixology skills by inviting your friends over to enjoy a night of delicious cocktails and a fun game of cards!

Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight

## 132 6 – bottles Opus One 1982 (in original wooden box) estimated value: \$1,800

"...This bottle reveals a healthy deep ruby color, and an attractive light intensity nose of herbs and black-cherry fruit nicely complemented by subtle new oak. In the mouth, this is an elegant, medium-bodied wine with good structure, fine concentration, and an overall sense of balance and finesse..." - Robert Parker

**Donated by Ed Lenkin** 

## 133 Three Islands Clothing Collection estimated value: \$200

Three Islands Lifestyle combines the clean lines of classic American sportswear with vibrant, handmade batik prints produced by Balinese artisans. The result is a fun and colorful collection of easy-to-wear apparel and swimwear for the whole family that conjures the feeling of sun on your skin, salt in your hair, and sand in your toes. Created by cousins Justin Goff and Phil Barney, Three Islands Lifestyle was born of their love for all things sun, sand and surf.

Your family will be beach ready with this Three Islands collection that includes one Women's Tracy Tunic (Size Medium), Pair of Men's Shorts (Size 36), one Boys Short Sleeve Shirt (Size Medium, Ages 7-8), one Girls Shift Dress (Size Medium, Ages 7-8)

## **Donated by Three Islands**

# 134 12 - bottles Château de Reignac 2001 (in original wooden box) estimated value: \$240

"The flagship example of high-class generic Bordeaux that is impeccably well-made by a driven proprietor, this blend of 75% Merlot and 25% Cabernet Sauvignon was fashioned from meager yields of 26 hectoliters per hectare...A dense ruby/purple color is followed by sweet aromas of black currants, espresso roast, chocolate, and new oak. Textured and medium-bodied, with excellent purity as well as a long, concentrated, expansive mid-palate and finish..." 90 points -Robert Parker

Donated by a generous collector this has been stored at 55° at The Wine Rack in Washington, DC

## Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight

# 135 Dinner for Four at Café Oggi estimated value: \$200

Enjoy a dinner for four at Café Oggi in McLean, Virginia. Café Oggi was conceived in 1991 with the sole purpose of integrating a little slice of Italy's splendor into the heart of McLean. Twenty-six years later, it has infused an atmosphere full of diverse personal communication and social interaction by formulating ingenious variations of house-concocted recipes as the means and most fundamental common denominator to an enlightening culinary equation.

Restrictions: Excludes alcohol, tax and gratuity. Expires July 31, 2018.

## Donated by Café Oggi, in memory of Mary Taormina

## Six Pack of Cabernet Sauvignon 136 Six Pack of Cabernet estimated value: \$350

- 1 bottle Arns Cabernet Sauvignon 2001
- 1 bottle Chiarello Family Vineyards Eileen Cabernet Sauvignon 2007
- 1 bottle Hanna Bismark Mountain Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon 2007
- 1 bottle Larkmead Vineyards Cabernet Sauvignon 2003
- 1 bottle Robert Mondavi Winery Oakville Cabernet Sauvignon 2008
- 1 bottle Rocca Family Estate Cabernet Sauvignon 2002

Plus a leather wine tote and a tasting journal!

Use your new wine tasting journal to take notes on these six bottles of Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon. This Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon collection also comes with a carrier case to share this wine with your friends!

Donated by Mr. & Mrs. John Miklos and Friends of Heart's Delight

## 5 - bottles Rocche Costamagna Bricco Francesco Rocche dell'Annunziata 1997

estimated value: \$175

"A delicious, subtle Barolo. Attractive plum, dried cherry and leather aromas. Medium-bodied, with fine tannins and an aftertaste of fruit, plum and tea." – Wine Spectator (90 points)

Donated by Yolita Tjoeng and Song Jo

## 138 007 Cocktail Extavaganza estimated value: \$100

Impress your guests by making a drink that James Bond himself would approve of by whipping up a cocktail from "Bond Cocktails." Also included is a wood chip and dip container, a mixing pitcher with strainer, etched glasses to drink your cocktails in style, toothpicks, and coasters.

Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight

# 139 12 - bottles Château Bellefont-Belcier 2000 (in original wooden box) estimated value: \$600

"This dense ruby/purple-colored offering offers sweet, jammy black cherry fruit accompanied by notes of dried herbs, cedar, licorice, and spice box. Medium to full-bodied, with a sweet attack as well as excellent concentration and symmetry. This is a delicious, open-knit wine from an up and coming estate." - Robert Parker (90 points)

Donated by a generous collector this has been stored at 55° at The Wine Rack in Washington DC

**Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight** 

## 140

## Pinot Noir Picnic Set estimated value: \$210

- 1 bottle Sea Smoke Southing Pinot Noir 2009
- 1 bottle Zepaltas Suacci Vineyard Pinot Noir 2005

Harmony Deluxe Wine Case Service for Two

This set is perfect for your next picnic or free concert in DC! All you need to remember is to pack your pinot noir and the rest is taken care of – your new leather carrier case contains two wine glasses, napkins, a corkscrew and a wine stopper.

Donated by Mr. & Mrs. John Miklos and Friends of Heart's Delight

## **141** Eight Bottles of Bordeaux! estimated value: \$910

- 3 bottles Château Ducru-Beaucaillou 1975
- 3 bottles Château Chasse-Spleen 1982
- 2 bottles Château Montrose 1981

Robert Parker describes the Ducru-Beaucaillou as "...revealing a complex, earthy, cedar, curranty nose with dried fruit and herb components, full body, and a classic, old style personality. It displays more finesse and character than it did at a younger age."

The Chasse-Spleen is four stars according to Michael Broadbent: "Masses of notes as I bought it for drinking at home. Rich: color, nose, and taste. Living up to its reputation. And, unlike many bourgeois clarets, not only holding on but, after 15 years, still with bouquet which opens in the glass." The Wine Spectator describes the Montrose as "...a fine claret at its peak. Medium-red to garnet color with spicy, chocolate character on the nose and palate. Medium-bodied with a soft texture and cedar aftertaste." – Wine Spectator

**Donated by Robert Baker** 

# **142** Two Nights in Los Angeles estimated value: \$750

Sofitel Los Angeles at Beverly Hills is a stunning hotel in LA offering elegant luxury accommodations and dramatic decor with an ambiance that combines see-and-be-seen excitement and the calm of an urban resort. This West Hollywood hotel is ideally situated on the corner of La Cienega and Beverly Boulevard. Discover a unique blend of French fashion mixed with Hollywood glamour at this elegant hotel.

Restrictions: Sofitel Expires March 13, 2018. Includes room and tax. Reservation subject to availability.

Donated by Sofitel Los Angeles at Beverly Hills

# 143 Outdoor Entertaining Kit estimated value: \$150

You'll be ready for summer with this outdoor entertaining kit! The Mesavino portable mini bar table will hold your bottle of wine, two glasses, and your appetizers in one convenient place! The Modgy wine glass shades turn a typical wine glass into the perfect candlelit outdoor table décor. Set the table for your quests with the polka dot napkins and the paper placements for easy clean up! Mix up a batch of your favorite cocktail in the Home Essentials beverage dispenser. Don't let the elements effect your outdoor time by using the Stanley growler to keep your beverages hot in the winter and cool in the summer heat.

## **Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight**

## 12 - bottles Leducq Vineyards Le Ducq 1993 (in original wooden box) estimated value: \$300

Leducg Vineyards was an established Napa Valley wine producer focusing on limited production of red Bordeaux-style wines. The property was named after founder Jean Leducq, a Parisian businessman. The cornerstone of Leducq was the associated 41.5-acre estate vineyard located just north of the town of St. Helena in the Napa Valley. Beautifully situated, well-drained and gently sloped parcel planted to Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot and Cabernet Franc. The front 35 acres of the Ehlers Lane property were purchased in the late 1980s. In 2001 Leducq Vineyards reunited the front acreage with the historic Ehler's Lane winery (Est. 1886) and the northern vineyards.

## Donated by Yolita Tjoeng and Song Jo

## **Six-Pack of Rhone Wines** estimated value: \$240

Along with Bordeaux and Burgundy, Rhone Valley wines are some of the world's greatest red wines. The Northern Rhone produces powerful, aromatically complex and ageworthy red wines, generally in very limited quantities, from the noble Syrah grape. The Southern Rhone is a nearly bottomless source of somewhat more rustic and often even richer blends based on the high-alcohol Grenache grape, in a style that can only be described as more "southern" in flavorthat is, Rhone wines offering a richer mouth feel, a more roasted and sometimes liqueur-like fruit character, and notes of wild herbs and spices.

## **Donated by Carol & Larry Gage**

# 146 Scout Bag Trio! estimated value: \$65

Founded in 2004, SCOUT by Bungalow is an active and casual lifestyle brand inspired by coowners, Ben and Deb Johns, and the life they created with their family of 4 kids and 4 dogs in the Washington, DC neighborhood of Georgetown.

**Donated by SCOUT by Bungalow** 

## **147** Frank Family Vineyards Duo estimated value: \$190

- 1 bottle Frank Family Vineyards Mt. Veeder Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon 2013
- 1 bottle Frank Family Vineyards Calistoga Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon 2013

These wines are only available from the wine club and this is your chance to get your hands on them! "The 2013 Mt. Veeder Cabernet Sauvignon is deep, opaque magenta in the glass. It has a pretty, feminine nose with hints of blackberries. The wine is really well balanced, offering great texture and gobs of juicy black fruits and coffee, with a sweet core that balances the wine's rich tannins." – Winemaker Notes "The 2013 Calistoga Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon is a powerhouse wine. The wine's color is very dark burgundy with garnets on the rim. The nose is beautiful—cloves, black cherries, and cedar." - Winemaker Notes

**Donated by Tim O'Toole** 

# 148 Signed Carrick Wines Trio and Wine Tote estimated value: \$130

- 1 bottle Carrick Pinot Gris 2011 (signed)
- 1 bottle Carrick Bannockburn Pinot Noir 2012 (signed)
- 1 bottle Carrick Unravelled Pinot Noir 2013 (signed)

The Wine Advocate says "The 2011 Pinot Gris gives aromas of warm apples, poached pears, white pepper and crushed stones. This dry style, medium-bodied Pinot Gris...nicely balanced by crisp acidity. It finishes with lingering spice notes." James Suckling describes the Bannockburn Pinot Noir as "a dark and brooding nose, deep fruits, earthy nuances and a wealth of spiced cherry fruit too. The palate has crisp tannin cut, some dark plum and dark cherry flavour through the middle, savoury and structred Central Otago Pinot here." The Wine Advocate describes the Unravelled Pinot Noir as "med ruby-purple colored, the 2013 Unravelled Pinot Noir gives... aromas of black cherries and plums."

## Donated by Eric Platt and Friends of Heart's Delight

# 149 Martin's Tavern in Georgetown estimated value: \$100

Since 1933, the warm atmosphere of Martin's Tavern has welcomed neighbors and world travelers looking for great food, service and years of history within its walls. The Tavern's history is full of iconic stories, such as the President's favorite booths, Mickey Mantle in The Dugout Room, and George W. Bush and family at Table 12. Fourth generation owner Billy Martin, Jr. continues the tradition of Washington's oldest family-owned restaurant and Georgetown landmark.

Restrictions: May be used for food and beverage only. Tax and tip not included.

## **Donated by Martin's Tavern**





## 1 - Double Magnum Château Branaire-Ducru 2005 estimated value: \$400

We are sorry Patrick Maroteaux could not be with us this year but he sends this grand bottle for some lucky high bidder. "Floral nuances combined with lots of mulberry, raspberry and sweet blackcurrant fruit are followed by a medium to full-bodied, beautifully pure, textured, complex wine with soft tannin..." 93 points - Robert Parker

Donated by Château Branaire-Ducru

## 12 - bottles Château Calon-Ségur 1995 (in original wooden box) estimated value: \$1,200

"...The 1995 Calon-Ségur was the vintage that raised the profile of this estate and heralded the start of the late Mme Gasqueton's era...It has an endearing bouquet that still seems youthful: brambly red fruit, asphalt and a light marine influence. Allowing the wine to open, there is a subtle winegum scent. The palate is medium-bodied with supple tannin, impressive depth and backbone, the second half having mellowed in recent years, rendering this approachable; hints of secondary truffle and smoke notes emerging with aeration..." 94 points - The Wine Advocate

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Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight

# 202 12 - bottles Silver Oak Alexander Valley Cabernet Sauvignon 1995 estimated value: \$900

"...This dark ruby/purple-colored, seductive wine offers blazingly intense aromas of cigar box, smoky oak, and jammy black currants with a hint of Provencal herbs. Ripe and full-bodied, with low acidity, and a fleshy, succulent texture..." 94 points - Robert Parker

Donated by Yolita Tjoeng and Song Jo

## 203 Château Baccarat XL Wine Glasses estimated value: \$260

The Château Baccarat wine tasting glass is hallmarked at its foot with gold tinged red crystal. The oversized proportions of the glass are engineered to provide optimal conditions for sampling fine wines. It has a sharp aesthetic and contemporary design that melds form and function.

## **Donated by Baccarat**

## 2 - Magnums George Wine Company Sonoma Coma Pinot Noir 2015 estimated value: \$200

We are so sorry to be missing George at Heart's Delight this year – a Heart's Delight veteran he is our favorite one-man-show. George Levkoff crafts Pinot Noir the "old-school" Burgundian way, and savvy sommeliers around the country keep spreading his gospel. And nowhere more so than Las Vegas, where, at last count, George Pinot Noirs grace the wine lists of nearly 100 top restaurants (Joel Robuchon, Spago and Picasso to name a few). New York comes close to this number, including iconic spots such as Craft, Marea, and The 21 Club. Closer to home, you'll find George at BLT Steak, Proof, and The Inn at Little Washington to name a few.

## **Donated by George Wine Company**

## 205 Wine & Cheese Night! estimated value: \$220

- 1 bottle Robert Mondavi Winery S.L.D. Cabernet Sauvignon 2011
- 1 bottle Northstar Winery Stella Blanca 2013

For your next wine and cheese night! The Wine & Food book will help you perfect your pairings. Entertaining will be made easier with the decanter, slate coasters, a slate cutting board and nut bowls that are included in this package.

Donated by Mr. & Mrs. John Miklos and Friends of Heart's Delight

## 206 estimated value: \$750

## 6 – bottles Château Léoville-Las Cases 1983

"...it blossoms with aeration offering scents of leather, chestnut, brambly black fruit and freshly rolled tobacco. The palate is medium-bodied with melted red-berry fruits, firm tannins and superb balance. Hints of bell pepper and sandalwood furnish the long, harmonious finish." 94 points – The Wine Advocate

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Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight

## Tour, Tasting and Overnight Stay at Early Mountain Vineyards estimated value: \$550

Early Mountain Vineyards in Charlottesville, Virginia welcomes you for an afternoon of wine tasting, a tour of the vineyard, and a night's stay at their beautiful guest cottage! Located in the foothills of the beautiful Blue Ridge Mountains, Early Mountain Vineyards sits on land with a deep and rich history, including a visit from George Washington after the Revolutionary War. It is with great pride that they showcase and share some of the finest wines that Virginia has to offer. In addition to serving our own estate-grown wines, our tasting room features a selection of some of the most celebrated and best-loved Virginia wines from award-winning wineries, including: Barboursville, Breaux, Chatham, King Family, Linden, and Thibaut-Janisson.

Restrictions: Expires May 2018. All guests must be 21 years of age or older. Cottage can sleep up to four guests and includes a king bed as well as a queen pull-out mattress. Subject to availability of the Cottage and staff to direct a tour of the vineyards. Reservation required.

## **Donated by Early Mountain Vineyards**

# 208 12 - bottles Château Léoville Barton 1994 (in original wooden box) estimated value: \$1,000

"It is no secret that Anthony Barton's efforts over the last decade at his St.-Julien estate, Leoville-Barton, is resulting in terrific wines...This estate has been extremely successful in recent vintages...The dense, murky, purple color, closed aromatics, massive flavor richness, and high tannin recall the old, non-compromised, beefy, blockbuster Medocs produced thirty years ago..." 90 points - Robert Parker

Donated by a generous collector this has been stored at 55° at The Wine Rack in Washington, DC

Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight

# 209 Suzy Levian Handbag estimated value: \$500

Suzy Levian opened her own company on the side to be able to express her love for empowering women through designing beautiful and affordable jewelry, handbags and accessories for everyone to enjoy. Although Suzy Levian creates the most fabulous designs, her main goal is to spread her message to empower women. "Strength. Power. Beauty." This Suzy Levian satchel is perfect for your everyday errands.

Donated by Suzy Levian LLC

# 210 6 - bottles Château Ormes de Pez 2007 (in original wooden box) estimated value: \$250

"Chocolate and solid fruit flavors in this exemplary wine. It is rich, the tannins balancing with blackberry fruit flavors. The density of the texture suggests good medium-term aging." 91 points – The Wine Enthusiast

Donated by Château Ormes de Pez

## 211 Alexander McQueen Sunglasses estimated value: \$400

Alexander McQueen not only designed these sunglasses but also designed Kate Middleton's wedding dress. Snap up these Alexander McQueen sunglasses while you can!

Donated by Stan Appelbaum & Barbara Bassin

# **212** A Whole Lot of Lewis estimated value: \$600

- 1 bottle Lewis Cellars Cabernet Sauvignon Reserve 2003
- 1 bottle Lewis Cellars Cabernet Sauvignon 2004
- 1 bottle Lewis Cellars Cabernet Sauvignon 2005
- 1 bottle Lewis Cellars Chardonnay Sonoma 2005
- 1 bottle Lewis Cellars Chardonnay Barcaglia Lane 2006
- 1 bottle Lewis Cellars Chardonnay Reserve 2006

Sadly Debbie Lewis just passed away after a tough fight with cancer but before she did, she saw Wine Spectator name the 2013 Lewis as the 2016 Wine of the Year! This lot celebrates that – and Debbie's courage.

## **Donated by John Brooks**

# 213 Dinner at BlackSalt for Six with Robert Kacher estimated value: \$1,200

Join renowned wine importer and DC's own Robert 'Bobby' Kacher along with Mark Wessels from MacArthur Beverages for a world-class wine dinner at BlackSalt restaurant in DC. Package includes dinner and wine for 6 people (plus Bobby & Mark). All wines will be provided from Bobby Kacher's private cellar which boasts some of the finest French wines ever made! This will truly be a very special wine dinner.

Restrictions: Must be on a mutually agreed date. Expires May 2018.

Donated by BlackSalt, Robert Kacher and MacArthur Beverages

## **214** Down Under Lot estimated value: \$940

- 1 bottle Gibson Australian Old Vine Collection Barossa Valley Shiraz 2003
- 1 bottle d'Arenberg The Dead Arm Shiraz 2002
- 1 bottle Henry's Drive Reserve Shiraz 2007
- 1 bottle Torbreck The Factor Shiraz 1999, Barossa Valley
- 1 bottle Carrick Excelsior Pinot Noir 2009
- 1 bottle Ben Glaetzer Amon-Ra Shiraz, Barossa Valley 2006
- 1 bottle Dutschke Willow Bend Shiraz Cabernet Merlot 1998
- 2 bottles Majella Shiraz 1999
- 2 bottles Chain of Ponds Ledge Shiraz 1997
- 1 bottle Morambro Creek Shiraz 2002
- 2 bottles Australian Domaine Sheeraz Limestone Coast Shiraz 1998
- 3 bottles Burge Family "Draycott" Barossa Valley Shiraz 1999
- 1 bottle Pikes Shiraz 1999
- 2 bottles Mitchell Peppertree Vineyard Shiraz 1999
- 3 bottles ADW Australian Domaine Wines Alliance Shiraz 1999
- 1 bottle Rippon Gewurztraminer Lake Wanaka Central Otago 2012

Austrailia and New Zealand have a long history of friendly rivalry. They argue over the orgin of the Pavlova. They both claim actor Russell Crowe as their own. And when it comes to sports well, it's probably best not to mention rugby...But the winning bidder can enjoy the Aussie and Kiwi debate over many glasses of wine from this Down Under Lot!

Donated by Scott & Lily Claffee, James E. Gaby, Gamil & Susan Grais, Joel Kleinman, Mr. & Mrs. John Miklos, Eric Platt, Yolita Tjoeng and Song Jo and Friends of Heart's Delight

## 215 Dinner for Twelve from Geppetto Catering estimated value: \$500

Enjoy a drop-off dinner for twelve from Geppetto Catering, Washington's choice for corporate catering. Your feast will include Maryland crab cakes, fillet of beef, delicious sides, salad, and French fruit cake. Since 1989, Geppetto has provided elegant and sophisticated catering services to the greater Washington area. This is why they are known as Washington's choice for corporate catering. Geppetto Catering's presentations have been described as classic with ingredients fresh off the farm.

Restrictions: Expires May 13, 2018. Must be within the greater Washington, DC region. Does not include delivery fee, and is subject to caterer's availability. Geppetto Catering is closed Saturdays and Sundays.

Donated by Geppetto Catering, Inc.

# **216** Patz & Hall Collection estimated value: \$500

- 1 bottle Patz & Hall Chardonnay Adler Springs Vineyard 2012
- 1 bottle Patz & Hall Chardonnay Dutton Ranch 2012
- 1 bottle Patz & Hall Chardonnay Hudson Vineyard 2013
- 1 bottle Patz & Hall Chardonnay Cherry Ridge Vineyard 2012
- 1 bottle Patz & Hall Chardonnay Goldrock Ridge Vineyard 2014
- 1 bottle Patz & Hall Chardonnay Hyde Vineyard 2012
- 1 bottle Patz & Hall Pinot Noir Bootlegger's Hill 2013
- 1 bottle Patz & Hall Pinot Noir Brown Ranch 2013
- 1 bottle Patz & Hall Pinot Noir Jenkins Ranch 2012

This is your chance to get your hands on this collection of Patz & Hall Chardonnays and Pinot Noirs! Patz & Hall was founded in 1988 by four talented individuals - Donald Patz, James Hall, Anne Moses and Heather Patz. Together, they have turned Patz & Hall into one of California's most highly regarded wineries, with a celebrated portfolio of single-vineyard Chardonnay and Pinot Noir wines.

Donated by Mr. & Mrs. John Miklos

# **217** Seven-Day Wine Tour through Germany's Riesling Country on June 19-25, 2017

estimated value: \$4,200

This seven-day tour (June 19-25, 2017) lets you explore the regions that are quintessential to understand Riesling and the concept of terroir: The Rheingau, Mittelrhein, Ahr, Mosel, and Nahe wine regions. You will visit many picturesque wine towns and take a cruise on the romantic Rhine River with its castle- and vine-ribboned bank; the Mosel valley with its dizzying steep vineyards; delving into 2,000 years of history and tasting premium wines at 16 world-class wine estates, such as J.J. Prüm, Leitz, Molitor, Zilliken, and Meyer-Näkel. The tour starts and ends in Frankfurt. You will travel with the husband and wife team Dr. Christian Schiller, wine writer, and Annette Schiller, organizer of wine classes, wine tours, and wine events. Their expert knowledge about German wines and their personal relationships with the wine estate owners and winemakers will give you an unparalleled, personal, and authentic experience and an inside view behind the scenes of premium German wineries

Restrictions: Spot for 1 person. Flight to and from Frankfurt is not included in the tour. Six nights' accommodation, transport in the wine regions, all visits and sightseeing, all wine tastings, and meals are included. Tour dates June 19-25, 2017.

Donated by Ombiasy PR & Wine Tours

# **218** Liquid Farm Chardonnay Magnum Duo! estimated value: \$240

- 1 Magnum Liquid Farm Four Chardonnay 2013
- 1 Magnum Liquid Farm White Hill Chardonnay 2013

We would like to welcome Jeff Nelson of Liquid Farms to his first Heart's Delight! He brought with him two magnums from their 2013 vintage. Rated 94 points by The Wine Advocate the 2013 Chardonnay Four "is a sensational Chardonnay that has more than a passing resemblance to a top white Burgundy. Loaded with notions of lemon curd, crushed rocks, white flowers and apple/orchard fruits, it's medium+-bodied, layered and textured, with vibrant acidity giving ample cut and focus to its texture." The 2013 White Hill Chardonnay was rated 92 points by Vinous and is decribes as "...one of the most supple, open-knit wines in the range. Hints of apricot pit, smoke, butter, chamomile and honey flesh out in a succulent Chardonnay with tons of near and medium-term appeal..."

## **Donated by Liquid Farm**

## 219 1 - bottle Taylor Fladgate Vintage Port 1977 estimated value: \$125

"This house must certainly be the Latour of Portugal. Their ports are remarkably backward yet still impressive when young...The 1977 has consistently been at the top of my list of vintage ports in this great vintage...It is a mammoth, opaque, statuesque vintage port of remarkable depth and power..." 96 points - Robert Parker

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Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight

## 220 Cru Beaujolais 2015 Starter Kit estimated value: \$355

- 1 bottle Domaine du Pavillon de Chavannes Côte de Brouilly Cuveé des Ambassades 2015
- 1 bottle Domaine Julien Sunier Régnié 2015
- 1 bottle Domaine Marcel Lapierre Morgon 2015
- 1 bottle Domaine du Vissoux Moulin-à-Vent Les Trois Roches 2015
- 1 bottle Domaine du Vissoux Brouilly Pierreux 2015
- 1 bottle Daniel Bouland Chiroubles 2015
- 1 bottle Domaine Jean Foillard Morgon Cuvée Corcelette 2015
- 1 bottle Juliénas Château de Juliénas 2015
- 3 bottle Domaine Julien Sunier Fleurie 2015
- 1 bottle Jean-Louis Dutraive Domaine de la Grand'Cour Brouilly Vieilles Vignes 2015
- 2 bottles Jean-Paul Brun Domaine des Terres Dorées Beaujolais Blanc 2015

"Beaujolais has always been a gateway to the Côte d'Or for me. Often much fruitier and juicier when young, many of the crus can shed their baby fat and mature similarly to village-level and even some lesser premier crus. Like other parts of Burgundy, terroir has as much of a role as producer in the final result. For example, Morgon and Chiroubles share a border but the wines are remarkably different due to elevation and soil variation. This lot can be thought of as a number of things: a "Beginner's Guide to Burgundy", a "Study of Cru Beaujolais", or an "Initiation into the World of Auctions". Regardless of how you look at it, this lot is a fascinating study of a top-flight vintage of cellar-worthy gems." - Tim O'Rourke, Auction Chairman

Donated by Gail Bassin, John Brooks, Alicia Cypress, Doug Heye, Tim O'Rourke, Calvert Woodley Fine Wine & Spirits, SommPicks and #cookingwithoutshoes

# Behind the Scenes Tour of WTOP estimated value: \$200

Enjoy a tour for six behind the scenes of WTOP. This opportunity is an exclusive tour of the WTOP studios, in upper Northwest DC. WTOP is Washington's source for news, traffic and weather.

Restrictions: Tour valid Monday - Friday, by appointment only. Expires April 30, 2018.

**Donated by WTOP** 

# **222** Six Pack of Rivers-Marie estimated value: \$370

- 1 bottle Rivers-Marie Cabernet Sauvignon 2010
- 1 bottle Rivers-Marie Cabernet Sauvignon 2011
- 1 bottle Rivers-Marie Cabernet Sauvignon 2012
- 1 bottle Rivers-Marie Chardonnay 2012
- 1 bottle Rivers-Marie Sonoma Coast Pinot Noir 2012
- 1 bottle Rivers-Marie Sonoma Coast Pinot Noir 2014

Thomas Rivers Brown and his wife Genevieve Marie Walsh have quietly developed some of California's most cherished wines. Their wines are available by mailing list only and that has been full for some time so this is a great chance to try these wines.

Donated by Mr. & Mrs. John Miklos

# **223** 4 - bottles Carter Cellars Beckstoffer To Kalon Vineyard The O.G. Cabernet Sauvignon 2007

estimated value: \$480

"...Its inky/blue/purple color is accompanied by a tight, but promising aromatic display of spring flowers, licorice, new oak, and blue and black fruits. The wine is dense and full-bodied as well as extremely high in tannin and extract." 94+ points - Robert Parker

Donated by Jeffrey J. Schragg & Mary Jo George

# **224** Riverside Design Group estimated value: \$200

Show off your environmentally-friendly efforts with this beautiful set of plates! The set includes four 11" Square Pink Heart Plates. Riverside Design group in Pittsburgh prides itself on being a "green" company that gives back the community. Their efforts include operating out of an energy efficient LEED certified building, using recyclable and sustainable materials and including glass with recycled content.

**Donated by Riverside Design Group** 

## 225 1 - 3L Ram's Gate Winery Estate Pinot Noir 2014 estimated value: \$300

We would like to welcome Greg Miller back for his second Heart's Delight but it is his first time representing Ram's Gate Winery. Ram's Gate Winery opened in the Fall of 2011 as a place to press pause, to stop and savor what we love most. The Sonoma winery focuses on small-lot Chardonnay and Pinot Noir, and their aim is simple: to create the finest possible wines that only their climate and their terroir can produce.

**Donated by Ram's Gate Winery** 

## Pinot Noir Duo estimated value: \$180

- 1 bottle Small Vines Estate Cuvee Pinot Noir 2012
- 1 bottle DuMOL Pinot Noir 2013

Bring home these two California Pinot Noirs in your new two bottle leather wine carrier!

"The 2012 Pinot Noir Estate Cuvée...light to medium ruby in color, possesses strawberry and cherry fruit, modest alcohol and light tannins." - Robert Parker

The 2013 DuMOL Pinot Noir "...displays sweet and sour cherries, a seductive, meaty herbaceousness and roundness, lush tannin and good depth of fruit and finish..." - Robert Parker

Donated by Mr. & Mrs. John Miklos and Friends of Heart's Delight

# 227 Virginia vs. Cult California vs. Bordeaux with Jarad Slipp, MS estimated value: \$900

Jarad Slipp is one of the few Master Sommeliers in the Washington area and is currently the Estate Director of RdV Vineyards in Delaplane, Virginia. Jarad was at CityZen for years and now is your chance to visit him at RdV. The vineyard is owned by Rutger de Vink which produces exceptional Bordeaux-style wines. You are in for a treat, besides the tour and tasting of RdV Vineyards which is about an hour west of Washington, you will be in for a treat as you taste some amazing wine and tasting it with Jarad! You will get to see how the Cult California and Bordeaux wines stack up to Virginia's finest. It is bound to be education and entertaining.

Restrictions: Valid for four people on a mutually agreeable date. Expires May 2018.

Donated by Jarad Slipp, MS, RdV Vineyards

## 228 12 - bottles Château Sociando-Mallet 2000 estimated value: \$600

"This is a beautiful wine and certainly one of the great sleepers of the vintage...Inky/purple, with notes of acacia flowers intermixed with wet rocks, black currants, and blueberries, the wine is full-bodied, displays no real evidence of any oak, and offers up terrific concentration, texture, and length." 92 points - Robert Parker

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Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight

## **229** Margaritas! estimated value: \$150

Get ready to sip a margarita by the pool this summer with this margarita entertaining kit! The kit includes a margarita and chip & dip serving table perfect for entertaining this summer. Also included is a bottle of tequila and a cocktail rimmer to get you started for margarita perfection!

Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight

## Dinner, Drinks and Diana Ross at Wolf Trap estimated value: \$800

Grab three of your friends on July 25, 2017 and enjoy a fun-filled evening for four at Wolf Trap National Park for the Performing Arts in Vienna, Virginia! Not only a show but you will also enjoy the private lounge and dinner at Ovations. Courtesy of our generous donor, you will have prime orchestra seats for the show, a bottle of champagne, and a bottle of wine from his personal cellar to accompany your dinner before the concert.

Donated by Mr. & Mrs. Gil Guarino

## 1 - Magnum Sea Smoke Southing Pinot Noir 2012

estimated value: \$250

Sea Smoke is a favorite of our committee and produces estate-grown Pinot Noir in the Santa Rita Hills. "...It offers terrific notes of black raspberries, cassis, subtle oak and a touch of rose petal to go with a medium-bodied, silky, elegant, yet still textured and sexy profile on the palate. Just a joy to drink..."92 points - The Wine Advocate

**Donated by Laura & Adam Feinberg** 

## 232 Monopoly Game 13.9. estimated value: \$275 **Monopoly Game Night!**

- 1 bottle Château de Nages Costières de Nîmes Joseph Torres Rouge 2013
- 1 bottle Meiomi Pinot Noir 2008
- 1 bottle Perrier-Jouët Brut NV

Monopoly Tommy Bahama 20th Anniversary Edition

Get a group together for a fun night of monopoly and wine drinking! This special edition Tommy Bahama Monopoly game will give you and your friends countless hours of fun!

**Donated by Gamil & Susan Grais** 

# 233 1 - bottle Penfolds Bin 707 Cabernet Sauvignon 1997 estimated value: \$200

"Generous in flavor, supple in texture, delivering a ripe mouthful of mint-shaded black cherry and currant flavors that linger on the open finish, echoing mint and fruit. Tannins are beautifully integrated..." 91 points - Wine Spectator

Donated by Yolita Tjoeng and Song Jo

## 12 - bottles Château Meyney 1989 (in original wooden box)

estimated value: \$540

"The 1989 Meyney is one of the finest Meyneys ever produced. The opaque, black/ruby color, a bouquet of minerals and damson plums, the alcoholic, massive flavors and the mouthcoating tannins all combine to create a sensory overload..." 90 points - Robert Parker

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Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight

## 235 Cocktail Basket estimated value: \$200

Be the bartender at your next party! This package will get you started on your new claim to fame. Grow your own cocktail fixings in your garden, make an old fashion with your new kit, learn how to make cocktails from the 1920s with the Gatsby Cocktail book and entertain with the set of four glasses, nut bowls, slate coaster, the slate cutting board and the eye shaped serving dish.

Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight

## 236

## Mixed Case of Halls Cabernets and Walt Pinot Noir estimated value: \$985

- 1 bottle Hall Vineyards Stag's Leap District Cabernet Sauvignon 2012
- 1 bottle Hall Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon 2012
- 1 bottle Hall Craig's Cuvee Napa Valley Red Blend 2012
- 1 bottle Hall Jack's Masterpiece Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon 2012
- 1 bottle Hall Ellie's Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon 2013
- 1 bottle Hall Eighteen Seventy-Three Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon 2013
- 1 bottle Hall Vineyards Bergfeld St. Helena Cabernet Sauvignon 2012
- 1 bottle Hall Coeur Napa County Cabernet Sauvignon 2013
- 1 bottle Hall North End Cabernet Sauvignon 2014
- 1 bottle Hall T-Bar T Ranch Sauvignon Blanc 2014
- 1 bottle Walt Sonoma Coast Chardonnay 2015
- 1 bottle Walt Brown Ranch Carneros Pinot Noir 2015

Hall Wines is internationally known for Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon. Owned by Craig and Kathryn Hall, its estates include four Certified Organic vineyards growing the classic Bordeaux varieties on more than five hundred acres. The Halls turned to coastal regions for their third winery, Walt Wines, which specializes in premier, small-lot Pinot Noir and Chardonnay from some of the most coveted vineyards along the Pacific Coast, including the Central Coast, Sonoma County and Anderson Valley in California and the Willamette Valley in Oregon. The goal of its site-driven, non-interventionist winemaking is to create expressive wines which reflect each growing region.

Donated by Mr. & Mrs. Gil Guarino

## **237** Field & Main Restaurant Feast for Four estimated value: \$275

Yes – this is actually a feast for four! Located in Marshall, Virginia, Field & Main celebrates the Virginia Piedmont. This new restaurant is from Star and Neal Wavra and focuses on farm to table dishes and is built to nourish the community and celebrate the region. Your feast will consist of a progression of dishes including salad, grains, vegetables, meats, sides & dessert all served family style to your table.

Restrictions: Reservation required. Alcohol not included. Excludes tax and gratuity. Expires May 2018.

### **Donated by Field & Main Restaurant**

### 238

### 12 - bottles Pavillon Blanc du Château Margaux 1998

(in original wooden box)

estimated value: \$800

The production of Pavillon Blanc is an age-old tradition at Château Margaux. It was sold in the 19th century as "vin blanc de sauvignon" and has existed under the brand name Pavillon Blanc since 1920, and its label, apart from a few compulsory legal details, has not changed since that date. It is 100% Sauvignon Blanc. "Readers should not forget the Pavillon Blanc Château Margaux (the finest I have ever tasted)." 91-93 points – Robert Parker

### Donated by Yolita Tjoeng and Song Jo

### 239

### 12 - bottles Château Lagrange 2003

(in original wooden box)

estimated value: \$900

"An attractive juicy, medium-bodied, dark ruby-colored effort, the 2003 Lagrange offers some cassis fruit, but not a great deal of complexity, especially compared to the finest wines of St. Julien..." - Robert Parker

### Donated by Laura & Adam Feinberg

### 1 - Magnum Amuse Bouche Proprietary Red 2009 (signed) estimated value: \$500

"The 2009 Amuse Bouche is laced with freshly cut flowers, sweet spices and expressive red berries." Today, I find the 2009 beautifully expressive, with gorgeous aromatics, layers of fruit and lovely overall balance...Layers of fruit continue to blossom through to the structured, powerful finish..." 93 points - The Wine Advocate

**Donated by Arthur Kuo** 

### Wine & Appetizer Party! estimated value: \$260

- 1 bottle Cade Cabernet Sauvignon 2005
- 1 bottle Littorai Platt Vineyard Pinot Noir 2008
- 1 bottle Hill Family Estate Clarke Vineyard Syrah 2009
- 1 bottle Robert Mondavi Winery Unoaked Chardonnay 2012

Host your friends for some delicious wine and appetizers! The Party Perfect Bites book will give you inspiration of what to serve and the wine is covered! Also included is a wooden cutting board, nut bowls, napkins and the wine deck!

Donated by Mr. & Mrs. John Miklos and Friends of Heart's Delight

## 242 12 - bottles Domaine Paul Autard Châteauneuf-du-Pape 2000 estimated value: \$420

"The 2000 Châteauneuf du Pape exhibits a medium plum/ruby color as well as a sweet bouquet of currants, figs, underbrush, spice, wood smoke, and garrique. Ripe, round, and delicious, with low acidity and sweet fruit, it is a charming effort with Burgundian-like texture as well as flesh." - Robert Parker

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Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight

## 243 La Jota Vineyard Mini Vertical estimated value: \$280

- 1 bottle La Jota Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon 1995
- 1 bottle La Jota Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon 1996
- 1 bottle La Jota Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon 1997

"A monster, the tannic 1995 Cabernet Sauvignon 14th Anniversary Release is unquestionably a huge, mountain-styled Cabernet. It exhibits a black/purple color and a reticent but promising nose of minerals, smoke, black currants, and underbrush..." 94 points – Robert Parker

"The 1996 Cabernet Sauvignon 15th Anniversary Release boasts an opaque purple color, as well as beautiful aromas of smoke, blackberries, Asian spices, charcoal, and subtle truffle-like scents. Huge, massive, and full-bodied, with phenomenal flavor extraction, and beautifully integrated tannin and acidity, this flamboyant, exceptionally well-endowed wine continues the succession of titanic wines made under this label." 96 points – Robert Parker

"The sensational black/purple-colored 1997 Cabernet Sauvignon 16th Anniversary Release is closed, but its emerging aromas of charcoal, blackberries, cassis, and minerals are promising. The wine is intense, ripe, with a layered, expansive richness, and exotic notes of Asian spices, beef blood, and assorted black fruits." 93 points – Robert Parker

Donated by Yolita Tjoeng and Song Jo

### 244

### Cocktails!

estimated value: \$250

Make some adventurous cocktails and impress your friends! This package includes books to brush up on your mixology skills, bitters to create your custom cocktails, a cocktail shaker, a set of four glasses, three piece bar set, coasters, bourbon maple syrup, seed packets to plant your own cocktail fixings, and a fun card game play with your friends.

Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight

## 245 2012 Bordeaux Duo estimated value: \$230

- 1 bottle Clos Dubreuil 2012
- 1 bottle Château Pontet-Canet 2012

With a 95 point rating Robert Parker describes the Clos Dubreuil 2012 as "inky, opaque, purple-colored wine with beautiful blackcurrant, black raspberry, licorice and earthy undertones, this full-bodied, opulent, dense, rich 2012 is a tour de force in this vintage. This over-achieving estate has hit a home run..."

Robert Parker rated the Château Pontet-Canet 93 points. "This impeccably run, biodynamically farmed estate of Alfred Tesseron goes from strength to strength. The 2012 triumphs once again with its notes of dark plum, blackcurrant, licorice and almost a hint of truffle, its full-bodied, supple tannins, and beautiful, expensive mouthfeel..."

Donated by Doug Heye and Château Pontet-Canet

## 246 12 - bottles Château Cantemerle 1989 (in original wooden box) estimated value: \$600

"A perfect success for Cantemerle and one of the most monumental wines of the last 40 years, the 1989 Cantemerle remains a dense ruby color with plenty of purple in its mid-section. The wine has the classic Cantemerle noise of flowers intermixed with black currants, blackberries, and mineral. Surprisingly opulent, lush, and very fragrant, this wine has supple texture and a gorgeous finish..." 92 points – Robert Parker

Donated by a generous collector this has been stored at 55° at The Wine Rack in Washington, DC

### Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight

### 247 Autographed Helmet by Jordan Reed of the Washington Redskins estimated value: \$275

Hail to the Redskins! Show your loyalty to this hometown franchise by bringing home a helmet autographed by Redskins tight end and former Florida Gator, Jordan Reed!

### **Donated by Washington Redskins**

## Palácio Belmonte in Lisbon estimated value: \$3,250

Enjoy a three night stay at the 2017 Condé Nast Traveler Gold List Award winner, Palácio Belmonte in Lisbon! This is truly one of the most enchanted of hotels in Lisbon, a sprawling 17th-century palace built among ancient Roman and Moorish fortifications, practically hidden in the Alfama district adjacent to the Castelo de São Jorge. It also has what may very well be the best views in the city. The walls of the palace are adorned with original frescoes and 18th-century azulejos; these mingle eclectically but elegantly with 20th-century photographs and oversize canvases by contemporary artists such as Maria Pia de Oliveira. Considered by Condé Nast to be one of the most beautiful suites in the world, this is a 3 level double suite built in one of the 8th century Muslim towers. It has a superb terrace with an expansive view over the Alfama and the River Tagus and a very rare octagonal living room with a high ceiling and original XVIII century "azulejo" tile panels and stone love seats.

Restrictions: Blackout dates include Easter or Christmas holidays. Expires May 2018.

### Donated by Palácio Belmonte

# 249 Six-Pack of Italian Wines from Tuscany and Piedmont estimated value: \$220

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Wine in Italy is nearly as essential as eating or sleeping. It is so ubiquitous there that there are about one million producers of wine in the country and nearly one thousand varieties of wine grapes are grown there.

Adding to sheer quantity and domestic enthusiasm for wine, Italy also boasts every possible microclimate that could be desirable for fine wine production. From the cold foggy mountains of Piedmont to the blazing heat of the south, Italy combines all major wine growing climates within a single country.

**Donated by Carol & Larry Gage** 

### 300 Original Framed Map of Bordeaux Region and Southwestern France from 1640

estimated value: \$600

This original framed map dates from about 1640 and was done by one of the most prominent Dutch cartographer's of the 17th Century - Jan Jansson (1588-1664). The map provides details of the wine growing regions of Bordeaux as well as Southwestern France. Wine production in Bordeaux (the city being a major port of export of wine) dates back hundreds years. The map includes such well known chateaux as Haut-Brion, LaFite, Margaux, Latour, Yquem and Mouton-Rothschild. Note that the map's orientation has 'east' at the top allowing for a more panoramic view of the coastal region. This map should stimulate interest in the history of this region that includes both English and Dutch interests.

**Donated by Scott and Peggy Ballin** 

## 301

### Bryant Family Vineyards Cabernet Duo! estimated value: \$1,500

- 1 bottle Bryant Family Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon 1997
- 1 bottle Bryant Family Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon 2004

"1997 was my dad's absolute favorite. Don Bryant was a good friend of my dad's and if he hadn't gotten the largest personal allocation of anyone in the country there is no way our family would have one to donate." – Max Kuller

- "...One of the most awesome young reds I have ever tasted, it possesses a black/purple color, a seamless texture, and freakishly high levels of intensity (cassis, black and blueberries infused with espresso, chocolate, and licorice) that are flawlessly presented in a full-bodied, massive yet elegant wine. Nothing is out of balance in this explosively rich, thick, highly-extracted Cabernet. A compelling, historic Cabernet Sauvignon..." 100 points Robert Parker
- "...Bryant's 2004 Cabernet Sauvignon boasts a dense ruby/purple color along with exceptional aromatics consisting of stunningly pure blackberry, black raspberry and floral scents, full body and an opulent personality...This stunning 100% Cabernet Sauvignon is one of the superstars of the vintage..." 98 points Robert Parker

### **Donated by the Kuller Family**

## 302 1 - Magnum Château Montrose 2009 (in original wooden box) estimated value: \$750

"...Jean Bernard Delmas' goal was to find perfect equilibrium between freshness and concentration, given its incredible opulence and the voluptuous character this vintage offered. That's what this wine has in abundance. With an astounding dense purple color, the wine has velvety, sweet tannins, and an extremely open-knit and opulent blueberry, blackberry and creme de cassis nose. There is scorched earth, vanilla and, again, telltale licorice and spice..." 100 points - Robert Parker

Donated by Château Montrose

303 Beer Night! estimated value: \$170

This package is perfect for your next beer night - fully equipped to keep you and your friends entertained for the evening!

**Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight** 

### Rhys Vineyards - Unique Collection of Magnums, Bottle & Half Bottle of this Cult Classic

estimated value: \$1,000

- 1 Magnum Rhys Vineyards Bearwallow Vineyard Pinot Noir 2014
- 1 bottle Rhys Vineyards Bearwallow Vineyard Pinot Noir 2014
- 1 375ml Rhys Vineyards Bearwallow Vineyard Pinot Noir 2014
- 1 Magnum Rhys Vineyards Alpine Vineyard Pinot Noir 2014
- 1 bottle Rhys Vineyards Alpine Vineyard Pinot Noir 2014
- 1 375ml Rhys Vineyards Alpine Vineyard Pinot Noir 2014
- 1 Magnum Rhys Vineyards Horseshoe Pinot Noir 2014
- 1 bottle Rhys Vineyards Horseshoe Pinot Noir 2014
- 1 375ml bottle Rhys Vineyards Horseshoe Pinot Noir 2014

These are the "pinch-me brilliant wines" of Rhys Vineyards and they are only sold via mailing list which is full – so this might be your best chance to get your hands on some! Rhys is a classic case of one man's obsession run splendidly amok: Kevin Harvey. The biggest problem with the Rhys wines is that so little is made. Grand cru Burgundy is a high level to try to emulate. But Mr. Harvey is a man with a mission, and the means and determination to get there.

"The 2014 Pinot Noir Bearwallow Vineyard...Offers up classic notes of strawberries, spice, black cherries and a touch of sous bois, it has medium to full-bodied richness, terrific purity of fruit and integrated acidity." 94 points - The Wine Advocate

"Another complete, broad and layered red that delivers on all accounts, the 2014 Pinot Noir Alpine Vineyard reveals a healthy ruby color as well as a darker core of red and black raspberry fruits, peppery spice and forest floor in its medium to full-bodied, balanced personality..." 94 points - The Wine Advocate

"I think is the best vintage to date, the sensational 2014 Pinot Noir Horseshoe Vineyard comes from one of the top sites in all of the Santa Cruz Mountains. Incredibly complex, with layers of sweet black cherries, black raspberries, barnyard, wild herbs and spice, it has medium to full-bodied richness, a pure, impeccably balanced texture and a great finish..." 95 points - The Wine Advocate

### Donated by Rhys Vineyards

### 305 1 - Magnum Dalla Valle Vineyards Maya 2013 estimated value: \$950

100 points! "The flagship wine, and one of the first in Napa Valley to emphasize the fabulous potential of Cabernet Franc in specific terroirs, is the 2013 Maya Proprietary Red Wine... The 2013 could well be the finest they've made to date, and that includes a lot of profound wines. An incredibly complex nose of charcoal embers, blackberry and cassis, some blueberries as well as white flowers, and a touch of forest floor is followed by a full-bodied wine with sweet, wellintegrated tannins, a multi-dimensional mouthfeel, and a finish that goes on for close to a minute. This is absolutely remarkable wine – powerful, dense, but at the sane time, precise and elegant. Don't miss it if you have access to it." -Robert Parker

Donated by Dalla Valle Vineyards

## 306 One Week vacation in estimated value: \$7,500

### One Week Vacation in Cabo! (November 18-25, 2017)

Head to Cabo the week of November 18-25, 2017 and stay in a three bedroom penthouse suite at The Sheraton Hacienda del Mar Resort & Spa of Los Cabos which captures the atmosphere of Old Mexico. You can stroll along its cobblestone lanes and winding paths, stopping to enjoy fountains, restaurants and quaint shops. The resort sits on a private beach amid 28 acres of quiet, lush gardens. Surrounding the resort is the famous Cabo del Sol Ocean Golf Course by Jack Nicklaus. Relax as you lounge by any of four swimming pools or sit on the beach. Enjoy first-class services and amenities and a state-of-the-art fitness center with spa. Available activities include golfing, fishing, horseback riding, boating, shopping, dining, ATV excursions, camel rides, sightseeing, and much more. There is something for everyone from those who enjoy nightlife to history enthusiasts to those who just want a relaxing vacation by the sand.

Restrictions: Valid only during the week of November 18-25, 2017

Donated by Mr. & Mrs. Gil Guarino

### 12 - 375ml Graham's Vintage Port 1983

estimated value: \$480

"Graham is another great port house, producing one of the deepest-colored and sweetest styles of vintage port...The 1983, like most vintage ports, seems more forward than normal but has a great depth of very ripe, viscous, unctuous, plummy, tarry fruit and significant tannin in its long finish. It is black-purple in color..." 92 points - Robert Parker

Donated by a generous collector this has been stored at 55° at The Wine Rack in Washington, DC

Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight

### 308 1 - bottle Colgin Cellars IX Estate Red 2003 estimated value: \$275

"The 2003 IX Estate Proprietary Red is a blend of 64% Cabernet Sauvignon, 31% Merlot and rest Cabernet Franc and Petit Verdot from their steep hillside vineyards...There is a roasted meaty character to this beauty, along with plenty of cassis, blackberries, blueberries, incense and spring flower notes. It admirably reveals the great terroir Ann Colgin and her husband, Joe Wender, have unlocked high above Lake Hennessey." 96 points - Robert Parker

**Donated by William Walker** 

### Alexander McQueen Sunglasses

estimated value: \$400

Alexander McQueen not only designed these sunglasses but also designed Kate Middleton's wedding dress. Snap up these Alexander McQueen sunglasses while you can!

Donated by Stan Appelbaum & Barbara Bassin

### 6 - bottles Château Ormes de Pez 2009 (in original wooden box) estimated value: \$315

"A big, fruity, hedonistic style of wine, the 2009 Les Ormes de Pez has a dense ruby/purple color, notes of incense and barbecue smoke and oodles of blackberry and cassis fruit. It is medium to full-bodied, with silky tannins and low acidity..." - Robert Parker

Donated by Château Ormes de Pez

### Collection of Art Deco and Mid-Century Modern Cocktail Barware

estimated value: \$200

Drink in style with this Art Deco and Mid-Century Modern barware!

**Donated by Carol & Larry Gage** 

## 312 1 - bottle Château Margaux 1988 estimated value: \$500

"...Deep and clean in color, the bouquet is quintessentially Château Margaux with blackberry, potpourri, cedar and violets. It has wonderful clarity. The palate is medium-bodied, fresh as a daisy on the entry with a killer line of acidity that offsets those vibrant black and red fruits..." 93 points - The Wine Advocate

This is from the cellar of Bruce Heye and donated by his family in his memory.

**Donated by Doug Heye** 

### **313** Four Tickets to Maryland Terrapin Big 10 Basketball Game estimated value: \$500

Attend a home game of your choice in a catered suite located at midcourt in the Xfinity Center on the University of Maryland's campus. Go Terps!

Restrictions: One parking pass is included. Mutually agreeable date.

Donated by Dr. Jerry Wollman

## 314 12 - bottles Domaine Henri Gouges Nuits Saint Georges 1er Cru les Vaucrains 2005

estimated value: \$1,800

"Tasted from barrel, the Gouges 2005 Nuits-St.-Georges Vaucrains displays intense aromas of cherries and their pits. While richer, fuller and broader than any of its predecessors in this collection, this Vaucrains also offers a suffusion of remarkably fine tannins and invigorating juicy fruit. Roasted meat richness, stony, alkaline minerality, and bitter coffee grounds well up from the considerable depths of this imposingly long Pinot." 91-93 points - The Wine Advocate

**Donated by Robb Johnson** 

### 315 Signed Decanter by the Winemakers at Heart's Delight! estimated value: \$150

Bring home this Heart's Delight souvenir signed by the participating winemakers!

**Donated by Arthur Kuo & Participating Winemakers** 

## Highlights from the Château Latour Dinner! estimated value: \$1,750

- 1 bottle Pauillac de Château Latour 2010
- 1 bottle Château Latour 2006
- 1 bottle Château Latour 1996
- 1 bottle Les Forts de Latour 2009

This fall Heart's Delight had a Château Latour dinner with Jean Garandeau at The-Hay Adams. If you weren't able to attend or couldn't get enough, this collection allows you to sample some of the great wines from that evening!

Donated by Château Latour

## **317** Pullman San Francisco Bay Hotel estimated value: \$350

Plan an escape to San Francisco with a two night weekend stay at the Pullman San Francisco Bay Hotel. The property stands on the shores of a tranquil lagoon, and its beauty inspires a refreshing ambience in every space- from the lobby and award-winning Bay 223 restaurant to each spacious room and suite.

Restrictions: Subject to availability. Expires May 31, 2018.

Donated by Pullman San Francisco Bay Hotel

## 318 A Whole Lot of Turley! estimated value: \$700

- 2 bottles Turley Wine Cellars Rattlesnake Ridge Zinfandel 2002
- 1 bottle Turley Wine Cellars Turley Estate Petite Syrah 2002
- 1 bottle Turley Wine Cellars Dusi Vineyard Zinfandel 2002
- 2 bottles Turley Wine Cellars Alban Vineyard LPR Roussanne 2005
- 1 bottle Turley Wine Cellars Duarte Vineyard Zinfandel 2002
- 1 bottle Turley Wine Cellars Grist Vineyard Zinfandel 2002
- 2 bottles Turley Wine Cellars Juvenile Zinfandel 2004
- 1 bottle Turley Wine Cellars Dragon Vineyard Zinfandel 2002
- 1 bottle Turley Wine Cellars Estate Zinfandel 2002

"Turley Wine Cellars has long been one of the more enviable wine operations in California. Larry Turley should, and does, receive enormous credit for nearly single-handedly preserving many of the heritage old vine Zinfandel sites that exist in northern California...This estate produces nearly thirty single vineyard Zinfandels and Petite Syrahs, all from organically farmed vineyards. Natural yeast fermentations have always been the rule, and the percentage of new oak used has dropped from a high of 30% to about half that...It appears that Larry Turley was destined to resuscitate these old vine vineyards as he worked for a quarter of a century as an emergency room doctor. He now works full time shaping wines from nearly three dozen old vine parcels. As he says, he's never met an old vine vineyard he didn't like. Virtually every one of these 2012 Zinfandels will be drinkable upon release in 2014..." – Robert Parker

### **Donated by Robert Baker**

### Vieux Château Certan Vertical Tasting at Cafe Tallulah in New York on Thursday, June 8th

estimated value: \$800

Before the rise of Petrus, Vieux Château Certan was regarded as the probably leading cru in Pomerol. The terroir is beautifully placed on a high plateau with sandy clay soil mixed with gravel. Its neighbors are Petrus, La Conseillante and L'Evangile with Cheval Blanc not far away. Vieux Château Certan is the consummate insiders Pomerol with its signature is complexity, finesse and savory flavor. Alexandre Thienpont, became technical director of the chateau in 1985 and began its renaissance. VCC, as it is affectionately referred to, is finally getting its due with the back to back vintages of 2009 and 2010 both garnering 99 points from Robert Parker.

Vintages include: 2010; 2009; 2008; 2002; 2001; 2000; 1999; 1998; 1995; 1990; 1989; 1988; and 1982.

Restrictions: Dinner to be held on Thursday, June 8, 2017 at Cafe Tallulah in New York

Donated by Truly Hardy and Acker Merrall & Condit

### **Bigger** is Better

estimated value: \$1,430

- 1 Magnum Duorum Reserva Vinhas Velhas 2007 (in original wooden box)
- 1 Magnum Anima Negra ÀN/2 Vi de la Terra Mallorca 2009
- 1 Magnum Lake Chalice Sauvignon Blanc 2014
- 1 Magnum Marqués de Griñón Dominio de Valdepusa Summa Varietalis 2010
- 1 Magnum Bodega Contador Predicador 2014 (in original wooden box)
- 2 Magnums J. Lohr Estates Seven Oaks Cabernet Sauvignon 2013
- 1 Meyer Family Cellars Bonny's Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon 2004
- 1 Magnum Anderson's Conn Valley Vineyards Éloge 2000
- 1 Magnum Clos de la Roilette Fleurie Cuvée Tardive 2014
- 1 Double Magnum Vinoce Mount Veeder Estate 2001
- 1 Magnum DuMOL Eddie's Patch Syrah 2006
- 1 Magnum Marie-Elodie Zighera Confuron Clos de Mez Morgon Chateau Gaillard 2010
- 1 Magnum Domaine de la Chapelle des Bois Fleurie Cuvée Vieille Vigne de la Cadole 2010

Bigger is always better! Demand for large format bottles has grown substantially in the past few decades. The appeal of large formats is that they age more slowly than the standard 750ml bottle. Large formats allow collectors to share their wine with friends more easily, make wonderful wedding and anniversary gifts and are a dramatic addition to anyone's wine cellar.

Donated by Molly Christhilf Finnegan, Lily & Scott Claffee, Laura & Adam Feinberg, Jerry Humphries, Arthur Kuo, Joel Kleinman, Max Kuller, Eric Platt, Jeffrey J. Schragg & Mary Jo George, Cork Wine Bar and Friends of Heart's Delight

### New Orleans Package estimated value: \$1,200

Windsor Court Hotel – Two Night Stay
Cooking Class for Two at New Orleans School of Cooking
New Orleans Jazz Cruise for Two
New Orleans Super City Tour for Two
National WWII Museum - Admission for Two

Time to plan a New Orleans adventure! Experience luxurious Southern hospitality at the Windsor Court Hotel. Ranked as the #1 hotel in New Orleans and the #1 Best Louisiana hotel by US News, this landmark hotel is a short walk to the French Quarter, close to New Orleans nightlife, dining and culture, providing an elegant sanctuary in a vibrant Mardi Gras town. Want to sample some authentic New Orleans fare? The New Orleans School of Cooking, the Cajun/Creole experts teach New Orleans specialty dishes and season them with history, humor, and tall tales. Full meal and recipes of the demonstrated dishes will be included. Then, enjoy a Creole Lunch Jazz Cruise aboard the famous Steamboat Natchez. Travel through time on this 2-hour cruise along the mighty Mississippi! Stroll the deck, admire the iconic paddlewheel, and snap picturesque shots of the beautiful urban shoreline. Next, cover forty square miles of New Orleans on the Super City tour! You will hit all of the major New Orleans landmarks including the French Quarter & Jackson Square, the French market, the Superdome and many more! After you get your Cajun fix head over to the National WWII Museum. Ranked by TripAdvisor as the #1 Attraction in New Orleans, named by USA Today as the #1 Best Place to Learn U.S. Military History, and designated by Congress as America's official museum about World War II, The National WWII Museum features a rich collection of artifacts that bring history to life.

Restrictions: Windsor Court Hotel – Expires June 30, 2018. Subject to availability and excludes Black-out dates, Holiday and Special Events. New Orleans Steamboat Company (Super City Tour and Jazz Cruise) – Expires May 14, 2018. Subject to availability. New Orleans School of Cooking – Expires May 13, 2018. National WWII Museum – Expires May 2018

Donated by Gamil & Susan Grais, New Orleans Steamboat Company, The New Orleans School of Cooking and Windsor Court Hotel

## 322 OPI Gift Basket estimated value: \$275

OPI is your ultimate accessory. The gift basket includes an assortment of nail products from OPI, including various colors of polish, top coat, lotions, polish removers, nail files, and more. Snatch up this gift basket tonight - if you don't, we will!

Donated by OPI Products, Inc.

## 323 6 - bottles Beaux Freres The Beaux Freres Vineyard Pinot Noir 2010 estimated value: \$510

"If the Willamette Valley Pinot is the more hedonistic, then this is the more intellectual older sibling - showing its breeding as well as restraint. Medium ruby color, aromatically very pure nose of sweet and sour cherries, red currants, pomegranate and even a refreshing touch of ruby red grapefruit. Reminds us of a red-fruited, Côte de Beaune. Medium bodied, elegant, pure and racy. The tannins are extremely well integrated, balanced by zesty acid. This is a sleek, lite, yet subtly muscular Pinot." – Winemaker Notes

Donated by Jeffrey J. Schragg & Mary Jo George

## 324 Supper at Bub's for Six estimated value: \$1,000

Chef Jon, originally from Philadelphia, was trained in classic French cuisine. He has worked with some of the great chefs from around the world. He brings his refined experiences, nuanced technic and expansive palate to Bub and Pop's, their family run sandwich shop near Dupont Circle. On select Saturday evenings Chef Jon transforms Bub and Pop's into an intimate fine dining restaurant. Supper at Bub's – a prix fixe multi course fine dining experience. Laura Hayes of the City Paper named Supper at Bub's Best Pop-up of the Year. Chef Jon's eclectic menu has delighted the novice and the seasoned DC foodie with his world-class combination of tastes, textures, drink parings, plating and visual delights. You and 5 guests will be able to join in the fun for a fine dining, multicourse menu with wine, liquor and additional parings at Bub & Pop's. Blends the comforting charms of his Phliadelphia-style cooking with his own world-class culinary expertise

Restrictions: Saturday evenings only. Expires November 15, 2017.

Donated by Bub & Pop's

### 325 1 - Double Magnum Château Léoville Las Cases 2003 estimated value: \$1,000

"An incredibly fresh, lively 2003, this wine offers a dense ruby/purple color along with full body and a remarkable nose of black currants, kirsch, lead pencil shavings and vanilla...Kudos to the Delon family for such a brilliant achievement in a tricky vintage." 96 points - Robert Parker

**Donated by Calvert Woodley Fine Wine & Spirits** 

### Dinner and Wine Pairing for Four at The Red Hen

estimated value: \$300

Enjoy dinner for four at this Italian-influenced American restaurant located in the historic Bloomingdale neighborhood of Washington, DC. Proprietors and long-time friends Michael Friedman, Michael O'Malley, and Sebastian Zutant have introduced a youthful sophistication to the rapidly evolving dining scene in one of the most eclectic neighborhoods in the Nation's Capitol. You and three guests will enjoy dinner at The Red Hen prepared by Chef Michael Friedman with wine selected to pair with your meal.

Restrictions: Expires May 2018. Excludes tax and gratuity.

Donated by The Red Hen

### 12 - bottles Paul Jaboulet Aîné Hermitage La Chapelle 1983

estimated value: \$2,500

"This is autumn in the glass, with wet-leaf, fresh-mushroom, smoke and dried-meat character. Orange peel, dark fruits, and game pâté. Full body with incredible depth, length, ripe fruit and intensity. It goes on for minutes. Stunning finish. It is so rich, decadent and intense, but fresh and long. It defines greatness. It defines what hermitage was, is and should be." 98 points – James Suckling

Donated by a generous collector this has been stored at 55° at The Wine Rack in Washington, DC

**Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight** 

### 2017 Orioles Batting Practice, Tickets, and Meet and Greet with Pitcher 328 2017 Orioles B Darren O'Day

estimated value: \$400

The Orioles would like to invite you and three guests to watch batting practice from the field priot to the game and meet fan favorite Darren O'Day. You and your guests will then stay to watch the game from a Left Field LowerBox. Go O's!

Restrictions: Batting practice and tickets must be for a mutually agreeable game in 2017. Excludes Opening Day and Prime Games.

**Donated by Baltimore Orioles** 

## Rhys 2013 Pinot Noir Collection estimated value: \$600

- 1 bottle Rhys Family Farm Vineyard Pinot Noir 2013
- 1 Magnum Rhys Family Farm Vineyard Pinot Noir 2013
- 1 bottle Rhys Horseshoe Vineyard Pinot Noir 2013
- 1 Magnum Rhys Horseshoe Vineyard Pinot Noir 2013

This might be your best chance to get your hand on these magnum & bottle duos – Rhys Vineyards sells their wines exclusively through their mailing list which is currently full.

"The only release from Kevin Harvey's team not from rocky soils, the 2013 Pinot Noir Family Farm Vineyard offers a lot of floral characteristics in its supple, rounded, fruit-loaded personality. More red fruits than black, with a full, loaded mid-palate and a rocking texture..." 93 points - The Wine Advocate

"This steep, south facing parcel always yields a mineral-style of wine and the 2013 Pinot Noir Horseshoe Vineyard lives up to expectations. Currants, rose petals, forest floor and crushed rocks all emerge from this medium to full-bodied, sexy, yet unsurprisingly tight, structured and firm 2013..." 95+ points - The Wine Advocate

### **Donated by Maureen Nelson**

330 Great Outdoors Basket estimated value: \$80

Head out on an adventure in the great outdoors with this package of camping items!

Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight

estimated value: \$500

### **George Wine 2014 Magnum Trio**

- 1 Magnum George Wine Company Leras Family Vineyard Pinot Noir 2014
- 1 Magnum George Wine Company Hansen Vineyards Pinot Noir 2014
- 1 Magnum George Wine Company Ceremonial Vineyard Pinot Noir 2014

We are so sorry to be missing George at Heart's Delight this year – a Heart's Delight veteran he is our favorite one-man-show. George Levkoff crafts Pinot Noir the "old-school" Burgundian way, and savvy sommeliers around the country keep spreading his gospel. And nowhere more so than Las Vegas, where, at last count, George Pinot Noirs grace the wine lists of nearly 100 top restaurants (Joel Robuchon, Spago and Picasso to name a few). New York comes close to this number, including iconic spots such as Craft, Marea, and The 21 Club. Closer to home, you'll find George at BLT Steak, Proof, and The Inn at Little Washington to name a few.

**Donated by George Wine Company** 

## 332 Artist Palette Cheese Tray & Coasters estimated value: \$90

Bring home this beautiful cheese platter and coasters – perfect for entertaining!

Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight

### 6 - bottles Louis Latour Corton-Charlemagne Grand Cru 1986 estimated value: \$750

"...This offering displays subtle toasty oak in its bouquet, as well as a honeyed, buttery, apple/ orange-like fruitiness. These aromas translate into nearly identical flavors on the palate... This full-bodied wine boasts excellent acidity and significant richness and glycerin..." 93 points Robert Parker

### Donated by Ed Lenkin

### Dinner Reservation for Four at Michelin Starred Rose's Luxury

estimated value: \$300

Skip the line with this rare reservation. Enjoy a dinner for four guests at Chef Aaron Silverman's one Michelin-Starred Rose's Luxury on Capitol Hill.

Restrictions: May include drinks, taxes, and gratuity not to exceed \$300. Reservation must be made at least one week prior to desired date.

**Donated by Rose's Luxury** 

### **335** Aubert Ritchie Vineyard Chardonnay Vertical estimated value: \$820

- 1 bottle Aubert Wines Ritchie Vineyard Chardonnay 2009
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- 1 bottle Aubert Wines Ritchie Vineyard Chardonnay 2014

This is a great opportunity to taste through these cult favorites made by one of the hottest chardonnay producers in California. Ritchie Vineyard was Aubert's first foray into single vineyard Chardonnays. Today they produce Chardonnay from the oldest blocks at Ritchie, planted nearly a half century ago. The soils at Ritchie are a myriad of Goldridge based with overlying volcanic ash and various other soils.

### **Donated by Laura & Adam Feinberg**

## The Palm Tysons Corner – Get Your Face on the Wall & Dinner estimated value: \$700

When you walk into The Palm you see all of the caricatures lining the walls of famous diners – this is your opportunity to have your caricature plastered on the wall for all to see. The Palm is synonymous with prime steaks and outrageously oversized lobsters. You can celebrate at The Palm and enjoy dinner (and admire the view). Come to The Palm and find out why John Mariani, food writer for Esquire magazine, says The Palm "defines the steak house genre."

Restrictions: Gift Certificate not to exceed \$500. Expires May 2018.

Donated by The Palm Tysons Corner and Brian Kearney

# 337 Champagne Entertaining Kit estimated value: \$290

1 – bottle Champagne Henriot Brut NV

Drink your champagne in style with this entertaining kit! Not only will you get a bottle of champagne to start the party you will also get all of these wonderful items to host the perfect evening! Cheers!

Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight and Henriot Inc.

## Cork & Fork Argentina Wine Tasting Event for Sixteen estimated value: \$500

The last twenty years have witnessed a major remaking of the Argentine wine industry from one geared to quenching the insatiable domestic appetite for table wines to one that yields wines of exquisite sophistication. Today, Argentine wines exhibit a wonderful marriage of power and finesse that satisfy the most discriminating wine lovers. Cork & Fork offers you an opportunity to familiarize yourself with some of the most delicious, yet affordable wines of Argentina. You will taste a Cabernet Franc that is guaranteed to leave you speechless and an array of Malbec blends which include some of the other varietals that do so well in Argentina: Bonarda, Tempranillo, Petit Verdot, Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc, and Merlot. Ed Sorenson, born and raised in Buenos Aires, will host the event. His passion in life (aside from his wife Giulia) is rugby, a sport in which he excels as a referee, having been appointed to referee major international matches. His advice to wine tasters is similar one he gives referees: "Be prepared, but not prejudiced."

Restrictions: Expires November 13, 2017. Subject to availability.

Donated by Cork & Fork Logan Circle

# 339 12 – bottles Château Pontet-Canet 1995 estimated value: \$\dagger{q}\$1 200

"An old style Pauillac, yet made with far more purity and richness than the estate's ancient vintages, this broad-shouldered, muscular, classic wine exhibits a saturated purple color, and sensationally dense, rich, concentrated, cassis flavors that roll over the palate with impressive purity and depth... This is a great young Pauillac. Anticipated maturity: 2005-2025." 92 points - Robert Parker

Donated by a generous collector this has been stored at 55° at The Wine Rack in Washington, DC

Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight

### 1 – Magnum The Eyrie Vineyards Estate Reserve Pinot Noir South **Block 1987**

estimated value: \$950

The "South Block" is a tiny parcel consisting of ten rows of vines in The Eyrie Vineyard, in the Dundee Hills. This vineyard was planted in 1966, and is one of the oldest vineyards in the state. The first release of the South Block Pinot Noir received recognition in blind tastings in France, and can very reasonably be credited with putting Oregon Pinot Noir on the international stage.

**Donated by The Eyrie Vineyards** 

### 14th Street Dine Around estimated value: \$750

Experience the 14th Street food scene everyone's talking about! Bring five of your friends to try a small plate and drink at the some of the hottest spots on 14th Street. During the duration of the evening you will get to experience flavors from all over the world and will get a specialty cocktail or will be able to choose from an extrensive wine list at each location. Start your evening at Cork Wine Bar and sip on one of the 50 wines they offer by the glass and enjoy a unique small plate created by Chef Jason Schreuder. Next you will head over to Doi Moi for some Southeast Asia flavor while sipping one of their signature cocktails. Continue your adventure at Estadio and enjoy their traditional Spanish cuisine complemented by an approachable wine list and intentive beverage program. Stroll over to Etto for some rustic-chic Italian flare. It's seafood time! At Pearl Dive Oyster Palace. The last (but not least!) stop on your 14th street extravaganiza will include some Tuscan fare at Ghibellina!

Restrictions: Not valid on Saturday. Subject to availability. Expires May 2018.

Donated by Cork Wine Bar, Doi Moi, Estadio, Etto, Pearl Dive Oyster Palace and Ghibellina

### Silver Oak Library Collectors Vertical Case 2007-2012 342 Silver Oak Library Collection (in original wooden box)

estimated value: \$865

- 1 bottle Silver Oak Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon 2007
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- 1 bottle Silver Oak Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon 2010
- 1 bottle Silver Oak Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon 2011
- 1 bottle Silver Oak Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon 2012

This extremely rare vertical collection of Silver Oak 2007 through 2012 Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon. Chosen from some of their finest vintages, this collection offers you the opportunity to taste six of our wines at different levels of maturity. All of these wines have been bottle-aged in our cellar since their release and are drinking beautifully. With additional cellaring, they will become even more complex and refined. For 40 years, Silver Oak has been producing exceptional, foodfriendly Cabernets that are extensively aged to be drinkable upon release. Perfect for big dinners or impromptu celebrations, they are as distinctive as they are delicious.

### Donated by John Gallagher

## **343** Scotland - Golf Fantasy in the Homeland! estimated value: \$2,500

The Renaissance Club – Three Night Stay for Two and Breakfast

The Renaissance Club – Three Days of Golf for Two

A golf dream come true? No, a golf fantasy come true! This package includes accommodations and golf at one time at one of the most desirable locations in Scotland: East Lothian along the Firth of Forth along Scotland's Golf Coast. Enjoy three days of golf and three night of luxurious accommodations (breakfast included) in golf's homeland.

Restrictions: The Renaissance Club accommodations and golf are based on availability and are subject to change. Includes accommodations, golf and breakfast. The successful bidder is responsible for all transportation, taxes and gratuities.

Donated by David and Suzanne Sarvadi

### 1 - bottle Château Climens 1976

estimated value: \$150

"...Charmingly fruity, with an expansive bouquet of ripe fruit, fresh honey, a vanillin oakiness, and some subtle herbal notes, this medium-bodied wine has average acidity, and a plump, soft texture..." - Robert Parker

Donated by a generous collector this has been stored at 55° at The Wine Rack in Washington, DC

Donated by Friends of Heart's Delight

## 345 Four-Course Difficition of the estimated value: \$200

### Four-Course Dinner for Two at Honeysuckle

We are excited to welcome Chef Hamilton Johnson to his first Heart's Delight representing his new restaurant Honeysuckle! You and a guest will enjoy a Four-course tasting menu designed for you by chef Hamilton Johnson with wine pairings for each course. As you dine, you will travel on a truly unique culinary journey from Southern United States to Iceland and Scandinavia. Your meal will end with the innovative pastry stylings of the talented TC Lumbar.

Restrictions: Excludes Valentine's Day. Excludes tax and gratuity. Expires May 30, 2018.

### Donated by Honeysuckle

### SommPicks Unicorn Lot

estimated value: \$1,000

- 1 375ml Equipo Navazos La Bota de Palo Cortado No. 48 Bota Punta Sherry NV
- 1 bottle Jacques Selosse V.O. 'Version Originale' Grand Cru Blanc de Blancs Extra Brut NV
- 1 bottle Domaine de Montille Meursault 1er Cru Perrières 2012
- 1 bottle Domaine Henri Naudin-Ferrand Echézeaux Grand Cru 2010
- 1 bottle Marcel Juge Cornas 2013
- 1 bottle Domaine Huet Vouvray Le Mont Moelleux 1971

This is the elusive or unicorn lot of favorite wines hand picked for you by our good friends at SommPicks in San Francisco, California.

"An old, rare and concentrated Sherry, the NV La Bota de Palo Cortado Bota Punta 48 is a single-cask, very old (around 70 years of age) Palo Cortado originated in the vineyards of Gaspar Florido in Sanlúcar de Barrameda...It has notes of cigar ash, hints of malted cereals, peat, and smoke, with a super-intense palate with persistent flavors and an extremely salty, really concentrated ending. Simply superb! 1,200 half bottles" 98 points – The Wine Advocate

"The NV Extra Brut Blanc de Blancs Version Originale, a blend of 2002, 2001 and 2000 juice from Avize and Cramant. The wine reveals an extraordinary array of honey, cloves and candied orange peel in what is an unctuous, full-bodied style at the outset. The wine turns more delicate in the glass, with notes of minerals and spices that come forward..." 92 points – The Wine Advocate

"...The 2012 Meursault 1er Cru les Perrières from Domaine du Montille has a quintessential Perrières nose: cold wet stone, more tertiary than its peers, touches of walnut and smoke coming through with aeration. The palate is fresh and vibrant, citrus peel and orange rind on the entry, very good depth and gently fanning out towards the long finish..." 93 points – The Wine Advocate

Since 1994, Domaine Naudin-Ferrand has been run by Claire Naudin (wife of famed producer Jean-Yves Bizot), who has added her own commitment to natural and environmentally respectful wine growing. Echezeaux is the Domaine's top vineyard site and Claire's most prized wine.

Marcel Juge is one of the great icons of the Northern Rhône, and the appellation of Cornas specifically, in the era (and spirit) of some of the legendary producers like Marius Gantaz-Dervieux, Noel Verset, Raymond Trollat and Auguste Clape. Juge officially retired in the late '90s. The majority of his vineyards he passed to his daughter, Olga. Starting in 2005, she decided she didn't want to spend the time and effort to commercialize her wines, so Marcel invoked a provision in French law that allowed him to continue to make a tiny bit of wine - post-retirement

- as a sort of "bricolage" (or hobby). So now, each year, he makes about 150 cases of his super-traditional Cornas for personal consumptionas well as some for his close friends.

Domaine Huet is the undisputed leader of the Vouvray appellation on the north bank of the Loire River where the chenin blanc grape is king. The exemplary house style here is one of purity of expression and the wines are legendary for their tautness and minerality. Huet is certainly the greatest domaine in all of Vouvray, if not all of the Loire and its current proprietor is Chinese-American financier, Anthony Hwang, also owner of the famed Királyudvar estate in Tokaji in Hungary.

### **Donated by SommPicks**



## 347 Kendra Scott Jewelry estimated value: \$135

Kendra Scott is known for her unique use of color and quality materials, Kendra has created collections of timeless pieces that have won over loyal fans, media and celebrities alike. The lucky winner of this package will get to bring home a pair of Sophia Drop Earrings in Silver and the Aiden Necklace in Gold and Silver.

**Donated by Kendra Scott** 

# David Speer of Ambonnay Champagne Bar's Top Picks estimated value: \$400

- 1 bottle Louis Nicaise Cuvée Louis par Laure Brut 2008
- 1 bottle Pierre Gerbais L'Originale Extra Brut NV
- 1 bottle Mouzon-Leroux L'Atavique Brut Réserve NV
- 1 bottle Paul Déthune Grand Cru Brut Rosé NV
- 1 bottle Christophe Mignon Pur Meunier Brut NV
- 1 bottle Éric Rodez Cuvée des Crayères Brut NV

This package features six up and coming grower champagnes selected by David Speer of Ambonnay Champagne Bar in Portland, Oregon. David Speer is a certified sommelier with more than 12 years of extensive training and worldwide wine knowledge. He is the owner of Portland's first and only champagne bar, Ambonnay as well as Ambonnay Cellar where guests can find over 200 champagnes available for purchase online. Wine and Spirits Magazine chose David as a Master of Place in 2016 for his knowledge of Champagne. Ambonnay was chosen by Food and Wine Magazine as one of the Best Wine Bars in America in 2016. David and his businesses have been featured in USA Today, Food and Wine, Wine Spectator, Travel and Leisure, Wine Enthusiast, Sunset Magazine, Yahoo Food, Imbibe Magazine, Portland Monthly, and Eater.com national.

Donated by David Speer, Ambonnay Champagne Bar and Cellar

## 349 Dinner at Centrolina for Two estimated value: \$200

We would like to welcome Chef Amy Brandwein from Centrolina back for her third Heart's Delight! Authentic, regional Italian cooking and seasonal availability is the inspiration for Chef Amy Brandwein's menu at Centrolina. The menu at this CityCenter hot spot features seasonal and frequently rotating dishes that showcase regional food from all over Italy and relies heavily on what is offered in the chef-driven market, whether that's pinched beef ravioli, spaghetti alla chitarra with chanterelle mushrooms, grilled branzino or wood-roasted meat and vegetables.

Restrictions: Excludes beverages, tax and gratuity.

**Donated by Centrolina** 

## 350 Ermenegildo Zegna Experience estimated value: \$10,000

- Mandarin Oriental Milan Two Night Accommodations
- Made to Measure Trofeo suit
- Guided tour of the Wool Mill in Trivero, Italy and brand archives not available to the public
- Return car transfers from Trivero

Discover the birthplace of Ermenegildo Zegna as we know it today, experience a private visit of the Wool Mill and brand archives that is not open to the public. Trivero is the birthplace of the Ermenegildo Zegna Group. Trivero is our "Once upon a time", which brought us to where we are today. The roots that gave our brand wings, Trivero to this day hosts the Zegna Wool Mill affectionately called by the locals Lanificio. Nestled in the mountain scenery of the Biellese Alps, the small village is connected to neighbouring areas through the sublime Panoramica Zegna road that passes the Oasi Zegna natural park. You can expect this experience to be a journey into nature, a century old vision, human ingenuity, style, the science and wonders of crafting the world's most precious garments and of course rare treasures of art. Let your zest of anticipation for the discovery of this unique behind the scenes experience drive you to learn more about the name behind the suit.

Restrictions: Airfare not included. Visits to Trivero only available during the week. Valid for one year from purchase date. Black out dates include: Easter, Christmas, August, April 25, May 1, June 2 and weekends. Availability is subject to change. The suit is valued at \$3,895 and is available for fittings at any Ermenegildo Zegna Boutique nationwide.

### Donated by Ermenegildo Zegna

### 1 - Magnum Native Flora The Heretic Estate Pinot Noir 2014

estimated value: \$130

We are happy to welcome Scott & Denise Flora for their first Heart's Delight! Native Flora is a small, secluded vineyard and winery hidden high in the famed Dundee Hills. Founded in 2005, we strive to produce premium estate wines in limited quantities for people who enjoy great wine, a good laugh, natural beauty and a more personal wine experience.

"...Sourced from a steep north slope block and picked at lower Brix...Light reddish purple color in the glass. Perfumed with sensuous notes of cherry, spice and sandalwood. Light and elegant, but flavorful, with a more noticeable acid backbone. A melange of cherry, spice and subtle oak flavors are vibrant and satisfying. 91-92 points – The Prince of Pinot

**Donated by Native Flora** 

## 352 Sofitel Marseille Vieux Port estimated value: \$800

Escape with a two night stay with breakfast in a luxury room with a harbor view at the Sofitel Marseille Vieux Port. Located in the heart of this charming French city's ancient harbor area, Sofitel Marseille Vieux Port is a luxury 5-star Marseille hotel which blends rich history with contemporary design.

Restrictions: Expires May 20, 2018. Donated by Sofitel Marseille Vieux Port

### Personalized Bottle of Johnnie Walker Blue

353 Personalized Bottle 3 estimated value: \$200

This bottle of Johnnie Walker Blue Label makes a one-of-a-kind gift with custom engraving, Johnnie Walker Blue Label sets the standard, a blend of the rarest malts from hand-selected casks across Scotland. The whiskies that compose Blue Label are specially selected for their individually from some of the rarest stocks in the Johnnie Walker reserves; only one in 10,000 casks is deemed to be sufficient character for selection.

Donated by Breakthru Beverage Washington, DC

### Executive Suite West Virginia vs. Virginia Tech at FedEx Field on 354 September 3, 2017

estimated value: \$5,250

This is the ultimate Mountaineer or Hokie dream – a complete VIP Experience from start to finish. Start your day unbeatable tailgate that can include six cars in the platinum parking lot right next to FedEx Field. You will cheer on your team in the luxury and comfort of an Executive Private Suite that can accommodate 24 Hokie or Mountaineer fanatics. The suite includes on-site attendants to make sure you are taken care so you can focus on the game and cheer your team on to victory.

Restrictions: food and beverages not included in the suite. The game is on September 3, 2017.

**Donated by Washington Redskins** 

## 355 1 – Methuselah (6L) Perrier-Jouët Grand Brut estimated value: \$500

Celebrate your next special occasion with this 6L which is equivalent to 8 bottles! Rated 92 points by The Wine Advocate, "this is what you expect a prestige Champagne to look, smell and taste like. Poised and stylish, it layers sharp citrus fruit with spicy wood and light toast. Layers of citrus, tangerine and flower blossoms unfold elegantly; lime and grapefruit accents add interest, and above all it comports itself with impeccable balance, precision and grace." 93 points - Wine Enthusiast

**Donated by Pernod Ricard USA** 

## 356 Max Weinberg Autog estimated value: \$250

### **Max Weinberg Autographed Drum Head**

This is your opportunity to bring home an autographed drum head from legendary drummer Max Weinberg of Bruce Springsteen's E Street Band!

Donated by Ali Weinberg Rogin

### 3 – Magnums Morgado Cellars Sugarloaf Mountain Red 2013

estimated value: \$750

"Absolutely sensational is her 2013 Sugarloaf Proprietary Red...At this price point, this is a giveaway in Napa Valley, as this wine is not far from being off the charts point-wise and complexitywise. There's an extra gear and dimension to this wine, which has an inky purple color, a gorgeous nose of charcoal, graphite, blackberry, boysenberry and blackcurrant, an opulent, full-bodied mouthfeel, terrific freshness and vibrancy in spite of its super intensity and richness, and a killer finish of close to 50 seconds..." 97 points – Robert Parker

Donated by Morgado Cellars "in memory of Mary Morgado"

358 Sofitel Lisbon Liberdade estimated value: \$500

Head to Lisbon for a two night stay with breakfast at the Sofitel Lisbon Liberdade. Immersed in the culturally-rich heart of the Portuguese capital, this luxury Lisbon hotel also celebrates the country's history through stylish décor.

Restrictions: Expires May 31, 2018. Subject to availability.

**Donated by Sofitel Lisbon Liberdade** 

### James & Donna Cahill 2009 California Pinot Noir Lot estimated value: \$310

- 1 bottle Morlet Family Vineyards Coteaux Nobles Pinot Noir 2009
- 1 bottle Morlet Family Vineyards Joli Coeur Pinot Noir 2009
- 1 bottle Morlet Family Vineyards En Famille Pinot Noir 2009

In St. Helena, the heart of the Napa Valley, Luc and Jodie Morlet hand-craft their vineyard designated wines and unique cuvées from the surrounding Napa Valley and from Sonoma County. Meticulously farmed vineyards and low-intervention winemaking techniques produce powerful yet refined wines."The 2009 Pinot Noir Coteaux Nobles is gorgeous, expressive in the way it wraps around the palate from start to finish. Sweet dark cherries, hard candy, flowers, mint and spices are some of the many nuances that come to life in this round, supple Pinot..." 93 points – The Wine Advocate"The finest offering, the 2009 Pinot Noir Joli Coeur possesses shocking density as well as abundant tannin. Hints of fresh porcini mushrooms, bouquet garni, meat juices, black raspberries, cherries and plums are found in this complex yet structured, tannic wine..."96-98 points Robert Parker "The 2009 Pinot Noir En Famille is a big, exuberant wine, yet all of the elements are very much in harmony. Black cherries, spices, flowers and mint meld together effortlessly in this juicy, seamless wine. Stylistically, the En Famille is all about richness and density of fruit..."

Donated by James & Donna Cahill

