



Dear Client,

Acker's **July Hong Kong Auction**—our final Hong Kong sale before a short summer break—takes place on **Saturday, July 19**, and features over one thousand lots of exceptional fine wines. Highlights include **En Primeur Bordeaux in Mint Condition**, **The Collection of The Chairman**, **Top-Tier Burgundy from a Dedicated Collector**, and **Cutting-Edge Burgundy from a London Gentleman**. Whether you're looking to build your cellar or open something remarkable this summer, this is a sale not to miss!

En Primeur Bordeaux in Mint Condition, lots 35-212, offers a splendid selection of 178 phenomenal Bordeaux lots from a passionate traveler, epicurean, and lifelong wine lover with over three decades of collecting experience and multiple professional storage sites! Nearly all wines were purchased on release and have been immaculately cellared ever since – with almost every lot offered in its original wooden case!! Top châteaux span 1981 to 2011, with standouts including ten lots of **Latour** featuring twelve bottles of 1995, nine of 2010, and six-bottle parcels of 2011. **Margaux** shines with nine bottles of 2009 and twelve-bottle parcel lots of 2010. You'll also find a full case plus ten bottles of 2005 **Mouton**, along with parcels of 2010 **Haut-Brion** and **La Mission**. Additional punchy parcels include **2010 Duhart Milon**, **Leoville Las Cases**, **Leoville Poyferre**, **Malescot St. Exupery**, **Montrose**, and **Le Petit Mouton** alongside 2011 **Carruades de Lafite**, **Leoville Barton**, **Poyferre**, **Lynch Bages**, **Pontet-Canet**, and more! There's even a splash of White Bordeaux, featuring 2009 **Domaine de Chevalier** Blanc, 2010 **Cos d'Estournel** Blanc, and half-bottle parcel lots of 2010 **Rieussec**! This is an extraordinary opportunity to acquire cellar-ready Bordeaux with pristine provenance!!



Lots 213-248 present **The Collection of The Chairman**. These three dozen selections come from one of the most important private collections in the world, and one we have the privilege of knowing quite well —The Collection of The Chairman! I have drunk with him personally on dozens of occasions, and it has always been thrilling, including some of my most memorable meals ever! He has built a cellar of staggering depth and provenance including numerous large formats and extraordinary bottles from the world's top wine regions. Most wines are in outstanding condition, and many in original wood cases. We are happy to have a small slice from his cellar for our July Hong Kong sale, including a thrilling array of **DRC**, featuring Methuselahs of 1988, 1996, and 2001 **La Tache** as well as a twelve-bottle 1989 DRC Assortment!! Large formats from his stupendous Bordeaux collection take the stage with magnums of 1998 **Le Pin**, double magnums of 2006 **Petrus**, and an Imperial of 2010 **Latour**, complemented by full cases of 1986 **Lafite** and **Mouton**!! The Rhone offers **Guigal** La Landonne and La Turquie, and there are cases and magnums of **Jaboulet** Hermitage La Chapelle, including a full case of 1979. A small but very mighty selection, thanks to The Chairman!!

We are pleased to present ninety-five decadent selections from one of our favorite connoisseurs and longtime Burgundy collector and aficionado in **Top-Tier Burgundy from a Dedicated Collector, lots 302-396**. At the heart of this offering are over forty selections from **Domaine de la Romanée-Conti**, spanning 2008 to 2019!! This treasure trove comprises various vintages of Romanée-Conti including the great 2009, La Tache spanning 2011 to 2018, and a splendid array of offerings from additional grands crus including Corton, Echezeaux, Grands Echezeaux, Richebourg, Romanée-St-Vivant, and Vosne-Romanée Cuvée Duvault-Bloch. **Rousseau** highlights include 2017, 2018, and 2019 **Chambertin** and 2018 **Chambertin Clos de Beze**, with outstanding additions from **Dujac**, **Roumier**, **Comte Vogue**, and **Mugnier**!! Stunning White Burgundy presents DRC Montrachet and Corton-Charlemagne, as well as offerings from **Coche-Dury**, **Comte Lafon**, and **Ramonet**. Every bottle was purchased on release and stored in a custom-built, temperature-controlled home cellar. A singular chance to acquire Burgundy's finest from one of the most dedicated and passionate collectors we know!!



Cutting-Edge Burgundy from a London Gentleman is remarkable offering of two hundred pristine lots—primarily Burgundy—from a meticulous London collector who has long been a presence in our auctions. Nearly every bottle, in **lots 639-815**, was purchased on release and all wines were removed from professional storage in the UK. There are thirteen lots of **Arnoux-Lachaux**, including twelve bottles of 2016 Vosne-Romanée Les Hautes Maizières and six of Les Suchots in OCB. **Ponsot** enters with twelve-bottle assortments from 2012, 2013, and 2018 in custom OWC, alongside a Jeroboam of 2017 **Clos des Lambrays**, also in original packaging. Red Burgundy continues with selections from **Perrot-Minot, Cathiard, Arlaud, Gouges**, and more. White Burgundy features twelve bottles of 2011 **A. Ente** Meursault in OCB and magnums of 2005 Puligny-Montrachet Les Referts in OWC, plus **Domaine de Montille, Boillot, Le Moine**, and **Morey**. Barolo lovers will find seven lots of **Voerzio**, while Bordeaux includes the 2013 **Bordeaux Collection Groupe Duclot** in custom OWC. Thanks to our London friend for this superb selection of leading-edge fine wines!!

Please join us on **Saturday, July 19** live online from Hong Kong for an opportunity to secure top bottles before the summer break! Cheers to your health and to great wine!

In Vino Veritas,

John Kapon
Chairman, Acker Merrall & Condit Companies

