



Washington Tasters Guild

2000 Bordeaux Dinner at Zola Wine & Kitchen – Thursday, February 25, 2010 – 7:00PM

Our next tasting will be a 2000 Bordeaux tasting at Zola Wine & Kitchen located at 505 9th Street, NW, in Washington. 2000 was not only the first vintage of the new millennium, but was hailed as one of the greatest Bordeaux vintages ever. While there is a lot of hyperbole in Bordeaux, I wholeheartedly agree that 2000 is one of the greatest Bordeaux vintages of my lifetime. Having participated in a tasting of about fifteen of the top 2000 Bordeaux's last fall, I found many of the top wines to still be closed and not showing their best. With that in mind, I chose a selection of left bank wines that I think are showing well. After an aperitif of the wonderful Plantiers du Haut Brion Blanc (2003), the second white of Haut Brion, we will then have three flights from the left bank, Pauillac, St. Estephe and Graves. Maybe later this year, we can check out wines from the right bank, as well as St. Julien and Margaux. This is guaranteed to be a fun and interesting tasting and Zola Kitchen's dishes should be a good accompaniment to the wines.

The price of the tasting is \$165.00 per person including gratuity. Please sign up soon as seating is limited.

Aperitif

Les Plantiers du Haut Brion Blanc 2003

First Flight

Lentil-Duck Confit Tagoût

Pauillac by Latour

Tourelles de Longueville

Gruaud Larose

Second Flight

Herb Roasted Local Strip Loin or Pistachio Crusted Squab Breast (choice of)

Beau-Site

Petit Bosq

Les Pagodes de Cos

Third Flight

Selection of American and French Cheeses

Cantelys

Malartic la Graviere

Smith Haut Lafite

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Send Registrations forms to:

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Please reserve _____ spaces at the February 25, 2010 tasting at \$165.00 per person

Visa/Mastercard # _____ Expiration _____

CID: _____
(3 or 4-digit code)

Check Enclosed _____ Tasters Guild Member ____ Yes ____ No

Name(s) _____

Address _____

Email _____ Daytime Phone _____

**For a refund, cancellations must be received by 5:00pm on February 18, 2010– no exceptions. For more information, please contact Adam Shaffer at the Washington Tasters Guild at (202) 223-1700

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