

# WINE ENTHUSIAST

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## 12 Celebrity Wines—and How We Scored Them



### Jim Nantz

With approximately 40 years of sportscasting experience, Jim Nantz is widely considered one of the premier voices of the National Football League. In 2009, after a chance meeting in a Connecticut restaurant with Peter Deutsch, of Deutsch Family Wine & Spirits, the duo took their combined passion for wine and launched a joint label, The Calling, in Sonoma.

**The Calling 2016 Searby Vineyard Chardonnay (Russian River Valley); \$51, 91 points.** Robust Meyer lemon flavors exude from this fleshy and lush white wine, laced in acidity and modest oak, that reveals full-bodied richness within a context of balance. Touches of nutmeg, lemongrass and white flower permeate through a long finish. –V.B.

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