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Swill in Style: These Wine Glasses Await Your Pour

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We all have our favorite wine glass, the one we reach for each day. It's as much a part of the happy hour ritual as the wine itself. Some of us choose a glass for how it feels in our hands, for the way it complements the color of our eyes or the living room's decor. True aficionados, however, opt for glasses that enhance the flavors, aromas and hues of the wine itself. Even then, experts disagree and subjectivity rules regarding which glass works best. As Antony Laviron, Sommelier at Royal Champagne Hotel & Spa says: "When it comes to wine tasting, the choice of glass depends on many criteria, above all the wine characteristics and customer preferences—" though he favors crystal glasses to allow for better readability of the wine aromas. Ready to fill your cupboard with some new stemware? These vessels make the grade.