

*“A key turning point in the ‘coming out’ of Israel’s wines came ... when [Mark Squires, writing in Robert Parker’s Wine Advocate] tasted more than 40 Israeli wines for the first time....” -Dina Kraft, Jewish Exponent, September, 2008*



*Mark Squires tasting in Israel, Photo from Maariv*



## ***PINOT BOUTIQUE IS PROUD TO PRESENT***

### **An Introduction to Israeli wine**

Hosted by **MARK SQUIRES**, an “influential American wine critic” (Newsweek, June, 2008) who writes about Israel, Portugal, Greece and other regions for Robert Parker’s Wine Advocate.

Hear Mark Squires talk about the ins and outs of Israeli wine, its history, its present status—what you need to know as a beginner or even a more advanced drinker. Plus, get to taste five well regarded Israeli wines, including top selections from well regarded wineries Yatir, Recanati, Carmel and Domaine du Castel. *You’ll be amazed at what’s been happening when you weren’t even looking...Israeli wine isn’t just for religious events any more...!*

**Dates:** March 11 or April 1 **Time:** 6:30 p.m. @ Pinot Boutique, 227 Market Street, Phila., PA 19106 **Lecture fee:** \$75 **RSVP:** Dan Soskin, [Dan@pinotboutique.com](mailto:Dan@pinotboutique.com) or 215.627.WINE. Reservations in this limited seating event are held only by payment, which is non-refundable if canceled less than 48 hours before the event, unless a substitute can be found.

*Please allow approximately 90 minutes for the lecture. Some take a little longer, some take a bit less. Wines are served in tasting pours of approximately 1 ounce. Depending on the event, usually 4-6 wines are served. Notwithstanding, all attendees are reminded that alcohol consumption can lead to intoxication and therefore guests are expected to drink in moderation at events. It is advisable to provide designated drivers where available, or to taste and spit rather than consume alcohol when such drivers are not available. We reserve the right to substitute wines in the event they are corked or similar problems arise.*