

how to
act like a
Champagne
expert





Foreword

Champagne is the perfect pairing of passion and art, and I have always thought that there was something magical about its delightful effervescence. At first it was the exquisite taste that lured me in, and whenever I heard the unique sound of a champagne cork popping from the bottle, I would always cry out "That's the sound of happiness!" I soon began collecting each cap from the bottles I enjoyed, and would write the occasion and the date on the reverse side.

My hunger for champagne knowledge grew to the point where I needed to find out everything I could about each of the Houses, including their history and what contributes to their particular style. This obsession with bubbly continues to the present day, as I attempt to master the art of understanding champagne.

To have the wonderful book *How to Act Like a Champagne Expert* at my fingertips is ideal as I seek to discover the secrets of the champagne world, and it will be a permanent addition to my handbag. Christian Pol Roger once stated that "champagne cannot be drunk without intelligence," and this fun and user-friendly guide to the world's sparklers allows me to have that wisdom on hand at all times.*

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