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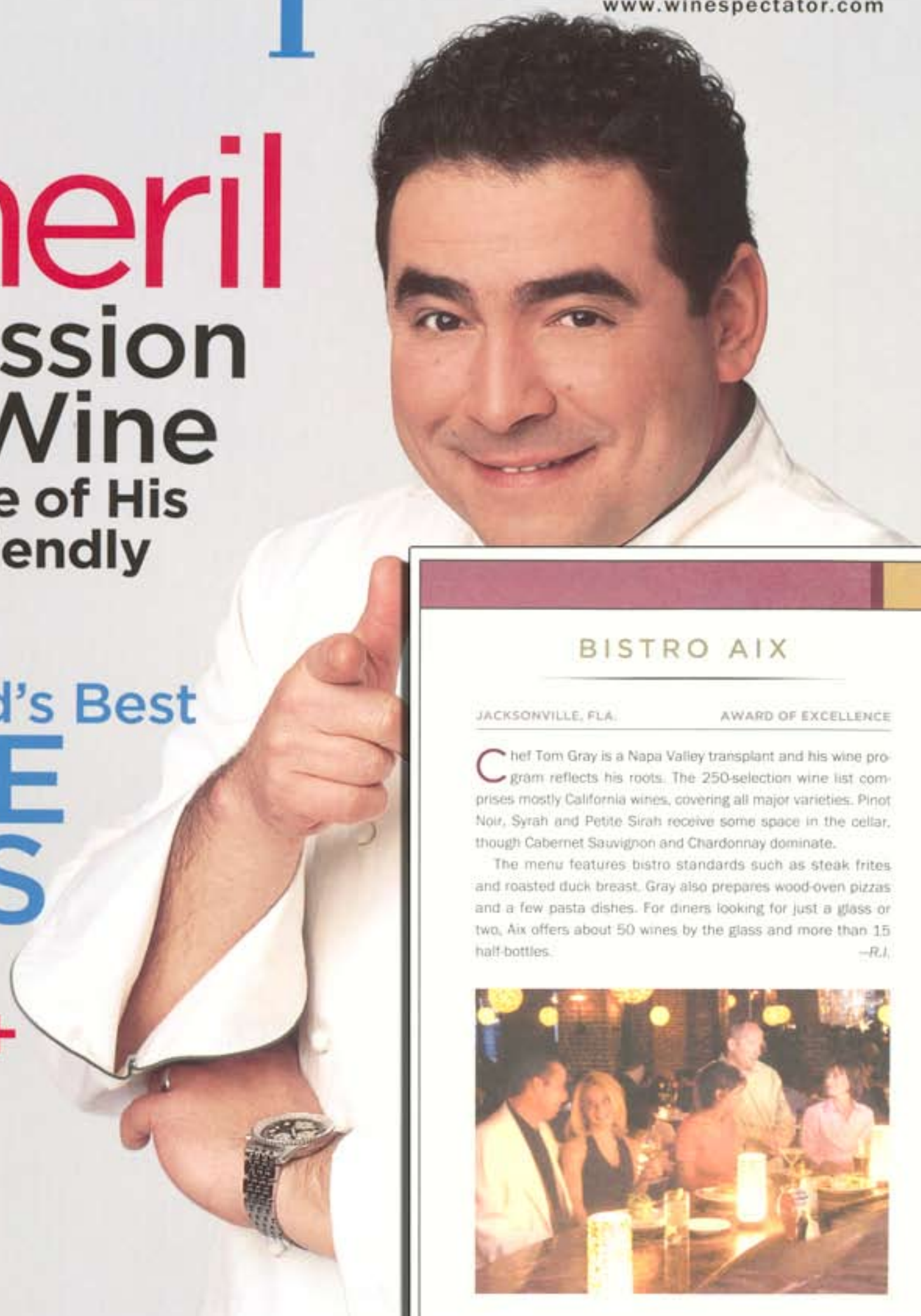
A Passion For Wine

Plus: Five of His Wine-Friendly Recipes

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WINE LISTS

700+ Wines Rated



BISTRO AIX

JACKSONVILLE, FLA.

AWARD OF EXCELLENCE

Chef Tom Gray is a Napa Valley transplant and his wine program reflects his roots. The 250-selection wine list comprises mostly California wines, covering all major varieties. Pinot Noir, Syrah and Petite Sirah receive some space in the cellar, though Cabernet Sauvignon and Chardonnay dominate.

The menu features bistro standards such as steak frites and roasted duck breast. Gray also prepares wood-oven pizzas and a few pasta dishes. For diners looking for just a glass or two, Aix offers about 50 wines by the glass and more than 15 half-bottles.

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