



The first day of spring may be less than two weeks away. But if weather forecasts are any indication of what's to come, we're really not out of the (winter) woods just yet. So Keri Levens—the chef sommelier at New York's Chefs Club—picked out 15 cold weather wines to get us through the next few days of blustery chill and snow.

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## CLASSIC AMERICAN CAB (RED; NEW WORLD): Acumen, Mountainside Atlas Peak, California, 2013

"I recently discovered this California red blend and was so impressed. Made with expertly grown fruit by Steve Matthiasson this is a blend of Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, and Malbec in the Atlas Peak AVA from mountainside vineyards. This wine packs in all the fruit you'd expect in a Napa Cab, but with such finesse. It's light on its feet, showing notes of pomegranate and herbs and a touch of cocoa powder."