

# 1 Wine Dude

Serious wine talk...  
for the not so serious drinker



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I had a hankerin' for a giveaway, and for something fun and *off-beat* (I know, right? me being offbeat? what-what-WHAT?!??) and so for this edition of giveaway action **we're doubling up on the prizes and YOU can win just by leaving a comment!**



I was recently (that's "recently" as in *my* version of "recently" – which is measured in months – and not recently in normal human terms) turned onto a band called **side FX**, who feature the interesting vocals of wine fan **Kim Cameron**, and who (according to their publicist) have built their career by performing at wine tasting events.

Now, as a member of a hard-working (that's "hard working" in the "It's a long way to the top if you wanna rock'n'roll" AC/DC sense, not in the 9-to-5 sense) rock band myself who has played in just about every scenario that you can imagine (including wine tasting events, which are usually a *great* gig), I was intrigued and the publicist sent over some review

copies of **side FX's album Turning Point** [ for laughably funny "rawk stah" photos of me pretending to be a musician, check out the inset pics below ].

**Fans of well-crafted, pop-infused hooks and musicianship will dig Turning Point**, I think – the more astute listeners will pick out a variety of influences from '80s Go-Go's pop to country and UK club dance beats.