



# GIFFARD WILD ELDERFLOWER PREMIUM LIQUEUR

Dense clusters of a wild varietal of small, pale yellow elderflowers are hand-harvested each spring from orchards in the countryside. The intensely aromatic, delicate blossoms are naturally dried and set to macerate in small batches to extract their ambrosial fragrance and flavor reminiscent of honeysuckle, muscat grapes, rose, lychee fruit and saffron.

**Volume:** 750 mL

**ABV:** 20%

**Appearance:** Pale gold

**Aroma:** Intense aromas of exotic spiced white flowers, tropical fruit and rose

**Tasting Notes:** A sweet/tart balance of herbal florals, muscat grape, lychee fruit and saffron

## ELDER SOUR

2 oz. GIFFARD Wild Elderflower  
1 oz. fresh lemon juice  
.25 oz. fresh, organic egg whites

**Glass:** Rocks

**Garnish:** Lemon wheel and fresh nutmeg

**Method:** Shake, fine strain over fresh ice

## WILD CIDER

.75 oz. GIFFARD Wild Elderflower  
4 oz. chilled, dry hard cider  
1 dash Angostura Bitters

**Glass:** Tall

**Garnish:** Lemon twist

**Method:** Build over ice, stir

## ABOUT GIFFARD

Emile Giffard was a pharmacist with an inventive, curious nature and the palate of a gourmand. In the scorching summer of 1885, in the small Loire Valley town of Angers, France, he was studying the digestive and cooling properties of mint. Giffard's research resulted in the invention of a clear mint liqueur, steam-distilled from the Mitcham variety of peppermint. As delicious as it was refreshing, this liqueur was immediately received with enthusiasm from the townspeople of Angers. Monsieur Giffard's elixir was called Menthe Pastille after the mint candies that were so famous at the time.

Giffard parlayed the success of Menthe Pastille into a fully operational distillery. Since 1885, the Giffard facility has produced liqueurs, syrups, cordials and tonics from the rich bounty of local fruits and botanicals as well as the exotic spices and herbs that were brought in by ship on the Loire River from ports around the world. Four generations later, Giffard is still owned and operated by the same family who maintain tradition and quality for all of its products.