



BETA TESTER QUICK START

Help us make every bottle easier to find.

Thank you for testing Bottle Vault. This guide gets you installed, signed in, and through the most important collection workflows in about 20 minutes.

INSTALL AND SIGN IN

Start with the latest TestFlight build.

1

Install TestFlight

On your iPhone, download Apple's TestFlight app from the App Store.

2

Open the invitation

Open the Bottle Vault beta invitation email on that iPhone, tap the invitation link, accept it in TestFlight, and install the latest available Bottle Vault build.

3

Complete the introduction

Open Bottle Vault and review the welcome screens. Select **Get Started** when you are ready to create your account.

4

Create and confirm your account

Use an email address you can access, choose a password, and open the Bottle Vault confirmation email. After the confirmation page appears, return to the app and sign in.

5

Confirm cloud sync

Open **Settings**. Your Account & Cloud Sync section should show that you are signed in. Use **Sync Now** only when you want an immediate refresh; normal syncing should not run continuously every second.

IMPORTANT

Never send your Bottle Vault password, Apple password, verification code, or API key in a bug report.

FOCUSED TEST

Try the collection from end to end.

You do not need a large collection. A few bottles and one or two storage layouts are enough to reveal most problems.

1. Build and organize

CHECK Create or rename a cellar, refrigerator, rack, or cabinet.

CHECK Mix single-depth rows with different front and back capacities.

CHECK Search inside a cellar and from the main Collection screen.

2. Add bottles

CHECK Scan a wine or spirit label and review every suggested field.

CHECK Enter a missed vintage manually and check the drinking window.

CHECK Add more than one identical bottle using Quantity.

CHECK Place bottles in exact slots or save them as Unplaced.

3. Use the collection

CHECK Search by name, vintage, varietal, and drink-by date.

CHECK Sort newest to oldest, oldest to newest, and drink first.

CHECK Open a location from a bottle's details.

CHECK Move, edit, share, or mark a bottle as consumed.

4. Notes and sharing

CHECK Add an Insight directly to a bottle and open it again.

CHECK Invite a trusted tester as a viewer or editor.

CHECK Confirm an editor can add, move, and update bottles.

CHECK Check that bottle labels appear on each authorized phone.

SUBSCRIPTIONS IN TESTFLIGHT

Test purchases should not charge you.

If Bottle Vault asks you to test Premium, follow Apple's TestFlight purchase prompt only after confirming it is a test or sandbox transaction. Do not complete a purchase if the screen appears to show a real charge; take a screenshot and report it instead.

REPORT A PROBLEM

Send feedback to	support@bottlevaultusa.com
Include	What you were trying to do; what happened; what you expected; the latest Bottle Vault build number; iPhone model and iOS version; whether you were signed in or using a shared vault; and a screenshot or screen recording when possible.
Helpful subject line	Bottle Vault beta - short description of the issue

Thank you for helping us build a better Bottle Vault.

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