

2013 Portrait of a Mutt Zinfandel

Always a blend, thus a "mutt." Our 2013 Portrait of a Mutt Zinfandel is full of the best characteristics of a mutt. It's blended to perfection to evoke wines of California's early history--rustic, and from a field mix with Zinfandel at the core. In this expression we've blended both Petite Sirah and Merlot with our Zinfandel to give the wine perfect balance. The accent is on the fruit--think plums and red cherry fruit with just a hint of licorice. It's a medium-bodied, medium-finish wine that is sure to accompany many a favorite dish. Our Portrait of a Mutt will captivate you with its unique structure and personality. "All hail the mutt!"—Brenda Lynch

Brenda's Winemaking...Great fruit & cold beer

It's all about the fruit. For her "Dog Series" wines, Brenda has one goal in mind—create fruit-forward wines with varietally true aromatics, mid palette weight and flavor, and a full-bodied and balanced finish. Fruit for our Portrait of a Mutt Zinfandel is proudly sourced from our home AVA of Sonoma County. Here in Sonoma as elsewhere, Brenda's travels to find the perfect fruit for you always seem to have stops in a beach town for a cold beer at the local pub. This she claims is an equally important part of her winemaking!

Tasting Notes

This wine has a beautiful, translucent garnet color and opens to plum and cherry aromatics. You can't miss the plummy flavor that's accompanied with just a hint of licorice. Though the flavor profile is refined, the lovely fruit shines through. The wine is medium-bodied, has a smooth mouthfeel and is a medium finish wine.

This is a wine that will pair well with many things. My favorite however, is pulled pork with a side of slaw. The spices of the pork and the sweet taste of the slaw seem meant to showcase this wine.

Our 2013 Portrait of a Mutt Zinfandel is just waiting to be your muse!



Information

Vintage: 2013

Appellation: Sonoma

Alcohol: 15.5%

Produced: 530 Cases

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