



Gem Collection Patchwork

Livermore Valley

2019

Blend: 49% Zinfandel, 24% Merlot, 24% Petit Verdot, and 3% Cabernet Sauvignon

Tasting Notes:

Flavors and Aromas: Notes of red fruit, plum, raspberry jam, and prune weave a complex, fruity nose with a backdrop of darker tones of oak and violet. These flavors appear on the palate, with an emphasis on the darker fruit and floral notes. Big jammy character emerges with aeration.

Body and Structure: The tannins velvety and approachable, with a structured, medium-plus mouthfeel. The finish is mid length and bursting with fruit jam and vanilla flavors.

Pairings: Barbecue meats, flatbread pizzas and hearty stews.

Details:

This Club-Exclusive Patchwork blend is based on a classic blend from Bordeaux, but with our own twist. The Petit Verdot and Merlot elevate the Zinfandel by providing a strong base, allowing the jammy notes of the Zinfandel to mingle with the dark notes of the Petit Verdot. All of the component wines are fermented in a mix of stainless steel and open top fermenters. Aged in a blend of 63% new oak: 40% French, 40% American, and 20% Hungarian for 21 months prior to bottling.

Alc. by Vol. 15.0%

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