



Gem Collection Intesa

Livermore Valley

2015

Blend: 48.5% Cabernet Sauvignon, 48.5% Barbera & 3% Petit Verdot.

Tasting Notes:

Flavors and Aromas: Bright red fruit on the nose, including cherry and red currant, with supporting aromas of vanilla, rhubarb and a slight toastiness from the barrels.

Body and Structure: The palate has smooth tannins, a balanced acidity and a medium body. Additional flavors come through on the palate such as boysenberry, allspice and cinnamon.

Pairings: With a variety of richer dishes, or on its own with good company.

Details:

The Cabernet lends complexity of flavors and a rich, velvety mouth feel. The Barbera imparts black fruit flavors and boosts the acidity. Together, these components form a harmonious agreement, resulting in a rich red wine with great flavor, complexity and structure. This wine was aged in 75% New French and 25% Hungarian oak cooperage for 21 months prior to bottle aging.

Alc. by Vol. 15.5%

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