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ROSSO & BIANCO

Wine for EVERYDAY *Life*

"My family has always made wine. To hear it from my father Carmine, these were not fancy wines; they were everyday wines, wines that were on the dinner table each night. Our Rosso & Bianco wines are made in the same spirit – wines for everyday life."

Francis Coppola



2016 ROSSO & BIANCO SHIRAZ

Rosso & Bianco wines have always been special to us because they're among the first wines we ever made. Rosso & Bianco Shiraz offers a smooth, velvety palate of dark, juicy fruits, fragrant spices, and a touch of toasted wood, which pairs perfectly with grilled meats and comfort foods like shepherd's pie, enchiladas, and fried chicken.

WINEMAKER'S NOTES

- Rosso & Bianco Shiraz comes from Monterey County where daytime temperatures are nearly 50 degrees warmer than nighttime temperatures. These conditions produce lush, balanced fruit that retains a good level of crisp natural acidity.
- Rosso Shiraz offers a smooth, velvety palate of dark, juicy fruits, and aromatic spices.
- Petite Sirah is added to the blend to enhance body and texture as well as deepen the color and add tannin. Its flavors of dark jammy berries and pepper notes complement Shiraz's red fruits and spice characteristics.
- The combination of French and American oak contributes to the wine's smoky, earthy elements.

TASTING PROFILE

Appearance: Violet red

Aromas: Raspberries, cherries, tobacco, lavender and cinnamon

Flavors: Baked boysenberries, baking spices and pepper

Corey Beck, Winemaker

WINEMAKING ANALYSIS

Blend: 90% Shiraz, 10% Petite Sirah

Appellation: California

Alcohol: 13.9%

Total Acid: .66g/100ml

pH: 3.56

Barrel Regimen: 10 months French oak

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