

Bokisch

VINEYARDS

2013 Garnacha Terra Alta Vineyard



APPELLATION:	Clement Hills-Lodi
VINEYARD:	Terra Alta Vineyards
COMPOSITION:	95% Garnacha, 5% Graciano
CLONE SELECTION:	Rioja
AGING:	18 months in French & American Oak
TECH:	Alc: 14.5%
SOIL TYPE:	Volcanic Clay Loam
AGE OF VINES:	13 Years
HARVESTED:	September 26, 2013
BOTTLING:	May 30, 2015
PRODUCTION:	516 cases produced
SUGGESTED RETAIL:	\$20 per bottle
GRAPES:	Organically & Sustainably Farmed
CERTIFICATION:	Certified Organic by CCOF Certified Green by the Lodi Rules Program



TASTING NOTES

Our 2013 has a translucent gemstone color of brilliant red garnet. Notes of Smuckers strawberry jam, pomegranate juice and boysenberry pie delight the nose ending with fresh aromas of lifesaver, lemonheads and fresh cedar. This medium bodied wine has bright acidity and upfront dry tannins. Flavors of cranberry cocktail and fresh strawberry daiquiri end with a cherry vanilla like quality reminiscent of Ben and Jerry's Cherry Garcia ice cream. Try serving this Garnacha with smoked baby back ribs, roasted pork loin, or Spanish Manchego cheese

GARNACHA FACTS & HISTORY

Garnacha, known as Grenache in France, originated from Aragon, Spain. From there, it moved along the medieval highway of the Ebro River, spreading eastward, and finally north of the Pyrenees Mountains. It reached Languedoc in the 18th century and the Rhone River Valley in the 19th century. This Spanish Clone of Garnacha produces a smaller berry than its French Rhone partner and thus has a higher skin-to-juice ratio which gives it a brilliant ruby red color with violet tones.

GREEN CERTIFICATION

This wine was produced from organically farmed and green certified vineyards. The "Lodi Rules for Sustainable Winegrowing Practices" is the most recognized, third-party vineyard certification program in the industry. To qualify, a grower must pass rigorous, yearly audits which address every aspect of land stewardship. To become certified green, a grower must monitor and record their farming practices and achieve a minimum, quantifiable score in several categories. These categories include, efficient water use, efficient energy use, reduced pesticide use, air quality enhancement, ecosystem enhancement, employee training and community involvement to name a few.

"Our Catalan roots have inspired our dream to produce Spanish Varietal Wines in California.

Enjoy a Taste of Spain with us! Salut!" -Markus and Liz Bokisch