

#### **REBELLIOUS**

# Red Blend 2020

## America / California

Rebellious pays homage to the winemaker's art of blending, with each varietal thoughtfully chosen for a final, generous, and balanced blend. The fruit is fermented in separate lots, allowing each to be distinctly crafted before aging and blending.

#### HARVEST NOTE

A cool and mild growing season was followed by a late summer heat spell which accelerated ripening and produced a slightly earlier than usual start to harvest. Yields were down slightly but red grape varieties showed excellent color with balanced acidity and well-developed flavors.

#### TASTING NOTE

Aromas of cherry preserves, dark chocolate and cola with spicy notes of licorice, cardamom, cracked pepper and sandalwood. The bright and vibrant entry accentuates flavors of Bing cherry, fresh blueberries and all spice that linger into a creamy, rich mid-palate and ends with a luxurious finish.

### TECHNICAL DATA

GRAPES: 45% Zinfandel, 32% Cabernet Sauvignon, 11% Merlot, 8% Syrah, 3% Petite Sirah, 1% Chardonnay

APPELLATION: California

PH: 3.73

ACIDITY: 5.7 g/l

ABV: 15%

AGING: 16 months in 30% new French & American oak

RESIDUAL SUGAR: .50g/100ml

## **UNIQUE SELLING POINTS**

- Grapes from North Coast including Sonoma, Mendocino and Lake Counties
- Splash of white to soften the tannins and enhance the aromas
- Fermented in separate lots
- 16 months in 30% new French & American oak





We celebrate the rebels – the individuals who courageously defy the norm and push boundaries to create positive change. This Red Blend has a splash of white wine, a rebellious touch that rounds out the tannins and enhances the aromas, producing a final product that reflects the daring spirit of those who inspire others to follow their own path.