SEXTANT NV GENOA XII





WINEMAKING: Small lot fermentations mostly from our estate vineyard. 70% 2010 fruit aged for 21 months in 25% new French Oak blended with 30% 2008 Petite Sirah which was aged 45 months in 100% new French Oak.

Tasting Notes: After the growing season, after diligently tending the vines, after looking up to the sky for signs of good fortune day after day, the harvest comes. A sumptuous ensemble of varietals, the Genoa XII exemplifies exceptional cultivation in the vineyard and remarkable skill in the winery through the textured flavors in the wine which was comprised of our four hand selected prized barrels. It is layered with succulent raspberries and drenched with the juice of ripe blackberries. White pepper and sandalwood notes lift the wondrous blend as boysenberries rustle underneath. A vigorous swirl releases the best of each component including pungent tinges of strawberries, tender figs, and scented herbs at the periphery of the profile. The plush body of this wine is complemented with a long and buoyant finish having benefitted from good fortune indeed.

TECHNICAL NOTES:

Malolactic Fermentation - 100%

Total Acidity - .7g

pH - 3.76

Residual Sugar - .33 Alcohol - 14.9%

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An exotic blend that captures you



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