

Opolo

2015 REMO BELLI ZINFANDEL ADELAIDA DISTRICT, PASO ROBLES, CALIFORNIA

Opolo Vineyards has a long established reputation of growing and producing award winning wines in Paso Robles, California. With nearly 300 acres of vines on the east and west side of Paso Robles, Opolo Vineyards is privy to a wide range in climate, soil and growing potential—allowing extensive range of varietals to flourish. This variety combined with the passion behind the brand has made Opolo a favorite of wine enthusiasts everywhere.

VINEYARD

The grapes for this wine are sourced from Remo Belli vineyards in Paso Robles, an appellation justly famous for producing intense fruit forward zinfandels. The climate of these vineyards are characterized by slightly cooler growing conditions due to coastal temperatures and austere soils which produce a fruit with exceptional varietal character and expression.

WINEMAKING

The grapes are handpicked at night to ensure that the fruit arrives at the winery very cold. The grapes are delicately destemmed and crushed ever so slightly into both closed top stainless steel fermentation vessels as well as small open top fermenters. After 20 days of fermentation the wine is gently pressed, settled and racked to barrel for 10 + months

WINEMAKER NOTES

Now with 3 years' time in bottle, the 2015 Remo Belli Zinfandel takes the stage with dripping confidence and seamless choreography. Although a little more line-dance than ballet, this wine stomps out heavy whiffs of dried strawberry, cookie dough, blackberry jam, and orange peel. To balance: zips a finish of mixed red fruit, clover honey, and shavings of semi-sweet chocolate - that refreshingly tart, mouthwatering sensation will keep you thirsty till the bottoms up. Summer concert snack in a glass, that is if you don't spill it all on the dance floor, cowboy. Drink with a generous second helping of country fried chicken and plenty of napkins.

WINE INFORMATION

COMPOSITION: 100% Zinfandel

APPELLATION: Adelaida District, Paso Robles, California

ALCOHOL: 16.4%

CASE PRODUCTION: 150

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