

TASTING NOTES

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Great wine, without the rules.

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Spade & Sparrows is a wine label and community blended together by yours truly, Kaitlyn Bristowe.

I am passionate about wine, not only because it's delicious, but because of the special way it brings people together. I've created each bottle with your taste buds, nights-out, and (most importantly) your nights-in, in mind.

I'm not a sommelier or a wine snob, I'm just a girl who loves having a great glass of wine in hand. I create wine that I want to drink and share with the people I love.

Cheers to that,

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PINOT GRIGIO

Low sugar with notes of crisp green apples & citrus. Pairs well with pouring yourself another glass.

BLEND

100% Pinot Grigio

APPELLATIONS 100% California

ANALYSIS

Alcohol: 12.5% pH: 3.30 TA: 6.4 g/L RS: 3.0 g/L Malolactic Fermentation: none Oak: none

CALORIES

100 per 5oz serving





- All grapes picked in early August of 2021 to balance fruit with bright flavors for varietal expression
- Color is removed at the juice phase so we can catch the aromatics in the fermentation while keeping the color very pale
- Notes of citrus (lemon & lime) and green apples
- $\cdot\;$ Hint of jasmine floral and strawberry on the edges
- The perfect picnic wine to pair with your favorite cheeses and fresh fruit.

ROSÉ

Low sugar with notes of lush strawberries & florals. Pairs well with a mountain of laundry (cheers to real life).

BLEND

42% Barbera, 26% Tempranillo, 9% Grenache 9% Syrah, 4% Zinfandel

APPELLATIONS

100% California

ANALYSIS

Alcohol: 12.5% pH: 3.26 TA: 6.4 g/L RS: 3.0 g/L Malolactic Fermentation: none Oak: none

CALORIES

100 per 5oz serving





- All grapes picked early during harvest of 2020 and straight to press for production
- Post juicing and fermentation, fining to achieve wine stability and color hue
- Barbera based blend for soft strawberry flavors and crisp acidity in early stages of ripeness
- Target is crisp 'Provence/Cali' style with bright acidity and light mouth feel
- Tempranillo and Grenache add light body and aromatics, while the Syrah and Zin tend to add a touch of fruitiness as well as some depth.

PINOT NOIR

Low sugar with notes of ripe raspberries & a hint of spice. Pairs well with ordering takeout (for the third time this week).

BLEND 92% Pinot Noir, 6% Barbera, 2% Syrah

APPELLATIONS 100% California

ANALYSIS

Alcohol: 13.5% pH: 3.66 TA: 6.4 g/L RS: 3.5 g/L Malolactic Fermentation: 100% Oak: 100% French oak aged around 8-10 months

CALORIES

108 per 5oz serving





- Majority of this blend comes from growers in Clarksburg, California
- Soft fruit and brilliant aromatics with notes of raspberry and ripe cherry
- $\cdot\,$ Smooth with a hint of spice and white pepper
- Syrah adds further structure and complexity with a gamey edge
- \cdot Light and easy drinking.

2020 CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Low sugar with notes of juicy blackberries, cocoa & vanilla. Pairs well with Netflix on the couch.

BLEND

80% Cabernet Sauvignon, 16% Petite Sirah, 2% Merlot, 2% Tannat

APPELLATIONS

100% California

ANALYSIS

Alcohol: 14.5% pH: 3.61 TA: 5.5 g/L RS: 2.1 g/L Malolactic Fermentation: 100% Oak: Aged on average for 12 months, mostly French and American oak with some Hungarian oak for complexity.

CALORIES

116 per 5oz serving



- Grapes sourced are made up of 86% Clarksburg, 8% Napa Valley and 6% Suisun Valley
- Approximately half of the wine has been picked and fermented on recently drained Petite Sirah skins for additional color, fruit and complexity
- Inky dark with notes of black currant, blackberry and the Petite Sirah's jammy blueberry with ripe round tannins
- Well balanced with the traditional characters of a Cabernet Sauvignon.



Allergies & Dietary Restrictions



PLEASE NOTE:

All varietals are gluten free

All varietals are dairy free

All varietals contain sulfites (not organic)

No peanuts or tree nut cross contamination in facility

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2019 Pinot Grigio

BLEND

85% Pinot Grigio 15% French Colombard

APPELLATIONS

100% California

ANALYSIS

Alcohol: 12.5% pH: 3.38 TA: 6.4 g/L RS: 5.0 g/L Malolactic Fermentation: none Oak: none

CALORIES

100 per 5oz serving

- All grapes picked early during harvest of 2019 to keep the fruit bright and the body light
- California-style Pinot Grigio with good body and presence on the palate framed by the bright acidity
- French Colombard adds nice body to the blend to give the wine some weight and texture
- Processed in a very clean style to focus on minerality and light



2020 Pinot Grigio

Notes of crisp apple, melon & citrus. Pairs well with patio sessions and happy hour hangs. Oh– and a mountain of laundry (*cheers to real life*).

BLEND 100% Pinot Grigio

APPELLATIONS

100% California

ANALYSIS

Alcohol: 12.5% pH: 3.31 TA: 5.9 g/L RS: 4.5 g/L Malolactic Fermentation: none Oak: none

CALORIES

100 per 5oz serving

- All grapes picked early during harvest of 2020 to keep the fruit bright and the body light
- · Blend of warm and cool climate grapes
- Quince aromatics with the brilliant acidity and minerality of this varietal
- Soft on approach with a bright finish to keep you sipping more and more...

ROSÉ

Low sugar with notes of lush strawberries & florals. Pairs well with a mountain of laundry (cheers to real life).

BLEND

34% Syrah, 27% Grenache, 23% Zinfandel, 13% Petite Sirah, 3% Petit Verdot

APPELLATIONS

100% California

ANALYSIS

Alcohol: 12.5% pH: 3.20 TA: 6.5 g/L RS: 3.5 g/L Malolactic Fermentation: none Oak: none

CALORIES

100 per 5oz serving





- A majority of the red grapes picked in evening of late August – early September of 2021, to balance fruit with bright flavors for true rosé expression
- Light pink in color with orange edges
- Notes of tart strawberry fruit notes to balance out the bright acidity, while keeping the finish light and fruity
- On the palate this wine starts with flavors of tart strawberry, raspberries, hints of tangerine and finishes bright and clean
- · A great go-to rosé for hot summer days.