

FRANCIS COPPOLA

DIAMOND COLLECTION

"The inspiration for the Diamond Collection was a bottle of 1906 Claret we found in the cellar of the Napa Valley property we purchased in 1975. I designed a new label reminiscent of this old bottle and created the Diamond Collection Black Label Claret, which is our company's most recognized offering. Today, Diamond Collection includes 13 varietals, each identified with a brightly colored label. The quality and authenticity of Diamond Collection is extremely important because we are a family company and our name is on the label. As such, you can trust that we'll always give you the very best."

—Francis Ford Coppola

FRANCIS COPPOLA DIAMOND COLLECTION 2013 SYRAH-SHIRAZ

Our unique Syrah-Shiraz is sourced from three distinct vineyards in the central coast and blended with small amounts of Petite Sirah so that it's extremely dark and lush. Our San Lucas fruit develops a high level of concentration and intense blackberry aromas while our Paso Robles fruit offers contrasting red fruit flavors and a rich, velvety texture. These two fruit selections when blended together with a small amount of Petite Sirah from Hames Valley produce a more complex wine that has depth, structure, and intense aromatics.

WINEMAKER'S NOTES

The 2013 vintage is sure to go down as one of the best of the decade. The growing season experienced ideal climate conditions just like the year before. Having great weather two years in a row optimizes the vines, and what makes the 2013 vintage even more spectacular than its predecessor. The fruit showed exceptional concentration, pure fruit flavors, fragrant spices, and supple tannins.

TASTING PROFILE

Appearance Garnet magenta
Aromas Plums, blackberries, violets and spicy oak
Flavors Cherries, cassis, anise and earthy minerals



Corey Beck, Winemaker



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| <i>Appellation</i> | California |
| <i>Blend</i> | 76% Syrah, 24% Petite Sirah |
| <i>Alcohol</i> | 13.9% |
| <i>Total Acid</i> | .61g/100ml |
| <i>pH</i> | 3.60 |
| <i>Barrel Regimen</i> | 10 months French oak |
| <i>Released</i> | June 2015 |