

Vintage: 2005 Variety: 100% Syrah Designation: SYRAH

Cases produced - 115

Winery SRP - \$28

General Statement -

Dark and opulent. This syrah exhibits a floral nose with chocolate cherry, and spicy toast. Rose hips, blueberry, white pepper, and leather finish with lingering creamy mocha.

Source of the Fruit – Terra Bella – Syrah Starr Ranch – Syrah

Winemaking Notes -

- Fermentation When the fruit is brought in it is gently destemed into small open top fermenters. The berries are then aloud to cold soak for 2-5 days before being inoculated with yeast. Once the fermentation begins the cap is gently punched down by hand or the juice is "pumped over" using gravity. The fermentation lasts between 5 to 15 days. After the free run is drained down into barrels the must is then gently pressed directly into separate barrels.
- Alcohol 16%

Barrel Aging -

Aged 23 months in a mix of new and neutral French, American, and Hungarian oak

Date Bottled - 9/1/2007

Date Released - 5/1/2008

Awards and Accolades -

2005 Kaleidos Syrah

A Syrah Dry Red Table wine from Paso Robles , San Luis Obispo, Central Coast, California, USA, Review by Robert Parker

WA # , #172 (Aug 2007)

Rating: 90 Drink -Cost: \$34

Revealing even juicier, more abundant fruit than the 2004, the 2005 Syrah does not yet reveal much complexity, but its soft, round, opulent, voluptuously-textured style is seductive. Tel. and Fax (805)

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