



MATCHBOOK WINES

Syrah 2013

\$20.35

* Suggested retail price

MATCHBOOK
WINE COMPANY
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\$	Service fees	\$0.00
	Product code	14354192
\$	Licensee price	\$17.66
	Format	12x750ml
🚚	Listing type	Private import
📅	Status	Unavailable
🏷️	Type of product	Still wine
🇺🇸	Country	United States
📍	Regulated designation	American Viticultural Areas (AVA)
📍	Region	California
📍	Subregion	Yolo, Dunnigan Hills
🍇	Varietal(s)	Syrah 87 %
🍇	Varietal(s)	Petit Verdot 8 %
🍇	Varietal(s)	Cabernet Sauvignon 5 %
%	Alcohol percentage	13.9%
🎨	Colour	Red
📄	PH	3.84

ABOUT THIS WINERY

Why Matchbook? As a farm kid growing up in the late 1950's and early 1960's John Giguere was a confirmed pyromaniac starting various things on fire such as his father's wheat field. He eventually grew out of this fascination with the "Matchbook" but still have fond memories of its power.

TASTING NOTES

Aromas of pepper spice and plum mix with blackberry, bacon and cocoa powder, while rich black cherry and mocha flavors give way to a bouquet of cigar box, saddle leather and truffle. This is a juicy Syrah, with earthy undertones and balanced acidity.

PRODUCTION NOTES

The grapes were gently crushed and fermented in small temperature-controlled stainless steel tanks. Specially selected yeast was used on 60% of the fruit to enhance color and flavor extraction without harsh tannins. Native yeast was used on 40% of the ferments to add complexity and richness. Tanks were pumped over twice a day until nearly dry, then pressed and aged in oak barrels for 21 months.



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