



2010 CABERNET SAUVIGNON KLIPSUN VINEYARD, RED MOUNTAIN

Vineyards: Klipsun 100%

Grapes: 100% Cabernet Sauvignon

Vintage Season: Cool spring and summer, moderate autumn with extended ripening, low yields.

Barrels: 100% French (Vicard, Taransaud), 40% new

Time in Cellar: 23 months, bottled July 2012

Aroma: Black cherry jam, molasses, cedar

Taste: Bold, firmly structured, ripe sweet fruit

Alcohol: 14.9%

Lot Size: 210 cases

WINEMAKER'S NOTES

This vintage I decided to celebrate our long relationship with Klipsun by making one of the most flagrant, extroverted versions of Cabernet in our history. Deep dark color leads you in to a nose that shouts out black cherry jam, Red Mountain dust, a hint of molasses and cedar, lightened by a floral vanillin note. The palate is rich thick, almost candied cherry, a streak of black licorice, and sweet spicy oak. Ample tannins support the long ripe dark cherry finish. The wine holds nothing back, and just keeps expanding, so have fun with this one! I would say 6-10 years of rewarding cellar aging could be expected. Drink with a bold, heavily flavored meal. If drunk young, decant several hours beforehand.

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