

2017 MARSANNE

APPELLATION: Texas High Plains AVA

VINEYARDS: Reddy Vineyards – Block 24

VARIETAL: 100% Marsanne

VINTAGE: 2017

ALCOHOL: 15.4%

CASES PRODUCED: 178 cases



WINEMAKERS NOTES

A warm winter spared the Texas High Plains from damaging freezes and precipitated early budbreak and vine development throughout the warmer spring months of the 2017 growing season. Early ripening, coupled with lower yields, produced grapes of excellent concentration. This single block, 100% Marsanne, is farmed from our family's finest Marsanne vines. We fermented this wine in stainless steel tanks to preserve the ripeness of the strong 2017 vintage and show the fresh fruit characteristics of the grape. We then rested this wine in neutral French oak barrels to add textural roundness on the palate. These efforts resulted in a wine with both exquisite richness and balance. Only 178 cases made!

TASTING NOTES

A dazzling straw color, this wine reveals perfumed notes of stone fruit, white flowers and citrus zest on the nose. Medium-bodied with a round, creamy texture, this expressive Marsanne unravels into layered notes of ripe peaches, Bartlett pear, quince and citrus fruits. The finish is long and clean with hints of minerality.

THE VINEYARDS & PHILOSOPHY

At Reddy Vineyards, we strive to provide the highest quality grapes to be enjoyed as your family's favorite wine. Situated in the heart of the Texas High Plains AVA (American Viticultural Area), our vineyards are blessed to possess a rare combination of factors ideal for growing premium grapes. Soaring at an elevation of 3305 feet, the vineyards experience a long growing season with warm days and cool nights. Sandy loam soils with deep limestone deposits protect the vines from pests while forcing the vines to produce concentrated grapes. This unique terroir allows us to grow grapes with exceptional balance, depth, flavor and intensity.

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