



2010 FUSION WHITE AN EXCEPTIONAL VIOGNIER-BASED WHITE WINE BLEND

Fusion is a carefully created modern blend that has its roots in the ancient past. Steve Borra's grandfather used the traditional method of planting to create a field-blend combination of grapes in a single vineyard that work together to blend his wine. After harvesting the vineyard, the blend was already made, with each varietal contributing a special element of flavor and character to the wine.

Steve Borra is a time-honored, traditional Italian winegrape-grower, using modern-day advances to nurture his vines. Each vineyard block is harvested only when perfectly ripe, with lots vinified separately, leveraging the latest in high-end winemaking techniques.

Tasting Notes

Our Rhône Viognier fuses with a pinch of German Gewürztraminer to produce bright, tantalizing aromas of floral lemon, grapefruit and orange with a backbone of wet stone minerality, shifting to peach and white pepper as it warms from an ideal 55° serving temperature. Chock-full of concentrated cream of lemon, peach and walnut with a light brushing of lemongrass and spicy anisette on the finish. One of the few wines we know that can dance harmoniously with asparagus. Even better with a catch of fresh Shrimp Scampi.

Statistics

Appellation:	Lodi
Blend:	89% Viognier, 11% Gewürztraminer
Harvested:	October 9, 2010
Winemaking:	Cold-fermented and aged in 100% stainless steel
Bottled:	March 4, 2011
Cases produced:	150
Alcohol:	14.8%
pH:	3.45
TA:	6.75 g/L