BENOM PASO ROBLES

2020

MUZE

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Poetically named Muze in honor of the wine's inspiration, Clio red blend, her Spanish roots come from the Mourvèdre known as Mataro or Monastrell in Spain. Full bodied and powerful this blend combines a classic Bordeaux style of Cabernet Sauvignon creating a showstopping wine with nuances of deep earthy structure, opulent fruit and a seamless finish. The cool climate Syrah compliments the blend by bringing beautiful freshness and a hint of spice. Muze is a mesmerizing wine with a rich, elegant body and soulful notes.

> AVA: Adelaida, Willow Creek, Edna Valley VINEYARDS: Parrish Family, Gateway, G2, Spanish Springs DRINKING WINDOW: Now to 2035 ALCOHOL: 14.5% FERMENTATION: 3 weeks in Stainless Steel AGING: 18 months in 60% New French Oak RECOMMENDED CELLAR TEMPERATURE: 55-60° F RECOMMENDED SERVING TEMPERATURE: 60-62° F



TASTING NOTES AT TIME OF RELEASE

This garnet-colored, Spanish blend possesses deep red and purple fruits with damp soil on the first inhale. Luxardo cherry, date preserves and rhubarb jam swirl on the bouquet leading to touches of fresh wood chips and quince jam. The taste buds are aroused by baking spice and bright, ripe plums with inklings of oak, rhubarb and a tinge of molasses. Notes of Azuki and roasted sesame paste bring this indulgent wine to a lasting and powerful finish.





THE BLEND 49% Mourvèdre 39% Syrah 12% Cabernet Sauvignon