

# Dolce Rouge

## WINEMAKER NOTES

There are many reasons why a winemaker may choose to blend different grape varieties together. Sometimes the winemaker is looking for specific color, bouquet, or flavor that can only be achieved by blending. Other times it is just good fun to blend two or more wines together and see what happens. In this blend we used Ruby Cabernet, Merlot and just a hint of older vintage Montepulciano to achieve the perfect balance of aromas, flavors, and sweetness.

## TASTING NOTES

With a bright raspberry hue, this sweet red blend is fruity and smooth. It has welcoming aromas of blackberry and cherry. It is medium bodied and carries bright berry flavors with just a hint of spice on the back of the palate. A perfect wine for those who don't like it so dry. Drink it chilled by itself or add fruit to make it into sangria.



## TECHNICAL NOTES

### Varietals & Vineyards:

63% 2019 Ruby Cab from Krick Hill Vineyard, Levelland TX  
19% 2019 Merlot from Diamante Doble Vineyard, Tokio TX  
13% 2019 Merlot from Bingham Family Vineyard, Meadow TX  
5% 2016 Montepulciano from from Krick Hill Vineyard, Levelland TX

### Harvest Date:

Non-vintage  
Bottled February 5, 2021

### Aging:

Aged in French and American oak and stainless steel

### Food Pairing:

Pair with deer jerkey, brisket sandwiches, barbaco street tacos, guacamole with fresh tortilla chips, milk chocolate truffles, or make sangria with the Lost Oak Sacred Sangria recipe!

