

La Storia
BY TRENTADUE

Cuvée 32

ALEXANDER VALLEY ESTATE
RED WINE

2022



WINEMAKER NOTES

According to the National Integrated Drought Information System, the year 2022 was the driest year to date in the last 128 years. Here at Trentadue we started the practice of “water deficit Irrigation” nine years ago and because of that and other vineyard management techniques our vines fared relatively well even during the heat wave in September. The good news is that we did not have fires in Sonoma County and the quality was very high across all varieties with notably smaller berry and cluster sizes, packing a stellar quality 2022 vintage. The yields, as one may suspect, were down about 18% compared to 10-year average with Zinfandel down almost 35%.

Our 2022 Cuvée 32 is the 25th vintage of this blend for Trentadue Winery. In retrospect our “Super Tuscan” blend has been highly successful and consistently our top selling wine in the Tasting Room. Every vintage has a uniquely different blend determined by the best expression of its components and how they work together. Our young Montepulciano has become an important player in the blend as well as our Brunello Clone Sangiovese. The 2022 Cuvée 32 has intense cherry/cassis aromas contributed by the Sangiovese followed by deeper red fruit aromas of plums, blueberry, and a hint of pomegranate. With more air the wine shows more complex yet still in developing stage aromas and flavors of cocoa, cinnamon, leather, and black licorice. The mouth feel is medium to full with relatively high, food friendly acidity and a long and fresh finish. Drink now through 2032. Cheers!


MIRO TCHOLAKOV

TECHNICAL NOTES

VARIETAL	PRODUCTION	ALCOHOL
48% Sangiovese	1,381 Cases	14.9%
33% Merlot	BOTTLED	RESIDUAL
17% Montepulciano	August 2024	SUGAR 0.0%
2% Malbec	RELEASE DATE	pH
APPELLATION	February 2025	3.51
Alexander Valley Estate	AGING	TOTAL ACID
WINEMAKER	17 months in 22% new	6.2g/L
Miro Tcholakov	French oak and other	
	European oak. 100%	
	barrel aged.	