

UNWINED

WINE BAR & SHOP



Mann Cellars

2004 Mann Syrah, Mannstand Vineyards, Santa Clara Valley



Varietal: Syrah

Winemaker: Mike Mann

Alcohol: 14.5%

Cases Produced: 285

Appellation: Santa Clara Valley

The Wine

This wine has a deep ruby color and a flamboyant nose of cherry and red fruits with a touch of oak. On the palate, the wine exudes cherry, blackberry, licorice and vanilla flavors and a sumptuous mouthfeel. It has a long oaky finish.

The Vineyards

Mannstand Vineyards was established in 1981 and is located at the base of the Diablo Range on the east side of the Santa Clara Valley. Afternoon breezes emanating from Monterey Bay moderate the valley temperatures and extend the growing season, which is ideal for maturing classic red wines. An expansive trellis system (Geneva Double Curtain) and extensive leaf pulling ensure that each grape bunch is bathed in sunlight and fully ripened.

The Winemaking

Mann Cellars winemaking philosophy is to produce highly extracted wines employing small lot fermentations and aging in new French and American oak. The grapes for this wine were cold soaked and the juice aged 'sur lie' to promote a rich mouth feel.

Food Pairings

Grilled or braised beef
Dark berry sauces

List Price: \$ 23.95

Wine Club Member Price: \$ 21.56