

The Wines of Francis Coppola

FRANCIS COPPOLA WINE CELLAR
SONOMA COUNTY
GEYSERVILLE, CAL

2022 GEWÜRZTRAMINER

Winemaking has been a Coppola family tradition for several generations. So has making art and providing entertainment, from music and cinema to fine dining experiences and more. For Francis Ford Coppola, all these endeavors embody a celebration of life, merely designed with different tools. This wine's label, featuring Eleanor Coppola's handwriting, is based on the original label design from the Coppola family's first wines bottled in the early 1980s. Four decades later, the family's small wine endeavor is now an established wine legacy.

RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY

The Russian River Valley offers the perfect climate for varietals like Gewürztraminer, which benefits from diurnal conditions. Fog rolls off the Pacific Ocean each afternoon and cools the vineyard temperature by as much as 35-40 degrees each evening. This differential allows the grapes to ripen slowly and retain their natural acidity, ultimately creating a beautifully balanced wine.

WINEMAKER'S NOTES

Though it is a much-revered wine in the Alsace region of France, Gewürztraminer is not grown by many wineries in Sonoma. The varietal is extremely floral and aromatic and tends to have a spicy quality about it. Stainless steel fermentation preserves these fragrances. The 2022 Gewürztraminer is silky and buoyant, with a persistent, lingering finish.

TASTING NOTES

This distinctive pink and aromatic grape likes its home in the Russian River Valley area, boasting scents of cinnamon and lychee, and floral notes. A rich texture with an elegant acidity highlights flavors of kumquat, lime zest, and passion fruit on the palate. The 2022 Gewürztraminer is a perfect pairing for spicy Asian cuisine and smoked meats.

APPELLATION: Russian River Valley

BLEND: 100% Gewürztraminer

ALCOHOL: 14.1%

TOTAL ACID: 0.51g/100mL

PH: 3.33

BARREL REGIMEN: Stainless Steel



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