



2006 Liar's Dice Zinfandel

Here at Murphy-Goode, we love making wine. Flat-out love it. We've won plenty of awards and plan to win a whole lot more. That said, we also love football. And family. And laughing 'til we can barely breathe. You see, the same passion we have for wine, we unabashedly bring to everything we do. We live every day as if it were the best day in our lives. And who's to say it isn't? Great wine, great family, great friends. That's what Murphy-Goode is all about. So what do you say, are you in?

Our co-founder Tim Murphy was the architect of our Zinfandel program in a plan conceived over 20 years of breakfasts and "Liar's Dice" games at a restaurant in the heart of Sonoma farming country in Geyserville, California. Tim's circle of friends at these early morning meetings were some of the finest Zinfandel growers in Sonoma County and these vineyards continue today as the backbone for Liar's Dice Zinfandel.

THOUGHTS FROM WINEMAKER DAVID READY, Jr.

"In Liar's Dice Zinfandel, we've created our most passionate wine - one that's so sweet and juicy, it'll leave you wanting more. Our 2006 vintage is a combination of both Dry Creek and Alexander Valley fruit. The Dry Creek grapes are sourced from Walt Dieden's vineyard and contribute black raspberry and currants. Our grapes from the Alexander Valley were sourced from the 80-year-old vines at Ellis Ranch, the 30-year-old dry farmed vines of Elaine Maria and the Trusendi Ranch. The Alexander Valley fruit imparts rich, fruit flavors of black cherry and blackberry jam. Soft tannins perfectly balance the sweetness of the fruit. We blend 4% Carignan to add balance and structure to this well rounded Zinfandel."

OUR FAVORITE FOOD COMBOS

Liar's Dice was made for the backyard barbeque. It sings when paired with lip-smacking baby-back ribs, pulled-pork sandwiches, burgers or anything that combines sweet and spicy flavors. Get grillin' with this one!

TECHNICAL GOODES

Appellation	Sonoma County
Varietals	96% Zinfandel, 4% Carignan
Harvest	September 25 th , 2006 - October 28 th , 2006
TA	6.5 grams/liter
pH	3.65
Aging	12 months in French and American medium toast barrels of which 15% were new
Alcohol	14.5%
Bottling Date	March 2008

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