

Scott Harvey Wines

2005 Forté Amador County Port



WINERY:

Scott Harvey wines include three distinct brands: Scott Harvey Wines from Amador County, Jana Wines (Jana Harvey is Scott's wife) from Napa Valley and Super Hero Wines sourced from all over California. Scott advocated Barbera as the best grape to grow in the Sierra Foothills because Barbera originates in the Foothills of the Alps in Piedmont Italy.

DESCRIPTION:

Starts out with cherry liquorish and cinnamon spice flowing into vanilla and tobacco with a mid palate of English hard candies and fresh straw. Soft tannins flow into a long sweet black plum finish. Perfect companion to nuts and a salty blue cheese

SOURCE:

This wine is grown on steep mountainous terrain in the higher elevations of the Shenandoah Valley of Amador County, California. It is produced in the traditional Late Bottled Vintage Port style from 100% Portuguese varieties. Instead of using European appellation names such as Champagne and Port for wines produced in California. Scott Harvey has come up with the name Forté for their port style wine. 100% Sisney Vineyard, Amador County

BLEND:

60% Touriga Nacional, 13% Tinta Cao, 13% Alvarinho and 13% Sousao.

COOPERAGE:

31 months in French Oak

PRODUCTION:

344 cases 6/500ml

ANALYSIS:

19.0% alcohol by volume; sweet - residual sugar 7.71%; pH 3.45

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