

2010 Barbera Sonoma Mountain



Vineyards: Appellation: Sonoma Mountain Grower: Kunde Family Vineyard: Kunde Vineyards

Harvest:

Date: 10/28/2011 Brix: 25.5 The Wine: 100% Barbera Alcohol: 14.0 pH: 3.6 Total Acidity: 6.95 Maceration Time: 20 days Cooperage: 40% new Gamba Italian oak, 60% seasoned Italian oak Production: 100 Cases

Barbera is the third most widely planted grape in Italy, mostly planted in the Piemonte region. This wine is a delightful display of the characteristics of the Italian grape paired with the Sonoma County terroir. With a deep young purple color, this wine shows aromas of blueberry, blackberry, dried cranberry and toasty oak with hints of cedar, dark chocolate, fresh cut flowers and earth. Medium bodied on the palate, the wine has a strong acidic structure. Fruity on the front of the palate with a dry, slightly tannic finish. Best to lay down for 2-5 years before enjoying.