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Moffett Vineyards 2005 Willow's Blend Red Wine Napa Valley

WINEMAKERS

We have two excellent vineyards that help make up the Willow's Blend Red Wine. The first in a St. Helena vineyard that is planted to 3 acres of Cabernet Sauvignon and 1 acre of Cabernet Franc. The vineyard neighbors an old vineyard we worked with at Livingston Moffett that we named "rockpile" for its extreme soil. This is arguably the rockiest vineyard in the Napa Valley and provides us with concentrated stressed out fruit. The second vineyard is my Syrah vineyard in the Oak Knoll District. This practically dry farmed vineyard gives us (naturally) very low yields with dark as night fruit and wonderful Syrah characteristics.

Big aromas of fruit and earth with nice hints of toasted oak and spice. The palate follows suit with the aromas adding great structure and tannins. This first vintage of the Willow's Blend will age nicely.

PERFECT PAIRINGS

Meats, Mushrooms and Pasta's. I prefer it with anything with Mushrooms.

NOTES WINE PROFILE

Blend: 49% Cabernet 29% Syrah 22% Cabernet Franc

Barrels: About 55% new oak, both French and American

Production: 344 Cases

Vineyards: Rutherford, St. Helena and Oak Knoll

Release Date: September 01, 2007

TECHNICAL STATS

Wine ph: *3.65*

Alcohol: