

WHITEHALL LANE WINERY & VINEYARDS

2013 TRE LEONI NAPA VALLEY RED WINE

THE WINE:

Three generations of the Leonardini Family (Tre Leoni) are responsible for this expertly made proprietary blend of Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Syrah and Zinfandel. Whitehall Lane and the Leonardini's are known for making sophisticated, elegant Cabernets. Tre Leoni, while a serious blend, is fun and distinctly delicious.

THE VINTAGE:

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The 2013 growing year was spectacular with warm spring and summer days making optimum conditions for the uniform ripening of all of the grapes. The Merlot and Syrah grapes were the first to ripen in mid-September followed by the Cabernet Sauvignon and Zinfandel in late September and early October.

WINEMAKING:

Each block of each grape varietal was fermented separately at an average of 86°F. The wine was aged in two-thirds French and one-third American oak barrels for 17 months. The lion's share of the blend is Cabernet Sauvignon with equal, lesser percentages of Merlot, Zinfandel and Syrah.

TASTING NOTES:

This ferociously fun blend is round, rich and delicious. It has enticing aromas of red berry, plum and sweet oak. The flavors of blackberry jam, cherry and hints of black pepper fill the mouth and friendly tannins linger on the finish. Enjoy Tre Leoni with your next carnivorous barbeque or when gathering with family or friends.