

Cellar Reserve Red Blend Limited 2022

Texas





About Llano Estacado

Nestled in the heart of Texas wine country, Llano Estacado Winery is one of the state's pioneering and most celebrated wineries, committed to showcasing the unique terroir and exceptional grape quality of the Texas High Plains. Since our founding in 1976, we have partnered with Texas vineyards to craft wines that reflect both the rich heritage and vibrant spirit of our region. Known for bold reds, crisp whites, and innovative blends, Llano Estacado combines traditional winemaking with a passion for quality and authenticity. Each bottle is an invitation to experience Texas wine at its finest, made by people who understand that wine is more than a drink—it's a story from vine to glass.

The Wine

In the 2022 Cellar Reserve Red Blend from Llano Estacado Winery, one experiences a wine that masterfully combines the richness and complexity of multiple varietals into a seamless expression. This vintage celebrates the art of blending, opening with an inviting bouquet of dark berries and plum, layered with delicate notes of spice, vanilla, and a hint of earthy undertones. On the palate, it reveals a full-bodied structure, with well-integrated tannins that offer a balanced depth and a smooth, lingering finish.

This Red Blend stands as a testament to Llano Estacado's dedication to crafting refined, expressive wines, making it a distinguished choice for those who value a harmonious and elegantly complex wine experience.

Technical Information

VARIETY: 71% Cabernet Sauvignon, 12% Mourvèdre, 10% Cabernet Franc, 4% Merlot, 3% Dolcetto

WINE MAKING: The 2022 Llano Estacado Cellar Reserve Red Blend was crafted to showcase a harmonious balance of rich flavors and complexity. Aged in oak barrels, this blend brings together layers of dark berry, plum, and subtle spice, with hints of vanilla and earthy undertones. The oak aging enhances its structure and depth, resulting in a smooth, full-bodied wine with well-integrated tannins and a lingering finish that captures the essence of a refined red blend.

SERVING SUGGESTIONS: The 2022 Llano Estacado Cellar Reserve Red Blend is best served at a temperature of $60-65^{\circ}F$ ($15-18^{\circ}C$) to bring out its rich and layered flavors. This versatile blend pairs beautifully with roasted meats, grilled vegetables, hearty pasta dishes, and aged cheeses. Its balanced structure and lingering finish also make it an excellent choice for savoring on its own, allowing each layer of flavor to shine.

AGING: Six months in used and new French oak barrels.

ALC. BY VOL.: 14.2%

Winemaker: Jason Centanni

