

13320 Oakstream Road Vineyard

Wine Award Summary

** Please note it takes approximately 3 years to create wine before it can be entered into competition*

2013 Harvest

Best of Class, 2016 SF Chronicle, (\$24 Lani's Vineyard Rhone Blend, 50% Lani's Vineyard Syrah, 50% Lani's Vineyard Petit Sirah)

2012 Harvest

Best of Class, 2015 SF Chronicle, (\$24 Duality, 50% Lani's Vineyard Syrah, 50% Lodi Petit Sirah; our Petit in limited initial production that year.)

Four Star Gold, 2014 Orange County Fair, M2 Wines, (\$26 Sierra Foothills Trio, other Cab, 32% Lani's Vineyard Syrah, 4% Lani's Vineyard Petit Sirah)

Gold, 2014 Orange County Fair, M2 Wines, (\$24 "Duality", 50% Lani's Vineyard Syrah, 50% Lodi Petit Sirah; our Petit not available that year)

Silver, 2012 S F Chronicle, \$30 to \$39.99 Syrah category (\$35 Lani's Vineyard), St Jorge Winery

Silver, 2012 S F Chronicle, \$40+ Syrah category (\$40 Lani's Vineyard), M2 Winery

Silver, 2014 Orange County Fair, M2 proprietary red, 50% Lani's Vineyard Syrah

2011 Harvest

Gold, 2012 Amador County Fair Amateur Division, Home Wine by Jim Chapman and Steve Honeychurch, French clone

2010 Harvest

Double Gold, Best of Class, 2013 San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition, \$30 to \$40 Syrah class, M2 Wines

Gold, Best of Class, one vote for Best of Show, 2012 Amador County Fair Amateur Division, Home Wine by Lee Richardson

2009 Harvest

Gold, Best of Class, 2010 Amador County Fair Amateur Division, Home Wine by Jim Chapman and Steve Honeychurch

2008 Harvest

Gold, 94 points, 2011 California State Fair, M2 Wines

Gold, (This was a blend of about half my Syrah, nearly half Cab, and a little Petit Sirah), San Francisco Chronicle competition, M2 wines, "Trio"

Gold, 2012 El Dorado County Fair, Deaver

Gold, Syrah Port (NV), 2012 Orange County Fair Commercial Wine Competition, Deaver

Silver, 2012 San Francisco Chronicle Competition, M2 wines

Silver, 2012 Orange County Competition, M2 wines, Shiraz and Noir clones

Bronze, 2011 San Francisco Chronicle Competition, M2 Wines

2007 Harvest

Double Gold, Best of Class, 2010 El Dorado County Fair, Deaver

Silver, Los Angeles International Wine and Spirits Awards, M2 Wines

Silver, 2011 San Francisco Chronicle Competition, Deaver

2006 Harvest

Double Gold, 2009 San Francisco International Wine Exhibit, Robert Traverso

Silver, 2009 Amador County Fair, Deaver

Silver, 2010 California State Fair, Scott Harvey

2005 Harvest

Double Gold, Calaveras County, Deaver

Gold, 2008 San Francisco International Wine Exhibit, Deaver

Best-of-Appellation, Gold Medal, AppellationAmerica, Deaver

Silver, 2008 El Dorado County Fair, Deaver

Silver, 2008 Los Angeles International Wine & Spirits Awards, Deaver

2004

Five Gold Medals, Blended with other, Scott Harvey

2003

Gold, 2007 Los Angeles International Wine & Spirits Awards, Robert Traverso

Gold, 2007 National Women's Wine Competition, Robert Traverso

Class:		Entry #:		Vintage-Varietal:		Panel - 2 Judge - 6	
74		Seq. 74 - 01		2013 - Syrah		Doug Bellamy	
APPEARANCE – Maximum 4 Points						Points (Circle One)	Comments
Excellent	Brilliant with outstanding characteristic color.				4		
Good	Clear with characteristic color.				3		
Acceptable	Slight distortion of clarity or color.				2		
Needs Improvement	Hazy or mildly off color.				1		
Objectionable	Cloudy and/or off color.				0		
AROMA / BOUQUET – Maximum 5 Points						Points (Circle One)	Comments
EXCEPTIONAL	Distinct fruit aroma, clean, complex bouquet and perceived fragrance.				5	Typical Syrah nose Hint of spice DK Fruits Very nice	
Very Good	Typical characteristic aroma for grape or wine type with notable balance fragrance and aroma.				4		
Good	Pleasant grape aroma with balance of fragrance				3		
Acceptable	Hint of grape aroma, slightly out of balance fragrance with minor flaws.				2		
Needs Improvement	Problems with odors, aroma or balance.				1		
Objectionable	Objectionable aromas or odors.				0		
TASTE – Maximum 5 Points						Points (Circle One)	Comments
EXCEPTIONAL	Great flavor of the grape or wine type with smoothness, body and balance of acid and tannin.				5	Delicious Nicely balanced Great spice balance w/ dk fruit Nice hint of coconut	
Very Good	Strong representative flavor of wine type or grape with notable smoothness balance and body.				4		
Good	Pleasant flavor of grape or wine type with minor variation in flavors and body.				3		
Acceptable	Acceptable - Hints of flavor with minor flaws in balance, body and smoothness.				2		
Needs Improvement	Disagreeable favors and balance.				1		
Objectionable	Offensive flavors.				0		
AFTERTASTE / FINISH – Maximum 4 Points						Points (Circle One)	Comments
Excellent	Distinctive long lingering finish with memorable flavors.				4		
Good	Pleasant aftertaste that remains on the tongue.				3		
Acceptable	Minimal flavor retention on the palate.				2		
Needs Improvement	Little or no aftertaste.				1		
Objectionable	Unpleasant aftertaste.				0		
OVERALL IMPRESSION – Maximum 2 Points						Points (Circle One)	Comments
Favorable					2	Outstanding wine!	
Acceptable					1		
Needs improvement					0		
Total Points:					20		

For Guidance Purposes Only: 20-16 Gold, 15-12 Silver, 11-8 Bronze, 7 Honorable Mention, <7 No Medal

Class: 74	Entry #: Seq. 74 - 01	Vintage-Varietal: 2013 - Syrah <i>CHAPMAN</i>	Panel - 2 Judge - 4 Bill Knox
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APPEARANCE – Maximum 4 Points		Points (Circle One)	Comments
Excellent	Brilliant with outstanding characteristic color.	4	
Good	Clear with characteristic color.	3	
Acceptable	Slight distortion of clarity or color.	2	
Needs Improvement	Hazy or mildly off color.	1	
Objectionable	Cloudy and/or off color.	0	

AROMA / BOUQUET – Maximum 5 Points		Points (Circle One)	Comments
EXCEPTIONAL	Distinct fruit aroma, clean, complex bouquet and perceived fragrance.	5	<i>EXCEPTIONAL entry, very enticing</i>
Very Good	Typical characteristic aroma for grape or wine type with notable balance fragrance and aroma.	4	
Good	Pleasant grape aroma with balance of fragrance	3	
Acceptable	Hint of grape aroma, slightly out of balance fragrance with minor flaws.	2	
Needs Improvement	Problems with odors, aroma or balance.	1	
Objectionable	Objectionable aromas or odors.	0	

TASTE – Maximum 5 Points		Points (Circle One)	Comments
EXCEPTIONAL	Great flavor of the grape or wine type with smoothness, body and balance of acid and tannin.	5	<i>wow, balance power, well developed</i>
Very Good	Strong representative flavor of wine type or grape with notable smoothness balance and body.	4	
Good	Pleasant flavor of grape or wine type with minor variation in flavors and body.	3	
Acceptable	Acceptable - Hints of flavor with minor flaws in balance, body and smoothness.	2	
Needs Improvement	Disagreeable favors and balance.	1	
Objectionable	Offensive flavors.	0	

AFTERTASTE / FINISH – Maximum 4 Points		Points (Circle One)	Comments
Excellent	Distinctive long lingering finish with memorable flavors.	4	<i>powerful descriptive to the end</i>
Good	Pleasant aftertaste that remains on the tongue.	3	
Acceptable	Minimal flavor retention on the palate.	2	
Needs Improvement	Little or no aftertaste.	1	
Objectionable	Unpleasant aftertaste.	0	

OVERALL IMPRESSION – Maximum 2 Points		Points (Circle One)	Comments
Favorable		2	<i>wow!</i>
Acceptable		1	
Needs improvement		0	

Total Points:		<i>20</i>	
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