



Vintner's Pride Encore
Vintage: 2005
North Fork of Long Island

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Case Production: 457
Aging: 20 months, French oak
Fermentation: partial barrel
Alcohol: 13.9%
TA: .065/100ml
pH: 3.52
Unfiltered
Blend: 42%merlot
38% cabernet sauvignon
15% cabernet franc
3% petit verdot
Vintage Rating:Excellent

Winemaker's Notes:

Notes of red currant and black cherry fruit with hints of cranberry define the palate. Subtle earthy nuances are coming through on this well structured wine. The soft tannins are quite harmonious and intermingled with the vanilla oak in the background.

Cellar Age: 6-8 years

Food Pairings: Roasts, prime cuts of beef, lamb & bold cheese

