BENT OAK

WINERY







TEXAS HIGH PLAINS 2018

The Wine:

Trebbiano is one of the most widely grown white grapes in the world. It is extensively used for blending as it produces a balanced white wine. We source our fruit from Bingham Family Vineyards in Meadow, Texas. Our Trebbiano has a balanced green grape and earthy nose and is light on the palate with hints of green apple and Bosc pear.

AVA:

The Texas High Plains is the second largest AVA in Texas, comprising roughly 8 million acres in west Texas, mostly south of the panhandle region. The eastern border of the Texas High Plains AVA follows the 3000 ft. elevation contour line along the Caprock Escarpment, the steep transitional zone separating the High Plains from the lower plains to the east. The elevation within the Texas High Plains gradually increases from 3,000 ft. to 4,100 ft. in the northwest portion of the AVA. This positioning provides an environment of long, hot dry summer days, which allow the grapes to mature and ripen to proper sugar levels, and cool evenings and nights, which help set the grape's acidity levels. Grapes and wine have been produced in this region since the mid-1970s and vineyards here have become the major grape supplier to wineries throughout the state. There are over 75 Wine Grape Varietals planted in the High Plains AVA, including Cabernet Sauvignon, Chenin Blanc, Gewurztraminer, Grenache, Merlot, Malbec, Dolcetto, Mourvèdre, Sangiovese, Tempranillo, and Viognier.

Wine Makers Notes:

Trebbiano picks up oak quickly so we use mostly neutral French oak when aging this wine after fermenting in stainless steel. Trebbiano is a fun grape to work as it can be paired readily with other varietals but is very pleasant on its own.

Recommended Food Pairings:

Trebbiano pairs with light salads, shellfish, light fish, chicken, light cheeses and tapas.

Technical Data

pH - 3.62 TA - 0.61/100mL SO2 - 50 mg/L A/V - 14.7%

Production:

221 cases

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