TSINANDALI WHITE, KAKHETI 2013

"Tsinandali" PDO Micro-Zone

L.t.d."Koncho&Co", Kakheti, Georgia

eCommerce # 292804 | 13.0 % alc./vol. | $13.30

Appellation controlled white dry wine, produced from specially selected Rkatsiteli and Mtsvane grapes grown in Tsinandali PDO Micro-Zone of Kakheti region. The wine has a straw colour, with a characteristic, well developed and expressed aroma with clear notes of ripe apples and peaches, pleasant and lively acidity, full-bodied, silky with a well-rounded flavour and a long, slightly mineral finish.

Terroir:

Vineyards are located in Eastern Georgia, Internal Kakheti, where viticultural history starts 7-8 thousand years ago, Kvareli administrative district in the South Caucasus. Vineyards are mainly located at 400-500 m altitude near the river. Carbonate alluvial soils are rich in the river brought black/blue slate. Climate is moderate warm with plenty of precipitation.

Vinification:

The entire bunch is pressed as tenderly as possible, after which the free-run (Tvitnadeni) fraction of the must is selected to produce Tsinandali, which is less than 45% of the total must. After treating and cleaning the must, the alcoholic fermentation takes place, which occurs at 17-19°C, under the strict control. The wine is refined until bottling in August of the following year.

Variety: Rkatsiteli 50%, Mtsvane 50%

Residual Sugar: 3 g/L

Serving suggestion and food pairing: Serve at 12°C. It is recommended as a perfect aperitif. The wine is perfectly suited to accompany the meat of lamb, chicken in the oven, vegetable dishes and soft cheese.

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