



ERIC ROSS

2009
struttin' red
Lodi

Varietal: 91% Tempranillo, Lodi
9% Garnacha, Lodi

Acidity: 0.59 g/100ml
pH: 3.95

Residual Sugar: Dry
Alcohol: 14.4 %

Vineyard & Flavor

Harvest: September, 2009

Struttin' Red, winemaker's blend with no rules but to craft a full bodied and full palate red wine pleasing the senses. A very friendly easy going Lodi Tempranillo fruit, smokey lush red wine full of Spanish character rounded out with a 9% addition of Garnacha, adding background notes of rich over ripe strawberries and fig aromas while adding softer tannins.

Winemaking

Bottled: May 12, 2010
Cases: 300

With Eric's commitment to being true to the vineyard he makes the Struttin Red & Struttin White as expression of his palate not the vineyard, a winemaker's blend. Traditional wine making in small vats with twice-daily punch downs throughout the 10-14 day fermentation followed by complete malo-lactic secondary fermentation. The structure of the final blend creates a full palate expression with a very small percentage of new oak complimenting the fruit, not overpowering it.

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