

Non-Vintage Rabbit Ridge Allure de Robles

Scoring Methodology (Uses the NVC 25-Point Wine Evaluation Scale): {25/Perfect} ~ {24-23/Excellent} ~ {22-21/Very High Quality} ~ {20-19/Very Good} ~ {18-16/Good} ~ {15-9/Ordinary} ~ {8-6 Below Average} ~

Wine Blogosphere 5 Star Rating System w/ the 25 point NVC System: {Five Stars/25 - 23 pts.} ~ {Four Stars/22 - 19 pts} ~ {3 Stars/18 - 16 pts} ~ {2 Stars/15 - 9 pts} ~ {Under 9 Pts/1 Star}

Appearance (3 Pts. Total)

CLARITY
Cloudy - Clear - Brilliant

Clear

COLOR
Hue

Deep ruby

COLOR
Depth

Inky Ruby fades to brick red at edges

Total 3

Aroma/Bouquet (7 Pts. Total)

NOSE

Ripe black cherries, blackberry, hints of plum and spice

AROMA INTENSITY

Medium

OFF NOTES

N/A

Total 5

Taste/Texture (15 Pts. Total)

FIRST IMPRESSION

Black cherry and dark berries with a nice earthiness and spice

MID-PALATE

Black cherry with some peppery spiciness

FINISH

Lingering finish w/ clove and earth

TASTE INTENSITY

Medium-High

Total 11

Final Score 19

General Notes

in my mind, very few producers do quality at price points like Rabbit Ridge. This is a very high-quality wine for the money--\$10.99 at the tasting room and much less at Trader Joe's. This non-vintage blend wine comprised of Petite Sirah, Syrah, Grenache, and Mourvedre offers quality expression and enjoyable, well-balanced fruit at a price that pleases

Wine Blogosphere Five Star Rating



Wine Style (Food or Social)

Food

Food Pairing

Pork Loin w/ Cherry Compote

Drinkable for how long?

2013

Price

\$10.99

Value Assessment

Price Performer ~ Fair ~ Overpriced

Who Would This Wine Interest? (WWTWI)

Terroirista ~ Enthusiast ~
~ Lifestyler ~ Adventurer/Fashionista ~
~ Social Sipper ~ Aisle Daze ~

Enthusiast

Taster: SGG

Date: 11-11-07



Enthusiast