

BOOKER



FALL RELEASE

2012

2013 WHITE \$50

70% *Roussanne*, 24% *Viognier*, & 6% *Marsanne*

The 2013 White is very similar to the 2012 vintage, with bright fruit and acidity as opposed to being so golden in color and weird (the way I like it!). I believe it to be our best White since the '08 vintage.

2012 OUBLIÉ 24 \$65

44% *Mourvèdre*, 36% *Grenache*, 20% *Counoise*

Twenty-four month Oublie was aged entirely in neutral 500L puncheons and has 20% whole cluster. With gentle red fruits and stunning aromatics of violet and mint, this wine continues to evolve more and more into a true Chateaufeuf du Pape.

2012 FRACTURE 24 \$70

100% *Syrah*

Always one of our most coveted wines, Fracture hails from south facing blocks of Syrah and is predominantly aged in 228L barriques and 300L hogshead barrels. This bold beauty had the most to gain with extra time in oak, showing rich notes of dark chocolate and deep boysenberry fruit. The finish seems to go on forever!

2012 REMNANT 24 \$65

35% *Tempranillo*, 25% *Petit Verdot*, 23% *Syrah*,
17% *Cabernet Sauvignon*

This wild blend melds together in seamless perfection. Aged in 65% neutral French Oak for two years, the extended version flaunts dark purple fruits and licorice that make me 'reminisce' the old Alchemist days...

2012 VERTIGO 24 \$65

57% *Syrah*, 32% *Mourvèdre*, & 11% *Grenache*

With roughly 40% whole cluster, the extended version shows impeccable structure with hints of spice that should make it a perfect pair for upcoming holiday dinners. This wine was aged in once-used 300L hogshead barrels and has a lot of structure and tannin. This is surely a wine that will benefit from an extra six months of aging.

2012 RLF \$45

71% *Grenache* & 29% *Syrah*

Also returning is RLF, a tribute to my beloved father-in-law who was extremely influential in my wine life. Like the '11, this wine is a finessed, every-day drinker. A lot of you were hesitant last time...but we have never received so many re-orders for any one wine since the '05 Ripper.

2012 SWEET \$80

100% *Petit Manseng*

Our young Petit Manseng vines were picked on the hillside facing our tasting room on the very last day of harvest in 2012. Made in the style of a Sauterne, this wine spent two years in barrel and shows gorgeous tropical fruits with a dense mid-palate. You will impress guests by bringing this gorgeous sweetie out after your holiday meals, or simply crack by the fireplace and see where it takes you!

Allocation Only

2012 RIPPER 24 \$70

100% *Grenache*

This Grenache beauty rips around your palate with bright fruit and it's usual elegance. Aged in neutral 500L puncheons for twenty-four months, the extended version shows off with more of a full-bodied richness and a bouquet of dried rose petals on the nose.

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THESE WINES WERE BOTTLED AUGUST 2014.
WE ADVISE TO WAIT UNTIL DECEMBER BEFORE CONSUMING.

*Thank you for your interest in Booker wines. Should you have any questions, concerns or comments, please don't hesitate to contact us.
We'd love to hear from you!*