

2009

KarmaZin™

Bastoni Vineyard, Sonoma County

The name KarmaZin™ was bestowed in gratitude for the many gifts of good Karma received in life, whatever the source. When positive energy is put forth in hard work mixed with integrity, the giver is rewarded with success, the fulfillment of a dream.

Winemaker's Tasting Notes: Very complexly layered spice and black fruits, lively! Dark chocolate,

Creamy oak, a bit of vanilla cola, brown spices-nutmeg/cinnamon. Rich in mouth, good structure for aging, a bit chewy in its youth.

Harvest Date: October 25-26, 2009 Average Brix at Harvest: 26.2°Brix (soaked)

Average TA/pH at Harvest: 0.59 gm/100ml pH 3.8

Fermentation Characteristics: Déléstaged twice before 10°Brix

Total of 11 days on skins, including 4 days cold soak pre-fermentation

Cellar Storage/Aging: 36 months in oak barrels--

30% new American, 10% new French.

60% older French and American

Alcohol: 14.6%

Total Acidity: 0.57 gm/100ml

pH: 3.60 pH

Varietal: 86% Zinfandel blended with

10% Alicante Bouschet, 4% Petite Sirah

Appellation: 100% Bastoni Vineyard, Riebli Rd,

Sonoma County

Case production: 469 cases

Bottling Date: December 20, 2012 Release Date: February 2, 2013

