

PHIPPS FAMILY CELLARS

2010 STATUS QUO

COMPOSITION & APPELLATION

51% MERLOT, HELLER MOUNTAIN VINEYARD, SONOMA MOUNTAIN
33% ZINFANDEL, TREBORCE VINEYARD, DRY CREEK VALLEY
13% SYRAH, BENNETT VALLEY, SONOMA MOUNTAIN
3% PETITE SIRAH, TREBORCE VINEYARD, DRY CREEK VALLEY

OAK AGING

30 MONTHS – 60% NEW & 40% EXPERIENCED OAK
70% French Oak
25% American Oak
5% Hungarian Oak

WINEMAKER NOTES

The Phipps Family Cellars 2010 STATUS QUO offers both style and structure, with lively aromas of black raspberry, cracked pepper and mocha, with plush and layered flavors of wild berry, blueberry, dark cherry, graham cracker, exotic Asian five spice, fresh sage, and cardamom. Ripe yet well-integrated tannins come in on the finish.

Zinfandels from Phipps Family Cellars have become something of a cult favorite among fans of this Cab-Lover's Zinfandel. Many people can't get enough - it always sells out - and, most importantly, the juice in the bottle is fantastic year in and year out.

Lush and ripe, this is a decadent wine with excellent structure and great complexity. The 2010 STATUS QUO blend consists of 51% Merlot, 33% Zinfandel, 13% Syrah, and 3% Petite Sirah. *Drink now through 2022*

CASE PRODUCTION

275 Cases – 750ml

ALCOHOL

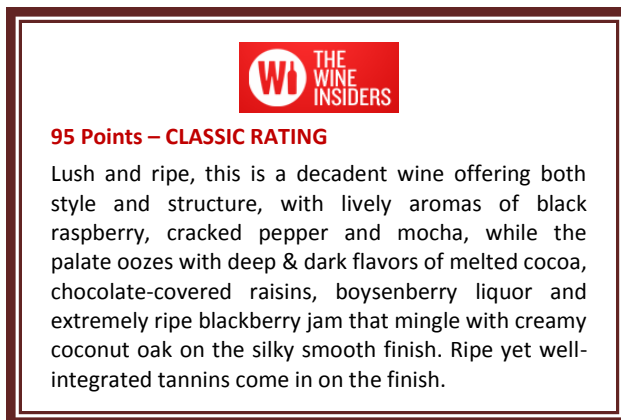
14.9% by Volume

PROPRIETORS

Jennifer & Andy Phipps

PRICING

\$50.00 per bottle



ABOUT PHIPPS FAMILY CELLARS

Phipps Family Cellars is a boutique winery located in the Napa Valley. We produce small lots of ultra-premium wines from the finest vineyards in the Napa & Sonoma Valleys. We were founded in 2004 by Jennifer and Andy Phipps with the simple belief that through high-quality and consistency in our wines, we will develop a cult status amongst those individuals who have tried our wines first-hand. Visit us on the web at www.pfcwine.com.

