

Michael Pozzan 2012~Merlot

Technical Analysis:

Varietal

Appellation Alcohol Aging Merlot (95%) Cabernet Sauvignon (5%) Napa Valley 13.5% 12 Months in French and American Oak

Tasting Notes:

This Napa Valley wine boasts fresh and polished fruit with dark raspberry aromas on the nose. And while it has a nice firm tannic structure that's not overbearing for a Merlot, the earthy notes add depth to the cherry and herb flavors. It is medium weight in style and has a lingering finish that is easy drink by itself or with food.

This wine pairs well with barbecued ribs, grilled rosemary chicken and garlic roast potatoes.

Drink now through 2018.