



DE MARTINO
REINVENTING CHILE



Choapa Valley, CHILE.

ESTATE SYRAH 2011

Our De Martino Estate range aims to preserve the Premium quality of our vineyards in Isla de Maipo by creating unique wines with great character. All of the wines that make up this range manage to enhance the distinctiveness of each grape variety and are characterized by being young, with strong fruity notes where the grape becomes the protagonist, delivering pleasant, well balanced wines that are easily paired with food.



ORIGIN

Choapa Valley, located in the north of Chile.



GRAPE VARIETIES

100% Syrah



HARVEST

The grapes were harvested in March 25th.



AGEING

100% in stainless steel tanks.



SOIL

Coluvial soil.



CLIMATE

The Choapa Valley, located in the North of Chile, has a dry climate with an average annual rainfall of less than 200mm. The vineyard is located in the Andes Mountain Range, 825m above sea level. 2011 was a normal year for spring bud break, with lower than average rainfall for the area and lower than average summer temperatures. It was a very good year for producing fresh fruit, with good acidity, thus making for a very good dinner wine.



WINEMAKER'S NOTES

It is a fruity and expressive wine that has a brilliant ruby red color. Notes of red fruits such as raspberries and cherries, giving the wine a young style, great structure and complexity. Great aromatic intensity. This is a Merlot with good balance of tannins, acidity, oak and red fruits.

Alcohol: 13.5%

Cellaring Recommendations: Drink now or within the next three years.

Serving Temperature: 16 – 18°C

Serving Suggestions: Ideal for accompanying pasta.

Decantation: Not necessary.



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