

Carol Shelton

2019

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 10 th (PetSirah), 15 th (Zin) and 23 rd (AB), 2019
Average Brix at Harvest:	28°Brix
Average TA/pH at Harvest:	0.60 gm/100ml pH 3.85
Fermentation Characteristics:	5-day cold soak, then fermented in 1-ton bins and punched down twice daily, 16 days total on skins
Cellar Storage/Aging:	18 months in oak barrels-- 30% new Hungarian 20% new French 10% new American 40% 2-year-old French
Alcohol:	14.66%
Total Acidity:	0.61 gm/100ml
pH:	3.43 pH
Varietal Composition :	85% Zinfandel 12% Alicante Bouschet, 3% Petite Sirah
Appellation :	95% Bastoni Vineyard, Riebli Rd, Fountaingrove District, Sonoma County
Case production:	390 cases, plus 10 cs of 1.5L
Bottling Date:	July 16, 2021
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