

2014 First Drop Half & Half Barossa Monastrell

Price: \$TBD + refundable bottle deposit and handling fee

Varietal: Shiraz/Syrah, Monastrell

Brand: First Drop

LCBO Product #: 399211

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Region: Barossa, Australia

Category: Regular Consignment

Bottles Per Case: 6 **Bottle Size:** 750ml

Availability

Availability in consignment

Background

First Drop was born in 2004. Conceived by two friends, Matt 'Gantos' Gant and John 'JR' Retsas, with a desire to make wines to drink, not just appreciate. Mother's Milk! Based at the 'Home of the Brave' in the Barossa, First Drop is making wines with flavour, texture and a splash of funk; from fruit sourced from unique vineyards in the Adelaide Hills, McLaren Vale and Barossa to bring you a diverse, deliciously exciting and thought provoking line up of flavours. Seriously fun! A wide, textured palate of grainy tannins support cherry, earthy, savoury flavours and an explosion of spice - sumac, clove, Asian 5 spice, Szechuan pepper.

Tasting Notes

Full flavoured, with texture and a splash of funk. A wine to drink, not just appreciate. Bottoms up! First Drop is about life, flavour and fun. A story of two friends with Old World roots in a New World of opportunity. The booze is crafted with a flair for creativity; a twist of innovation and a sensitivity for tradition. This approach is embodied in this wine, a 50:50 blend of Old and New – it's full flavoured, with texture and a splash of funk. A wine to drink, not just appreciate. Garnet red with purple hues. A complex nose of cherry, violet, earth and spice aromas and hints of chocolate.

