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2013 love red california

*(part deux)*

VINEYARD NOTES: This is a second bottling of our 2013 Love Red. For this bottling we used 60-70 year old vines from Frei Vineyard in Green Valley Solano County, instead of our previous version from Love Ranch. Green Valley is small pocket of land, about 3 miles long and a mile wide, tucked between Napa and Suisun Valley. It's unique in that it still contains many of it's old vine Carignan and Valdiguié vineyards. All dry farmed and non-certified organic.

WINEMAKER'S NOTES: The grapes were harvested during the 3<sup>rd</sup> week of September to help preserve the wines natural acidity. Fermented in stainless steel open-top fermenters with no SO<sub>2</sub>, then racked down to 20 year-old 600L German casks for 10 months. Malo-lactic fermentation was allowed to happen naturally.

WINERY: Broc Cellars wines are all done by spontaneous fermentation, meaning no inoculated yeast or bacteria. We do not add any powdered tannins/enzymes to our wines. A minimal dose of SO<sub>2</sub> is added 4 weeks before bottling. The 2013 Love Red is unfinned and lightly filtered.

BLEND: 83% Carignan/14% Valdiguié/3% Petite Sirah

ALC: 13% alcohol

TOTAL PRODUCTION: 829 cases