

2011 Dueling Pistols

On July 11, 1804 off the Hudson shore at Weehawken, the original Federalist, Alexander Hamilton was shot in a duel by Aaron Burr and died from his injuries. Since dueling is no longer socially acceptable, we suggest solving problems over a glass of this “dual” of Zinfandel and Syrah. This wine exhibits bright cherry jam aromas, with big fruit flavors enhanced by hints of spice and lively acidity.

- Appellation:** Dry Creek Valley
- Varietals:** 50% Zinfandel & 50% Syrah
- Color:** Dark Purple
- Aroma:** Dark fruits of blackberry and black cherry with black pepper and spice
- Taste:** Good entrance with a rich mouth feel and supple tannins
- Fermentation:** Each varietal is blended together using only the free run portion. The individual lots spend an average of 15 days on the skins. Upon completing primary fermentation, the wine undergoes malolactic fermentation.
- Aging:** The separate blocks of zinfandel and syrah are blended post malolactic fermentation and are aged for 15 months in 20% new oak barrels.

Features

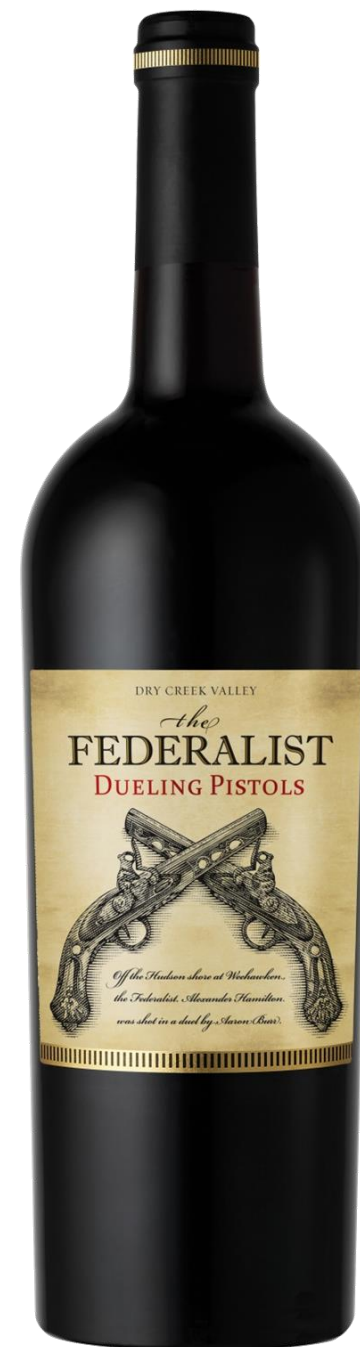
- Unique blend of zinfandel and syrah within popular red blend category.
- Intriguing story, but still backed by the quality of the Dry Creek Valley.
- \$3 donation made to VFW Foundation for every case sold.

Benefits

- Eye-catching, memorable packaging for consumers.
- Natural choice to feature for major U.S. holidays.
- Opportunity for consumers to support cause with every bottle sold.

Competitive Set

- The Prisoner
- Ridge Lytton



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