

Boutari

Kretikos Red

VINEYARD & HISTORY

Vineyard: Skalani, Crete - 16.3 acres

Founded in 1879, Boutari has pioneered Greek wine from early exports to launching the country's first wine tourism experience. Today, with wineries in Crete and Santorini, it continues to honor its legacy while shaping the future of winemaking.

VINIFICATION

The grapes are picked by hand and then cooled. Grapes are handpicked then cooled down. Fermentation takes place with selected yeast strain maximum at 18C. Pressings are kept separately altogether. Maceration takes place for 1 week with simultaneous onset of alcoholic fermentation. Alcoholic fermentation takes place with selected yeast strains at a temperature of 25C maximum.

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

Classification: Red, dry wine

Vintage: 2023

Varietal: Kotsifali, Mantilaria

Origin: Crete, Greece

Alcohol: 12%

Acidity: Medium

Body: Medium

Nose: Medium

Tannins: Medium

Pairing Suggestions: Pasta, Red meat & Semi-hard cheese

Wine aromas: Red fruits & Strawberry

Wholesale Cost: \$5.67

Suggested Retail: \$11.99

TASTING NOTES

Vibrant red color, pleasant aroma of sweet red fruit, like cherry and strawberry. Mild taste with soft tannins, good acidity, very good balance and aromatic finish.

