



rindo 2012

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*The flagship wine of Kenzo Estate.
Named for the Japanese Gentian or Bell Flower.*

The 2012 Rindo is a looking glass, reflecting back upon its drinkers the narrative of what was a glorious vintage. Comprised principally of Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Cabernet Franc and Petite Verdot, the warm and dry growing season produced pungent aromas of dried apricot, fig, earth, leather and cocoa. On the palate, a mouth coating and rich tannin architecture is accentuated by a luminous acid component. This graceful red Bordeaux blend is already drinkable but age worthy for the foreseeable future.

Color	Brick red into dark purple
Bouquet	Dark currant, fig, leather and cocoa
Palate	Well integrated tannins with plenty of depth of character with a beautiful mid palate feel
Origin	Napa Valley
Vintner	Kenzo Tsujimoto
Winemaker	Heidi Barrett
Viticulturist	David Abreu
Cepage	Cabernet Sauvignon (53%), Cabernet Franc (15.8%), Merlot (17.5%), Petite Verdot (13.7%)
Volume	1.5ml, 750ml, 375ml
Alcohol	14.8%
Barrel Aging	20 months in 60% new French oak, 40% neutral French oak

