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Dr. Konstantin Frank Pinot Blanc 2016

New York's most award-winning winery since 1962

Winery Background

Dr. Konstantin Frank ignited the "Vinifera Revolution", a movement that forever changed the course of wine growing in the Finger Lakes and the United States. Dr. Frank's vision, knowledge and determination are credited with elevating the New York wine industry from a state of happy mediocrity to a level that today commands world attention. Located on Keuka lake in the Finger Lakes region, Dr. Konstantin Frank Wines features some of the oldest vinifera vines in the United States and continues to produce wines of distinction and quality.

Vinification

Partially barrel fermented in four year old French oak to give the wine a subtle oak influence without overpowering the delicate fruit characters with oak flavors. It was left in contact with the lees for 9 months after fermentation to add further complexity.

The Wine

A crisp, clean, dry wine, with a creamy finish.. A style that shouldn't be served too cold to allow the delicate characters to come out of the glass.

Style:	Dry with soft mouth feel.
Body:	Medium bodied
Vintage Influence:	Cooler vintage highlighting the crisp mineral palate.
Maturation:	6 months in French oak
Cellaring:	Drink now or cellar until 2018
Food Pairing:	Sole, tilapia, chicken with a light cream sauce
Analysis:	Alcohol:12%, Acidity: 0.65g/L, pH: 3.17 , Sugar: 0.21%

