



# VINOTERRA - 93 Points-Top 100 Wineries of 2015 Wine & Spirits **Mtsvane** (mah-sa-vah-nay)

# REGION: Georgia / Kakheti

Schuchmann/Vinoterra is a partnership between a German investor Burkhard Schuchmann and 4th generation Georgian winemaker Gogi Dakishvili. Dakishvili started the Vinoterra brand back in 2003 to help preserve traditional Georgian Qvevri. Schuchmmann fell in love with the wines in 2008 and brought investment to grow the brand and winery. All Vinoterra wines are all natural wines made in Qvevri (large clay jars buried underground). The Mtsvane is made in the amber wine style where it is aged on the skins for 6 months developing the tannin structure of a red.

## **TASTING NOTES**

A mouthful of spicy golden fruit followed by minerals, saline, herbal notes such as wild capers and salted linden flowers. The wine is compellingly vivid, with a structure and complexity that's universally appreciable.

#### **FOOD PAIRING**

Kakhetian style Mtsvane is made for food. This wine is perfect with traditional Khachapuri (Georgian cheese bread) and grilled pork.

### POINTS OF DISTINCTION

- Golden Fruit, Herb Garden Spices and Tannin Like a Red
- Highest Rated Georgian Wine and Top 100 Wineries
- Natural Qvevri Wine

"Georgia has been making wine for 8,000 years from over 500 native varietals. We strive to communicate the distinct Kakhetian style of qvevri wines while at the same time having broad appeal to markets that are unfamiliar with this wine style." - Gogi Dakishvili



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