



The Giunta Series, arose after the opportunity to purchase Malbec from the Bridge Pa Triangle and to do something interesting with it. These wines are styled to be young and fresh, typically sold straight to restaurants. The name is special to Daniel's heritage, it is the family name of his Sicilian Great Grandparents, and translates to a "good addition to the family" .



**WINERY:** Giunta by Daniel Brennan

**WINE NAME:** Giunta Malbec Nouveau

**VINTAGE:** 2020

**GRAPE:** Malbec

**ALC VOL:** 13%

**REGION:** HAWKES BAY

**SUB REGION:** Bridge Pa Triangle

**VINEYARD:** Multiple sites

**SOIL TYPE:** Red Metal over free-draining ancient river bed

**VINE AGE:** 14-20 YRS

**IRRIGATION:** PERIODIC

**TRELLIS:** SINGLE VSP

**ALTITUDE:** 50-55 METERS

**ASPECT:** NORTH-NORTHEAST, NORTH

**CLONE:** Mix of 505, Dr. Rod and 1056

**FERMENTATION:** Wild

**TIME ON SKINS:** 4 & 5 weeks

**FINISHING:** CROSSFLOW FILTRATION

**VESSEL:** STAINLESS STEEL

#### **Winemaker Notes:**

For this lighter style, the Malbec color is quite a dark purple. The nose is grainy, brambly with hints of violets and tamarillo growing into notes of blackberry and blueberry pie. Some hints of allspice and confection notes also persist. The palate has a lightly spicy attack with a juicy, supple acidity that drives the mid-palate. The wine finishes short and fresh bringing you back for more. Drink now or over the next 3 years.

#### **Publication Highlights:**

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