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(Note "Proof" here is Alcohol Percentage by Volume x 2)

The Angel's Share: White Rums



Mt. Gay Tricentennial Selection - Barbados

Mount Gay Tricentennial Selection (86-Proof, 30 Years). Few and far between are the opportunities in life to celebrate a 300th anniversary. To immortalize their three centuries in business, Barbados' Mount Gay Distillery has released a blend of the finest rums they have produced, each hand selected by their Master Blender. The nose is deep, rich and elegant with a balance be-

tween fruitiness, oakiness and spice. The taste of this full-bodied rum is markedly oaky at first, it then unfolds nutmeg and cinnamon elements and finally ends with a slightly dry, bitter finish. History lovers and rum aficionados as well should definitely try to add this rum to their collections. An excellent rum by the distillery with the longest rum-making tradition in the world.

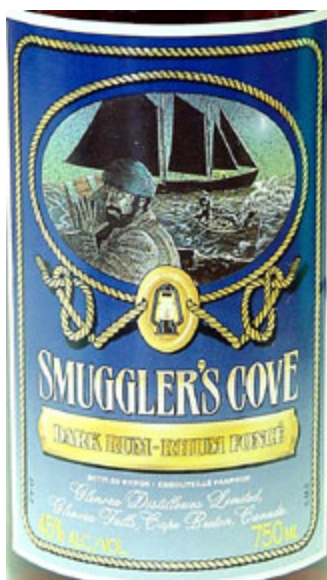


Porfidio Single Cane Rum - Mexico

Ron Porfidio (90-Proof). In today's competitive world, more and more rum companies are turning to creative and artistic packaging as ways to attract the consumer's attention. After all, despite the popular advise against it, most people still judge books by their covers. Ron Porfidio's "cover" speaks of artistic craftsmanship, creativity and simplicity. The palm tree inside

the bottle evokes memories of tropical paradises, floating inside a world of rum. The aroma is distinctively sweet and fruity, reminiscent of French Rhum Blanc. Once in the palate it opens swiftly and slightly warm, revealing a very neutral body with a sweet finish. A fine white rum made by a company with a great Tequila tradition. For more information, please visit:

www.ronporfidio.com



Smuggler's Cove - Canada

Smuggler's Cove Dark Rum (90-Proof). Bottled for Glenora Distillers Ltd., Canada. We were pleasantly surprised by this rum at the 2003 International Rum Festival, where it won a Gold Medal in the Dark Rum Category.

darkness conceals within the history of its making. The aroma is clearly that of a pot still rum, with notes of molasses, nutmeg and hints of vanilla. Opens softly with fruit and spice elements, ending slightly warm and dry. Great in mixed drinks and hot beverages.

Just like smugglers using the cover of the night to deliver their goods during prohibition, this rum's rich and deep auburn

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www.glenoradistillery.com

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