

*...or how I got here from there.*

Yesterday I was in the winery setting up another batch of Orange Blossom mead, and I had the opportunity to reflect on my journey. First off, I need to thank my family, and while that sounds rather pat and corny, it's true that I could not have done this without them. Right up at the top of the list with my family, is Paul Krenn of [Rivers Valley Winery](#). It is because of Paul that I've been able to pursue this passion. I would also like to thank one of my favorite distributors, [Double-Crossed Wines](#). Not only is the owner, Eric, a great person, but he's also a great distributor. I also wish to thank one of my great mead making mentors, [The Beverage People](#), for their expertise and support. One other supplier without which I could not operate in the mead world is [Quite the Garden](#). Their honey is the best I've ever tasted. One last thanks to nature, the universe, God, however you wish to name it for the creation of the honey. I hope everyone has a wonderful Thanksgiving, and I hope you'll all enjoy the mead you've made.

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