



94 PTS & EDITOR'S CHOICE - WINE ENTHUSIAST  
TOP WINE AWARD - SLOW WINE GUIDE  
93 PTS - VINOUS, ANTONIO GALLONI  
90 PTS - JEB DUNNUCK



## 2018 ESTATE GRENACHE SANTA YNEZ VALLEY

The Estate Grenache is made entirely from fruit grown on our estate vineyard, tucked into the slopes of Folded Hills. The site is meticulously farmed by grower Ruben Solorzano. Together, Ruben and winemaker Angela Osborne shepherd the grapes, and Angela selects the optimal moment for harvest.

The fruit is de-stemmed, and a portion of whole cluster is included to bring delicate spice and structure to the wine. Throughout fermentation, the Grenache is foot-tread twice daily to integrate the structure of the whole berries with the flavor of the variety. This wine is hand selected from the best Grenache barrels from the 2018 harvest, and two separate blocks of 362 clone. It is aged for 11 months in French oak barrels, 33% new and 17% once-used, to enhance texture and depth in the wine, while preserving the purity and transparency of the site. This wine is 100% free run, with energetic arms that express themselves just as the head trained block of Golden Eagle. This wine is an expression of divinity in a glass; yin and yang at its finest.

**VINEYARD:** 100% Folded Hills

**BLOCK:** 67% L.A.W.N (362 clone), 33% Golden Eagle (362 Clone)

**VARIETIES:** 100% Grenache

**AVA:** Santa Ynez Valley

**ALCOHOL:** 14.2%

**pH:** 3.42

**WINEMAKING:** 33% whole cluster, foot-tread twice daily

**ÉLEVAGE:** 11 months in French barrique, 33% new, 17% once-used

**BOTTLING DATE:** August 29, 2019

**RELEASE DATE:** August 17, 2020

**CASES PRODUCED:** 130

**SRP:** \$70

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