



WINEMAKER NOTES

Our first vintage making a true GSM (Grenache, Syrah, Mourvedre) and we are hooked! This wine is austere but still light on its feet. It retains bright flavors of cherry tootsie pop, fresh fruit and light, fine-grained tannins with an exceptionally long finish.

WINEMAKING

Cases:	353
Appellation:	Santa Barbara County
Varietal composition:	50% Syrah, 43% Grenache, 7% Mourvedre
Clonal selection:	Mourvedre
% Whole cluster:	80%
Soil at site:	Sand/Loam/Clay/Limestone
Barrels Aging:	15 months in 100% neutral French oak
Alcohol:	13.2%
Brix:	20.2-25.4
pH at harvest:	3.18-3.6
Finished pH:	3.72
Finished TA:	5.9 g/L
Harvest date:	10/20/2021-10/23/2021
Bottling date:	3/17/2023
Release date:	September 2023

ACCOLADES

Not yet rated

2021 VINTAGE

One of the best vintages in recent memory, 2021 was an even, cool vintage allowing fruit extended hang time to concentrate flavors and complexity without losing acid. Wines from this vintage are powerful while still being moderate in alcohol, and maintaining freshness and fruit purity.

SANTA BARBARA COUNTY

The wine region of Santa Barbara County is located north of the city of Santa Barbara and includes the Santa Ynez Valley and Santa Maria Valley. A defining feature of the region that makes it ideal for grape growing are the transverse, (east-to-west running) mountain ranges that funnel the marine climate inland. The marine fog and wind have a moderating effect on the vines prolonging the growing season and providing a longer hang time for the fruit.