ADELAIDA DISTRICT

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TWENTY THREE TWENTY SIGNATURE

ADELAIDA ESTATE VINEYARDS

2022

AROMA Blueberry, Raspberry, Black pepper, BBQ Tri-tip

FLAVOR Black currant, Pomegranate. Luxardo cherry, Fresh cut mahogany

FOOD Red wine-braised short ribs;

PAIRINGS Roasted cremini mushroom, arugula, and Gruyère sandwich

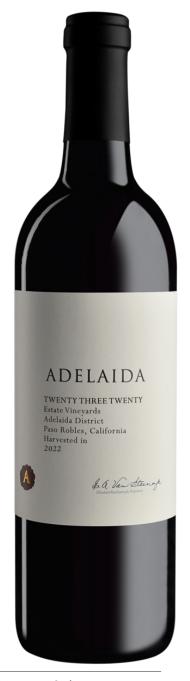
VINEYARD Adelaida Estate Vineyards | Elevation 1400 -2050 feet

DETAILS Calcareous Limestone Soil

Adelaida organically farms vineyards in the coastal influenced Santa Lucia Mountain Range on the west side of the Paso Robles AVA. Situated on steep hillsides, these sites lie within the Adelaida District, a sub-appellation in the northwest corner of the wine region. With elevations ranging from 1400 - 2050 feet, limestone subsoils, and extreme diurnal temperature swings, averaging 45 degrees, Adelaida produces wines with distinct expressions of their site.

The 2022 vintage started with roughly 20 inches of rainfall and hinted at consistent summer temperatures that did not see peaks or troughs. This was until our extreme heat event that expedited harvest and will likely mark the vintage for all of California. The heat wave hit at the exact moment when the fruit was at the tail end of its ripening journey. With over a week of 105-degree-plus temperatures, this vintage forced vintners/viticulturists to decide on picking grapes early with higher acids or later, running the possibility of over-ripe fruit.

Twenty-three twenty is a meticulously developed blend representing the pinnacle of each vintage. Although the production of this vintage was challenging, the result reflects the excellence of Adelaida's vineyards and their ability to create premium wine. The aroma is inviting, featuring notes of both red and black fruits, along with hints of spice and the umami of BBQ. On the palate, the wine is refined and delicate, reminiscent of crème de cassis, pomegranate, and mahogany. It is best enjoyed at cellar temperature and pairs well with your favorite, richest recipes. Enjoy through 2035.



VARIETAL Cabernet Sauvignon 32%, Mourvedre 24%

Syrah 23%, Petite Syrah 16%

Touriga Nacional 5%

COOPERAGE Aged for 20 months in 30% new

French oak barrels and puncheons

ALCOHOL 14.2%

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