



CASS | WINERY

2020 Grenache

ESTATE GROWN | PASO ROBLES, CA | GENESEO DISTRICT

Tasting Notes

This light bodied yet intensely flavored Grenache has a bouquet of red fruits and licorice. It expresses beautiful flavors of fresh strawberry, candied cherry and hints of white pepper. The 2020 Grenache has a beautiful clear wide garnet core and rosy edge. The nose on this wine instantly entices you with cherries and strawberries, followed by potpourri of Rose petals, mandarin orange, and vanilla bean. Once on the palate, the creamy texture of the wine reminds one of a vanilla cheesecake with graham cracker crust covered with cherry coulis with the faint hint of coffee on the finish. This delicious goes-with-everything bottle is the perfect bottle to take to a friend's house for dinner.

WINEMAKING

Grenache is a delicate variety, thus gently winemaking is needed to preserve the gorgeous fruit and velvet texture of the variety. After hand-picking in late September, the fruit was de-stemmed and fermented in small tanks, with regular pumpovers to aid extraction. In order to let the varietal fruit shine through, the wine was aged in neutral oak barrels with 100% being French oak. Following this mantra further, the wine was left unblended in order to let the Grenache speak as a pure, 100% varietal wine.

Varietal Composition: 100% Grenache
Aging Regimen: 17 months in neutral oak

ABV 13.7%
Production: 1075 cases

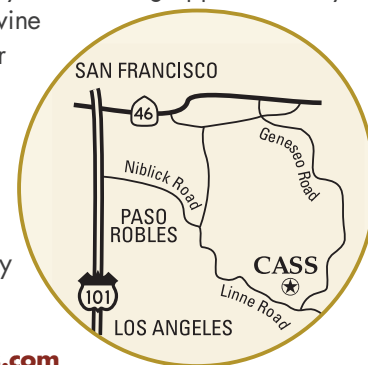


CASS VINEYARD



Our DNA is from France...Established and planted by certified ENTAV clones in 2000, the CASS Estate Vineyard, which is located in the Geneseo District, exemplifies the quality of the Paso Robles region with its warm days, cool coastal breezes, and exceptional soils. Deposited over centuries, the diverse alluvial soils make for an expressive site that produces fruit of incredible quality. A long growing season of warm days and cool evenings give rise to vibrantly ripened fruit with dynamic flavor profiles that translate beautifully in your glass.

As a family-owned 100% estate boutique winery, we are proud to continually push ourselves in the pursuit of excellence. Our tagline **"French DNA + Paso Personality"** is our philosophy: maintaining approachability and a down-to-earth charm, as we strive for excellence in all we do. Throughout history, fine wine has been both celebratory and connecting, as it draws people around the table. At CASS, our 145 acre vineyard of Rhône and Bordeaux varietals has become a place for drawing people together. It is this balance of vineyard and winemaking that has produced many 90+ point wines and the reason CASS was awarded **Winery of Year by the Central Coast Wine Competition in 2015, 2018 and 2020**. Through our Certification of California Sustainable Winegrowing, our farm-to-fork culinary experiences at our Café and elevated dinners, and our eco-friendly GENESEO INN, we look to elevate the Paso Robles wine country experience while maintaining a strong connection to the land.



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