

2022 Syrah

Sonoma Hillsides

This blend of our favorite sites is popular for a reason. It is neither too big nor is it too light. Packed with fruit, but never sweet or overbearing. One hundred percent Syrah grown on organically farmed hillsides in Sonoma County along with classic winemaking creates this delicious classically styled and extremely pure Syrah. Steep rocky sites blended with high elevation decomposed soils, blended with old vines grown in sand, these diverse terroirs combine to create a wine of balance and purity. We continue to add exceptional sites to this blend to make a better-balanced wine with more density and power while retaining its lightness and impeccable balance.

Vintage 2022 – A very good vintage that will probably end up ranked behind 2021, the wines from 2022 have more acidity, redder flavors, less tannin, and plush vibrant personalities. The exception to this is the higher elevation sites which we could hang longer into the season and eek out all of that high elevation exotic aroma and flavor. All told The 2022 Sonoma Hillsides is as umami packed as 2016 with the plushness of 2021 and the aromas of 2018.

100% Syrah 100% Whole-Cluster 10 months in neutral French Oak Puncheons & Concrete Tanks 3.77 pH 12.5 % Alc by Vol Free SO2 – 20ppm

Tasting Note:

Sweet purple flowers, pink peppercorns, blueberry liqueur, white pepper, and exotic high toned fruit pastilles. Plush blue fruits on the pallet, spicy with high toned red fruits and swirling aromas of earth, umami and fresh summer fruits. Intense and vibrant, this is going to stay fresh and lively for many years into the future and improve with time in your cellar.