



# VINA ROBLES

VINEYARDS & WINERY



## Signature

2016 ♦ PASO ROBLES

“Signature” is the winemaker’s hallmark blend of the vintage that is unconstrained by convention—in other words the signature wine of the vintage. This year’s blend is made from Petit Verdot and Petite Sirah—two varieties that frequently find a unique balance in our region. Both varieties are known for their intense color, generous amount of flavor and rich tannins that will continue to develop with proper aging.

Petit Verdot comes from both Adelaida Springs Ranch and our Huerhuero vineyards while Petite Sirah is sourced from our Creston Valley Vineyard. At an elevation of 1,700 feet and just 12 miles from the Pacific Ocean, Adelaida Springs Ranch is a small vineyard planted in rocky calcareous soils, resulting from uplifted ancient sea beds. Huerhuero, in the hilly terrain between the El Pomar and Geneseo Districts, benefits from calcareous subsoils and the moderating Pacific breezes that blow through the Templeton Gap in the afternoon. Creston Valley Vineyard has picture perfect high terrain, southern exposure and shallow soils with noticeable granulated limestone. All of these vineyards have very limiting soils that produce tiny berries, low yields and intense, concentrated wines with remarkable balance and structure.

## Tasting Notes

COLOR: Dark garnet

AROMA: Black raspberries and violets with hints of juniper berry, graphite and mocha

TASTE: Full-bodied with red and dark fruits, chalky layered age-worthy tannins that linger into a rich full finish

## Technical Notes

HARVEST DATES	BRIX°	VINEYARD	BLEND
09.26.16 - 10.22.16	25.2	Adelaida Springs Ranch	Petit Verdot 46%
		Huerhuero	Petit Verdot 27%
		Creston Valley	Petite Sirah 27%

AGING: 20 months in French oak barrels

BOTTLING DATE: 06.05.18

RELEASE DATE: September 2019

CASES PRODUCED: 541

ALCOHOL: 14.0%

PH: 3.82

TOTAL ACIDITY: 6.2 g/L

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