

## 2017 Pinot Noir Bentrock Vineyard



*Bentrock Vineyard – Santa Rita Hills*

<i>Appellation:</i>	Santa Rita Hills – Santa Barbara County
<i>Vineyard Site:</i>	Located at the far western end of the Santa Rita Hills AVA. This vineyard was planted in 2007 and takes advantage of the cool, marginal climate which is more pronounced here than other sites just 8 miles to the east.
<i>Soil:</i>	Vines are planted on extreme slopes in all degrees of orientation from north to south facing slopes. Soil consists of eroded loam with significant serpentine rock
<i>Clone/Rootstock:</i>	Clone 777
<i>Vineyard blocks:</i>	Block B7
<i>Vineyard mgmt.</i>	Mostly north facing with smaller lots of varying directions. Planted to vertical shoot positioning in close density.
<i>Harvest:</i>	September 13, 2019
<i>Juice statistics:</i>	24.3 avg. brix, pH 3.44, TA: 0.71
<i>Vinification:</i>	Hand sorted 100% destemmed Open top fermenters 1-3 ton size with two daily punch downs. Yeast : RC-212 Malo: Indigenous 16 months in 25% one and two year old French oak- Francois, Rousseau. Unfined and unfiltered.
<i>Wine profile:</i>	100% Pinot Noir, alcohol 14.2%
<i>Case production:</i>	75 Cases
<i>Retail Price:</i>	\$75 Bottle

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