2016 Cabernet Franc Mateo's Vineyard



Mateo's Vineyard – Santa Ynez Valley

Appellation: Santa Ynez Valley – Santa Barbara County

Vineyard Site: Estate Vineyard - this fruit comes from our Mateo's Vineyard, which was planted in 2009 and located in the eastern region of the Santa Ynez Valley

AVA and closely bordering the Happy Canyon AVA.

A level site consisting of Positas series, variations of sandy clay

Soil: loam with gravel predominant

Clone/Rootstock: Clone 5

Vineyard blocks:

Vineyard mgmt. N/S facing rows with spur pruning to 3 pounds per vine and

unilateral cordon

Harvest: September 14, 2017

Juice statistics: 25.4 avg. brix, pH 3.62, TA: .59

Vinification: Hand sorted 100% destemmed Open top fermenters 1-3 ton size with

pumpovers and two daily punch downs. 28 months in 60% new French

and American oak.

Wine profile: 90% Cabernet Franc, 8% Petite Verdot, 2% Carmenere; alcohol %

Case production: 100 Cases

Retail Price: \$60 | Bottle

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