



2016 Summit Block Pinot Noir

This distinctive wine is crafted from the Calera Pinot Noir clone planted on the summit of Quail Hill Vineyard, where Goldridge soil sits over a layer of deep red clay. The 2016 Summit Pinot Noir immediately shows a dark garnet color. The Calera clone emits heady aromatics of red raspberry, Santa Rosa plum, cherry kirsch and hints of violet. A voluminous entry on the palate leads to flavors of sarsaparilla, crushed herbs and red apple skin. Well-structured tannins add to the lengthy finish, while showing a hint of brambly fruit.

Alcohol: 14.5%

pH: 3.52

Clones: Calera

Cases Produced: 290

Aging: 14 months in French oak barrels, 67% new oak

Bottling Date: December 15, 2017

Retail: \$80