

ADELAIDA DISTRICT

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SYRAH

ANNA'S ESTATE VINEYARD

2018

AROMA Mirabelle plum liqueur, Ecuadorian chocolate, mince pies

FLAVOR Glace-de-viande, mixed fruit and berry pudding

FOOD Duck gumbo or Chicken stew,

PAIRINGS Veggie tacos with seasonings

VINEYARD Anna's Estate Vineyard | 1595 - 1935 feet

DETAILS Calcareous Limestone Soil

Adelaida has five organically-farmed vineyards in the coastal influenced Santa Lucia Mountain Range on the west side of the Paso Robles AVA. Situated on steep hillsides, these sites lie within the *Adelaida District*, a sub-appellation in the northwest corner of the wine region. With elevations ranging from 1400 - 2050 ft, limestone subsoils, and extreme diurnal temperature swings, averaging 45 degrees, Adelaida produces wines with distinct expressions of their site.

The 2018 growing season progressed regularly with cool spring temperatures, elevated summer temperature, and cooling throughout the harvest months. These factors led to even ripening in the vineyards and high fruit quality.

Jet black, with a richness and intensity of color ripe for diving into. Take in all the aromas of black fruits, hoisin sauce, crushed rocks, and wild things, it is all going on. Taste blackberries, plum sauce, cracked pepper, vanilla-chocolate-covered espresso beans. Eyes wide shut sees the feral suggestions that high-quality Syrah hints at along with a seemingly contradictory lavender and violet fragrance. Almost a red wine reduction shows all the concentration of flavors that is a fine Syrah, think Cabernet Franc meets Zinfandel. Fire up the grill, turn up the tunes and have fun, you deserve it. Drink now through 2025.



VARIETAL Syrah 100%

COOPERAGE Aged for 18 months in French oak (55% new)

ALCOHOL 15.1%

RELEASE Spring 2021

CASES 643

RETAIL \$45