

ADELAIDA DISTRICT

ADELAIDA

ANNA'S RED

ANNA'S ESTATE VINEYARD

2022

AROMA	Red plum, Candied blueberry, Licorice, Black pepper
FLAVOR	Cranberry, Raspberry, Pink peppercorn, Kalamata olive,
FOOD PAIRINGS	Beef Bourguignon; Eggplant parmesan with rosemary focaccia
VINEYARD DETAILS	Anna's Vineyard 1400 - 1695 feet 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 feet, limestone subsoils, and extreme diurnal temperature swings, averaging 45 degrees, Adelaida produces wines with distinct expressions of their site.

The 2022 vintage started with roughly 20 inches of rainfall and hinted at consistent summer temperatures that did not see peaks or troughs. This was until our extreme heat event that expedited harvest and will likely mark the vintage for all of California. The heat wave hit at the exact moment when the fruit was at the tail end of its ripening journey. With over a week of 105-degree-plus temperatures, this vintage forced vintners/viticulturists to decide on picking grapes early with higher acids or later, running the possibility of over-ripe fruit.

This 2022 is predominantly Syrah, offering an enticing bouquet filled with rich aromas of spice and ripe fruit. The aroma pours from the glass with enticing aromas reminiscent of red plum, candied blueberry, and licorice, bringing balance to the bright acidity from an early harvest. Upon your first sip, the palate displays bold notes of black pepper, bright cranberry, and raspberry jam. The warm spices, coupled with bright fruits, create a sense of comfort and accentuate the wine's exceptional drinkability. Anna's Red is a crowd favorite, and this vintage does not disappoint. Drink through 2029.



VARIETAL	Syrah 40%, Grenache 20%, Cinsaut 13% Mourvedre 12%, Counoise 9% Petite Sirah 6%	COOPERAGE	Aged in French oak barrels (40% new) for 18 months
ALCOHOL	14.9%	RELEASE	Fall 2025
CASES	670	RETAIL	\$50