

ADELAIDA DISTRICT

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## GRENACHE BLANC

ANNA'S ESTATE VINEYARD

2024

<b>AROMA</b>	Lemon juice, Caramel, Chamomile
<b>FLAVOR</b>	Lemon bar, Kiwi, Butter pecan, Jasmine
<b>FOOD PAIRINGS</b>	Citrus marinated scallop crudo; Herbed ricotta stuffed squash blossom
<b>VINEYARD DETAILS</b>	Anna's Estate Vineyard   1400 - 1695 feet Calcareous Limestone Soil

Adelaida's organically-farmed estate vineyards are located 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 winter of 2023-2024 was cool, with 25.39 inches of rainfall, about average. Spring continued this trend, as Chardonnay budbreak occurred in the third week of March, also typical timing. The rain and cool temperatures kept the soils cool and provided enough water. This was crucial because the following summer was extremely hot. From July 2 to October 7, we had 38 days over 100°F, compared to an average of 10 days. Our clay and limestone soils, along with good cover crops and careful farming, helped the vines survive the heat. The summer of 2024 was California's hottest in 130 years.

Quickly becoming one of the Tasting Room's favorite white varietals, Grenache Blanc captivates with its bright, crisp texture. The 2024 vintage benefited from an extended growing season, allowing the fruit to achieve full, expressive ripeness. On the nose, it reveals impressive layers of citrus blossom, Meyer lemon, and golden honey. On the palate, this wine truly comes alive. Flavors of lemon cake and delicate chamomile dance across the tongue, while subtle hints of butter pecan ice cream add an unexpected yet delightful creaminess to the finish. Zesty and lively, yet refined and layered, the Grenache Blanc offers the best of both worlds: refreshing brightness paired with satisfying depth. Enjoy now through 2028.



<b>VARIETAL</b>	Grenache Blanc 100%	<b>COOPERAGE</b>	Aged for 9 months in 18% new French oak barrels
<b>ALCOHOL</b>	14.2%	<b>RELEASE</b>	Spring 2026
<b>CASES</b>	300	<b>RETAIL</b>	\$40