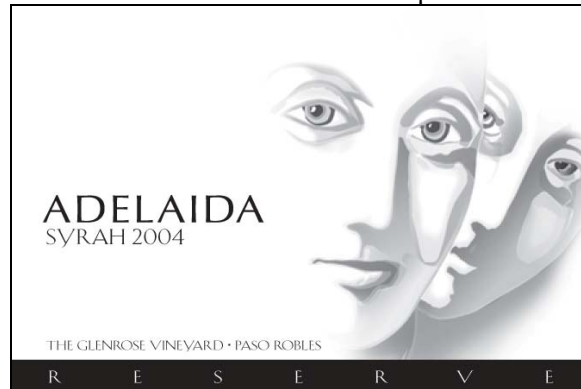


SYRAH RESERVE 2005
GLENROSE VINEYARD
Clone 99, Rootstock 1103P

Located on the coastal influenced west side of Paso Robles, the topsoil challenged Glenrose Vineyard is dedicated to Rhône grape varieties planted on a steep, limestone rock face that is more of an Aztec pyramid than a bucolic vineyard. At elevations between 1,200 and 1,600 feet, the Syrah Reserve comes from a combination of terraced and pure white chalk rock sections, ensuring typical low yields of less than 2 tons per acre. The plantings are exclusively based on material brought from the esteemed Domaine de Beaucastel vineyard in Châteauneuf-du-Pape, France. This wine represents a draconian selection, a mere 252 cases, which showcases the essence of the "terroir".

More a theatrical music hall than a cerebral string quartet, the demonstrative Glenrose struts its ample virtues up front, right now. With an elevated "sweet spot" of grilled bread and cedar plank gaminess, the wine envelopes your palate with a seamless density of dark fruit, wood smoke, bittersweet chocolate and North African spice. Drink now through 2013.



VINEYARD DETAILS:

AVA: Paso Robles
 Vineyard: Glenrose
 Elevation: 1,200 - 1,600 feet
 Grade: 30%
 Soil: Calcareous Limestone
 Clone: 99
 Rootstock: 1103P
 Planted Acres: 15

VINTAGE DETAILS:

Variety: 100% Syrah
 Cases: 252 cases produced
 Release Date: April 1, 2008
 CA Suggested Retail: \$55

HARVEST DATE:

October 6th – 7th, 2005

TECHNICAL DATA:

Alcohol: 14.1%
 pH: 3.6
 TA: 6.0 g/L
 Brix: 25.9°
 Yield: 2 tons/acre
 Fermentation: open top fermentation;
 indigenous yeast

COOPERAGE:

Barrel aged 16 months in 100% French oak (30% new).
 Bottled unfinned and unfiltered on July 6th, 2007.