

# ADELAIDA

## VERSION RED

ANNA'S VINEYARD, ADELAIDA DISTRICT - PASO ROBLES

2013

AROMA	Strawberry and blackberry compote, herbs de Provence, hazelnut liqueur
FLAVOR	Sautéed strawberries with allspice, light veal stock, sage and thyme
FOOD PAIRINGS	Lamb kebabs with pomegranate glaze, Vietnamese pulled pork tacos in gingered hoisin sauce with cucumber and Asian pear, Porcini mushrooms risotto
VINEYARD DETAILS	Anna's Vineyard   1400 - 1695 feet Calcareous Limestone Soil

Adelaida's distinct family owned vineyards lie in the craggy hillside terrain of Paso Robles' Adelaida District, 14 miles from the Pacific coast. Ranging from 1400 - 2000 feet in elevation these low yielding vines are challenged by chalky limestone soils and afternoon blasts of cool marine air, and a diurnal temperature swing of 40-50 degrees.

Version Red is a Rhône style blend mirroring classic wines of Châteauneuf-du-Pape using estate grown grapes from our mountain vineyards in the coastal hills of Paso Robles. Sometimes referred to as a "GSM", an acronym for the major components of the blend, i.e. grenache, syrah and mourvèdre. Warm weather characterized the vintage, with occasional heat spikes, but always moderated by the marine influence of the nearby Pacific.

Adelaida's vineyards lie in the newly demarcated AVA, the Adelaida District, characterized by wide daily temperature swings, an abundance of limestone sub-soils and steep terrain. The wine is softly textured, tasting of mulled strawberries and savory flavors reminiscent of roasting pan juices and wild thyme. Drink now through 2018.



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<b>VARIETAL</b>	Grenache 37%, Mourvèdre 20%, Cinsaut 18%,	<b>COOPERAGE</b>	Barrel aged 16 months in 100% French oak; 15% new
<b>ALCOHOL</b>	15.5%	<b>RELEASE</b>	Summer 2015
<b>CASES</b>	146 kegs	<b>RETAIL</b>	\$XX.00

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