



HARTFORD
COURT

TRULY RITA
STA. RITA HILLS • PINOT NOIR
2019

VINEYARD CHARACTER

Fruit for our Truly Rita Pinot Noir comes from the well-respected Dierberg – Drum Canyon site. This vineyard is on a steep slope facing the Pacific Ocean and is influenced by the cool ocean breezes every day. Our blocks are planted to three selections: Swan, Calera and Dijon 115. The well drained and calcium rich soils, combined with the cool climate produces a wine that is very graceful, but with powerful underlying texture.

TASTING NOTES

Aromas of wild cherry, crushed violets and a Rooibos tea-like note of earth and spice, complement the notes of salinity and ripe cherry. With polished tannin and a lengthy finish, this very elegant wine shows the beauty of Sta. Rita Hills Pinot Noir.

WINE STATISTICS

Oak:	100% French oak, 22% new
Time in oak:	16 months
Alcohol:	14.4%
TA:	6.2g/L
pH:	3.47
Cases produced:	164

HISTORIC ACCLAIM

2018:	93 points	L.P.-B., <i>Robert Parker's Wine Advocate</i> , January 2021
2018:	92 points	A.G., <i>Vinous</i> , August 2020
2017:	95 points	J.D., <i>jebdunnuck.com</i> , June 2020
2017:	93 points	L.P.-B., <i>Robert Parker's Wine Advocate</i> , February 2020
2016:	94 points	A.G., <i>Vinous</i> , May 2019
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