



2023 Mourvèdre

Alisos Canyon AVA
Santa Barbara County

Wine Notes

2023 was an exceptional year for Mourvèdre at Thompson and Nolan vineyards, inspiring us to bottle our Mourvèdre as a varietal wine. After fruit set, we dropped the crop load down to one cluster per shoot to ensure full and even ripening in this cool vintage. Grapes were allowed to ferment with native yeast and 100% stem-inclusion. Elegant up front, with notes of cranberry relish, ripe plum and hibiscus, this Mourvèdre shows savory spice and forest floor aromatics, with velvety tannins and moderate acidity. The 2023 Mourvèdre can be enjoyed in its youth but can be cellared for up to 5 years.

Technical Information

Vineyard	Nolan Vineyard; Thompson Vineyard, both from Alisos Canyon AVA
Clone	Clone 1
Harvest	Mourvèdre (Thompson): November 13, 21.2 Brix, 3.41 p-H Mourvèdre (Nolan): October 20, 23.5 Brix, 3.53 pH
Composition	95% Mourvèdre 5% Syrah (Kimsey Vineyard)
Fermentation	Native yeast fermentation lasting an average of 14 days, after a 48-hour cold-soak. 100% whole-cluster
Barrel Aging	16 months in used French barrels
Cellar notes	Unfined and lightly filtered
Alcohol	12.9% by Vol
Bottling Date	March 26, 2025
Production	70 cases (12/750 ml)