

Emancipation

2016 California Red Wine

WE ARE SO USED TO FOLLOWING TRADITION AND THE NORM. BUT WHAT HAPPENS WHEN WE BREAK THE RULES?
CAN WE SET OURSELVES FREE AND FOLLOW OUR WILDEST DREAMS?

TASTING NOTES

Inspired by Chateauneuf-du-Pape, this Grenache-Syrah-Mourvedre based blend is an elegant balance of deep, rich notes with acidity and bright top notes. Deep garnet in color, you are greeted with dried mulberries, plum and mossy bark on the nose. In the glass, potpourrie and spice notes open up to notes of blackberry, currant, dried cranberry and a hint of cacao nib. The palate is lively, plush, and textural leading to a long, lingering finish.

Serve with Turkey stuffed with apples and sage or Veal Medallions with Truffle Jus.



COMPOSITION 44% Grenache, 34% Syrah, 10% Mourvedre, 6% Petite Sirah, 2% Zinfandel, 2% Mission, 2% Valdiguie
APPELLATION California (48% Santa Barbara County, 44% Sonoma County, 6% Lodi, 2% Sierra Foothills)
COOPERAGE aged in French, Hungarian and American oak; 16% new French **AGEING** 20 months
PRODUCTION 1,190 cases **WINEMAKER** Brian Maloney