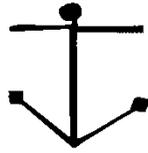


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2016 Pinot Noir Bien Nacido Vineyard, Block 8

Appellation:	Santa Maria Valley
Vineyard:	Bien Nacido ~ Block 8, planted in 1996
Clone(s):	Dijon 113, Dijon 115, Wadensvil (2a,) Mt. Eden, Pommard
Harvest:	By hand at night, August 9 through August 26, 2016
Yields:	3 tons per acre (4 ppv)
Crush:	Whole berry destemmed as individual clonal lots into small, open-top tanks
Innoculum:	ADY-3001 & RC-212 after 4 day cold maceration
Fermentation:	10-14 day active, with punch downs 2 times daily
Barrel Regime:	100% French oak, 3-4 year- aged wood, very tight grain barrels, medium + toast with toasted heads, 33% new; 17 months elevage
Racking:	Without pumping, once February 2017, then again prior to bottling March 2018
Bottling:	Without fining or filtration on March 5, 2018
Alcohol:	13.4% by volume
T.A:	0.59 g/100ml
pH:	3.58
Production:	1200 cases
Price:	\$64
Reviews:	95 points from JebDunnuck.com , October 2018 94 points "Cellar Selection" from Wine Enthusiast , December 2018 93+ from Vinous , September 2018 92 points from Burghound , October 2018 92 points from Wine Advocate , September 2019