



2016

## SEL DE LA TERRE

Sel de la Terre, meaning "Salt of the Earth", was created in dedication of Mac's grandfather. This Westside Paso 100% Grenache is a combination of fruit from our estate, Shadow Canyon, and Paper Street Vineyards. This is the masculine counterpart to L'Ange Rouge.

### VINIFICATION

30% whole cluster fermented in small, open top bins, and spent 15-20 days on skins with pump-overs during cold soak and punch downs during fermentation. Aged 18 months in neutral 500-liter puncheons and 350-liter cognacs.

### TASTING NOTES

Inky ruby. Powerful, mineral-accented blackberry and boysenberry scents are complemented by incense, licorice and pungent floral accents. Seamless in texture and deeply concentrated, offering alluringly sweet dark berry, cherry liqueur and lavender pastille flavors sharpened by a jolt of peppery spices. Rich yet energetic in character, finishing with sharp delineation, resonating florality and fine-grained tannins that sneak in late. - *Josh Reynolds, Vinous*

#### VARIETALS:

100% Grenache

#### ALCOHOL CONTENT:

15.2%

#### APPELLATION:

Paso Robles

#### CASES PRODUCED:

196

#### VINEYARDS:

Paper Street, Shadow  
Canyon, Estate

#### AGING POTENTIAL:

Present - 2028

#### RETAIL PRICE:

\$45

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TASTING NOTES BY MCPRICE  
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