## 2019 Paradoxical

61% Cabernet Sauvignon, 34% Merlot, 5% Petit Verdot,

Opens with brightly pitched aromas of pie cherries, incense, rolling tobacco and freshly baked gingerbread. The elegant palate offers flavors of raspberry, menthol, nutmeg and red currant that evolve into a silky mid-palate. The graceful finish is framed with supple tannins and precise acidity.

Vineyard:

100% Estate – Adelaida District, Paso Robles.

## Fermentation:

Destemmed and cold soaked for 5 days with twice daily pump-overs. 9-day fermentation with a mix of deléstages, pump-overs and punchdowns for cap management. 14-day total maceration.

## **Cooperage and Elevage:**

Aged for 22 months in 225L French oak barriques: 33% new, 67% neutral.

**Alc:** 14.1% **pH**: 3.47 **TA**: 6.7 g/l

Bottling Date: July 26th, 2021. Bottled unfined and unfiltered.

Cases Produced: 78 cases