

TASTING NOTES



B & W Wines

CARMEL ROAD MONTEREY PINOT NOIR, 2014

BACKGROUND

CARMEL ROAD WINERY IS LOCATED IN THE HEART OF MONTEREY COUNTY WHERE THE AIR IS CRISP AND THE TEMPO IS RELAXED AND MEASURED. MOST MORNINGS OUR VINEYARDS ARE SHROUDED IN FOG. MOST AFTERNOONS A BRISK PACIFIC OCEAN WIND BLOWS SOUTHWARD ALONG THE RIDGE TOPS AND BENCHLANDS OF SALINAS VALLEY DELIVERING FRESH, COOL MARITIME AIR. FOR YEARS OUR REGION WAS CONSIDERED TOO COLD AND WINDY TO GROW WORLD-CLASS GRAPES. TODAY, MONTEREY BOASTS SOME OF THE MOST HIGHLY-ACCLAIMED AVAs IN ALL OF CALIFORNIA. SINCE 1999 CARMEL ROAD HAS BEEN PRODUCING STUNNING CHARDONNAYS AND PINOT NOIRS FROM SOME OF MONTEREY'S FINEST BENCHLAND VINEYARDS USING A MIX OF PROPRIETARY AND TRADITIONAL BURGUNDIAN WINEMAKING TECHNIQUES.

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THE 2014 MONTEREY PINOT NOIR OPENS UP WITH AROMAS OF BLACK CHERRY AND STRAWBERRY, WITH SUBTLE NOTES OF SPICE AND TOASTY OAK. THE PALATE IS RICH AND ROUND, BRIGHT AND JUICY BERRY FLAVOURS LEADING TO A LONG, TEXTURED FINISH.



VINTAGE: 2014

WINERY: CARMEL ROAD ([HTTP://WWW.CARMELROAD.COM/](http://www.carmelroad.com/))

REGION: CALIFORNIA

AVAILABILITY: AVAILABLE NOW IN CONSIGNMENT

CASE QUANTITY: 12 BOTTLES PER CASE

BOTTLE SIZE: 750 ML

COMPOSITION: PINOT NOIR (100%)