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VINEYARDS

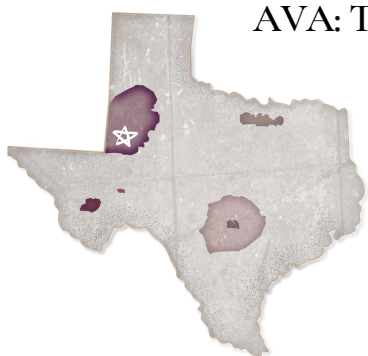
Focused on Texas grown wines made in an Old World style with low-intervention winemaking. Since 2008, founders William "Bill" Blackmon and Chris Brundrett have sourced grapes from Estate vineyards and partners alike, prizing sustainable practices and the expression of Texan terroir.

2023 PÉTILLANT NATUREL Sparkling Rosé

Fondly referred to as 'Pét Nat' by natural wine lovers around the world, this style of wine stands for 'naturally a little sparkling'. Because the wine finishes its winemaking process while the bottle is sealed, the wine is fizzy, unfiltered, and a highly textured. Chill this wine well to tame the unpredictable fizziness upon opening.

VARIETIES: 50% Mourvèdre, 45% Cinsault, 5% Carignan

Vineyard: La Pradera Vineyard



AVA: Texas High Plains

County: Terry

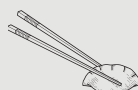
Established in 2010 by Mike and Barbara Paddock with the help of Texas grape-growers Andy and Lauren Timmons, who also currently manage the 120 acres. The different grape varieties are planted on a special soil combination that is calcareous, organic, sandyloam over limestone that is just 2-3 feet deep in some blocks. The wines are aromatic and fresh in style.

2023 VINTAGE: Much needed rain and mild temperatures before several weeks of long 100+ degree temperatures. Sugars stalled, but grapes were harvested at ideal pH and acidity levels with great balance.

TASTING NOTES

Citrusy passion fruit, with an overall tropical and red fruit aroma medley. Mandarin orange mingles with a lime-y mineral aroma. The palate feels chalky and nicely dry, but still gushing with a mouth-watering citrus and a red apply-raspberry punch-like flavor. Light-bodied.

FOOD PAIRING



Pair with meatballs and other Italian dishes, soft/fresh cheeses, and spicy foods that pack some heat.



WINEMAKING: Mourvèdre/Cinsault - Picked early to ferment separately in stainless steel for 24 days.

Carignan - Fermented in concrete for 32 days. Lots aged separately for 2 months before bottling. Undisgorged.

AGE OF VINES: 13 years

Serve at 45°F

SOIL TYPE: Amarillo fine sandy loam over limestone base

Drink now to 2027

ELEVATION: 3,300 ft

ABV: 12.5% | pH: 3.23 | TA: 5.63 g/L | RS: 0.332 g/L

CASES PRODUCED: 1,265



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100% Texas grown wines.