

2017 LARKSONG CABERNET - TEMPRANILLO

PASO ROBLES, CALIFORNIA



THE WINE:

50% Cabernet Sauvignon and 50% Tempranillo from two small vineyards on the west side of Paso Robles. The Cabernet was organically grown on the Rolph Vineyard and the Tempranillo from the Yankowski Vineyard. Made by a husband and wife winemaking duo, Vailia Esh of Desparada Wines and Russel From of Herman Story Wines. The wine was aged for 20 months in 50% new French oak and 50% 2 year old French oak. Total production was only 48 cases.

THE ESTATE:

Larksong Wines represent the collaboration between Quigley Fine Wines and winemaker Vailia Esh, of Desparada Wines. Sourcing grapes from sustainably grown vineyards in the Central Coast region of California and focusing on small production, terroir driven wines these passion project wines are available only through Quigley Fine Wines.

TASTING NOTES:

Color: dense ruby with flashes of purple

Aromas: ripe black currant, baker's chocolate, savory spices and hints of sage

Flavor & Texture: intense and expressive with black fruits, sweet blueberry and lush tannins; the 15.5% alcohol is well hidden behind the layers of fruit and polished tannins, showing great balance

Food Pairing: marinated tri-tip grilled over wood fire

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