



2018 SEVASTIEN Santa Cruz Mountains

A racy red blend from the high elevation vineyards of Santa Cruz Mountains. Designed for collectors who enjoy tight and very focused wines that will further develop with long cellaring. This Sevastien cuvee offering is named after Sofia's eldest son.

Tasting Notes

Lighter color hue from well drained vineyards, the wine offers blackberry, raspberry, red current. Considerable chalkiness, vanilla, touch of leather with high and dense tannins. This solid and very elegant wine will show its true pedigree after five to ten years of aging.

About the Winemakers

The ultra-premium wines of Lightpost Winery are the result of the hard work and dedication of winemakers Sofia Fedotova and Christian Roguenant. Christian has won numerous awards for his wines including voted by industry peers as the 2017 California Central Coast winemaker of the year. His Champagne was served at the 1988 Olympics in Seoul Korea.

Technical Description

Vineyards selection:

75 % Cabernet Sauvignon – Bates Vineyard – Santa Cruz Mountain.

15 % Merlot – Zayante Vineyard - Santa Cruz Mountain – Organic Vineyard.

5 % Petit Verdot – Onyx Vineyard - West Paso Robles - San Luis Obispo County.

Fermentation: 100 % in 1.3 ton T bins for 3 weeks

Alcohol: 14.90 %

pH: 3.73

TA: 6.30 grams/L.

Oak Regiment: 60 % New French Oak M+ toast from the Seguin Moreau cooperage for 22 months.

Aging potential: 2030

Cases produced: 110

Pairing suggestion: grilled burger with French fries, beef short ribs and other braised beef dishes. Roast or grilled lamb and Portobello mushrooms.

