



2015 MALVASIA BIANCA

We picked the 2015 Malvasia at midnight on the 1st of September. Left on the skins until late morning the following day, we then loaded it into the press.

Like the 2014, the 2015 leans toward the savory end of the Malvasia spectrum, with saline citrus pith and lemon curd, lemongrass, lime blossom and frangipani aromas further concentrated by another year of little rain, and low yields.

On the palate, this nearly 3 decade old block on shale, clay and granitic soils focuses its tremendous aromatics in a beam of spicy intensity on a taut, persistent frame. Though most of the vintage will be consumed within 30 minutes of purchase, we expect it will further develop over the next 8 years in bottle for those inclined to delay gratification. TA 5.8 g/l , pH 3.37, Alc. 13.0%.

-Alex and John

Release Date: Fall 2017
Composition: Malvasia Bianca
100%,
Appellation: Monterey