

## 2009 JERSEY GIRL

98% Syrah / 2% Petit Verdot  
Jada Vineyard, Paso Robles



### TASTING NOTES

West Side Paso Robles Estate Syrah from clones 174, 383, and the Estrella. Artisan winemaking techniques and careful farming created this wine's intense complexity. The Syrah blocks are planted on our calcareous soils and rolling hills with rocky patches throughout the vineyard, making it an ideal location for just enough vine stress to concentrate color and mouth feel. We are strong proponents of high percentage Saignée, long, cold macerations, and slow and steady fermentations in open top fermenters utilizing both native and inoculated yeast cultures. Varietal fragrances of ripe Cherry, cola, and smoked meats marry perfectly with the barrel aromatics of vanilla, camp fire, caramel, and cinnamon. Great barrel integration at 53% new French oak creates a perfectly balanced wine with a persistent finish. New French oak cooperers include Meyrieux, Boutes, and Ermitage.



#### VINEYARD

Vineyard: Jada Estate Vineyard  
Vineyard Locations: Westside Paso Robles (Templeton Gap)  
Geology: Shallow topsoil of clay loam over calcareous shale.  
Average Elevation: 1,100 ft. to 1,200 ft.  
Slope Exposure: South, Southwest, West  
Year Planted: 1999  
Clone/Rootstock:  
Syrah: Estrella/174/383  
Petit Verdot: Abreau

#### WINEMAKING

Harvest Date: 10/2009  
Oak: 100% French,; 53 % new / 47% used.  
Finning/Filtration: None

#### FINISHED WINE

pH: 3.90  
TA: 0.62 g/100 mL  
Alcohol: 15.2%  
Bottling Date: 5/2011  
Cases Bottled: 453  
Release Date: Winter 2012  
  
Winemaker: Scott Hawley / David Galzignato

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