

WINERY

## GUEST STAR 2016 PINOT NOIR

**GUEST STAR** IT'S ALWAYS GOOD TO HAVE FRIENDS DROP IN WHEN YOU ARE PLAYING A SHOW. TURNER VINEYARD MAY NOT BE PART OF OUR REGULAR CAST, BUT WHEN WE GOT THE OPPORTUNITY TO BRING THIS STA. RITA HILLS LEGEND ON OUR 2016 VINTAGE TOUR, WE JUMPED AT THE CHANCE..



**TIMBRE** is the "color" of music. It is what makes two voices sound different, even when singing the same song. It is why two winemakers, working with the same vineyards, make unique wine. As a terroir-driven winery, we make wines expressive of the places and times from which they came. As winemakers, we channel those sites through our experience, adding our own mark- our TIMBRE- to the resulting wines.

Founded by Joshua Klapper and Alex Katz, TIMBRE WINERY is the culmination of years of hard work, and dedication to our craft. It is winemaking expressed through the universal language of musical sound.

## AVA AND VINTAGE NOTES

Turner Vineyard sits on 21 acres in a prime area of the Sta. Rita Hills. Adjacent to Melville and very close to Clos Pepe and Hilliard Bruce in the northern part of the Sta. Rita Hills. The site is planted to approximately fifteen acres of Pinot Noir with clay-based soil spiked with calcareous chunks. It has a high elevation and is very exposed to the Sta. Rita Hills wind. This site has a varied landscape comprised of a valley floor, gentle hills facing both north and south, and a mesa.

## TASTING NOTES

Dark garnet like a rose petal, the wine shows confectioners' sugar, raspberry, pancake syrup, cotton candy, and apple skins. The palate is concentrated with notes of dark chocolate, plum, black tea, pomegranate, and raspberry fun dip.

## **TECHNICAL DATA**

VINTAGE // 2016 VARIETAL // PINOT NOIR VINEYARD // TURNER REGION // STA. RITA HILLS SOIL TYPE // ARNOLD & CORRALITOS SANDY LOAM CLONE // 777 HARVEST DATE // AUGUST 31 HARVEST BRIX // 23.7 PH // 3.58 TA (G/100ML) // .569 ALCOHOL // 13.45% ÉLEVAGE // 100% BARREL AGED 20 MONTHS COOPERAGE // 100% ONCE USED FRANCOIS FRERES FRENCH OAK BOTTLING DATE // 2.21.2018 BARREL PRODUCTION // 2 AGING POTENTIAL // NOW-2026

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TIMBRE (TAM · bər or TIM · bər) The character or quality of a musical sound as distinct from its pitch and intensity.