

"I make wine that my wife, Sarah, and I love to drink. Nevertheless, I'm grateful when the Press recognizes our wines. It's a testament to our amazing Sierra Highlands wine region, and to the incredible Starfield Vineyard." —Rob Sinton

## Viognier, Estate Grown

- 2022, 91pts, Wine Enthusiast (12/1/2023)
- 2022, Double Gold, Calaveras County (5/18/2023)
- 2022, Double Gold, Orange County (6/12/2023)

## Marsanne, Estate Grown

- 2023, 93pts (Platinum), Critic's Challenge (6/22/24)
- 2022, 93pts (Gold), Winemakers Challenge (4/16/23)
- 2022, 93pts (Gold), Calaveras County (5/18/2023)
- 2022, Gold, Best of Show (White) & Earth Friendly, El Dorado County (5/18/2023)

## Hope Rising, Estate Grown

- 2023, Silver, Critic's Challenge (6/23/24)
- 2022, Gold, El Dorado County (5/18/2023)

#### Cinsaut, Estate Grown

- 2022, 91pts (Gold), Critic's Challenge (6/23/24)
- 2020, 91pts, Wine Enthusiast (11/30/2022)
- 2020, Best of Class Triple Gold, Dan Berger (12/15/2022)
- 2020, 90pts (Gold), Winemakers Challenge (4/16/23)

## Grenache, Estate Grown

- 2020, 92pts, Wine Enthusiast (11/30/2022)
- 2020, Best of Class, San Francisco Chronicle (2/15/2023)
- 2020, Gold, Dan Berger (12/15/2022)

## Counoise, Estate Grown

• 2022, 90pts (Gold), Critic's Challenge (6/23/24)

# Mourvedre, Estate Grown

- 2020, Best of Class Triple Gold, Dan Berger (12/15/2022)
- 2020, 95pts (Gold), CA State Fair (6/12/2023)

# The Miner's Inch, Estate Grown

- 2020, Gold, San Francisco Chronicle (2/15/2023)
- 2020, Gold, Dan Berger (12/15/2022)
- 2019, 92 pts, Wine Enthusiast (5/1/2023)

## 2019 The Miner's Inch, Estate Grown:

Overall, this is a well-balanced, engaging very good quality red blend. It features flavors of black cherry, blackberry, black plum, dried wood, vanilla, cinnamon, star anise, an just a hint of (pleasant) barnyard funk."

— Stacy Briscoe, Wine Enthusiast

## 2023 Marsanne, Estate Grown:

"As good as Marsanne can be in regions outside of France's Northern Rhöne Valley, one wonders why more of it isn't planted in many more places.

This seems as savory and mineral as it does fruity, with melon and orchard fruit notes as well as a pleasant hint of citrus rind bitterness that balances out the wine's fruity (not sugary) sweetness.

Delicious on its own, this seems even more promising as a partner for food, including moderately assertive preparations of fish or chicken."

—Michael Franz, Critic's Challenge

# 2022 Viognier, Estate Grown:

"Subtle nuances are the name of this Viognier's game.

A plethora of aromas and flavors are finely layered and integrated throughout the length of the tasting.

Notes suggest lemon, lime, white blossom, wet stone, flint, lanolin, beeswax, just-ripe white peach, nectarine, apricot and mandarin orange zest. Slightly elevated alcohol uplifts the body and mouthfeel and is well balanced by generous acidity and a touch of texture."

— Stacy Briscoe, Wine Enthusiast