

## Sans Liege Wines CÔTES-du-COAST

## **TECHNICAL INFO**

VINTAGE: 2015

**VARIETAL:** 41% Viognier,

26% Roussanne, 18% Marsanne,

15% Grenache Blanc

**APPELLATION:** Central Coast

VINEYARD: Viognier - Bien Nacido and White Hawk, Roussanne - Alta Colina and Santa Barbara Highlands Vineyard, Grenache Blanc - Alta Colina,

Marsanne - Bien Nacido

**ALC: 14.4%** 

**OAK:** 20% new French barrique, 65% neutral French barrique,

15% Stainless Steel

TIME IN BARREL: 16 months sur lie

AGING POTENTIAL: 4-6 years
RELEASE DATE: June 24, 2017

**SERVING RECOMMENDATION:** 

Chill slightly 10-15 minutes in the refrigerator, pull the cork and enjoy!

A treasure holds no value until it has been fought for. Aspiring to create a worthy homage to something precious and revered, I sourced the hillsides to find the vines for this Cotes-du-Coast. I take no credit for the soul of this wine. Its lineage is ancient; its roots, deep.

## **ABOUT SANS LIEGE**

Sans Liege is my relentless search for independence. Equally aligned with the freedoms of the New World and the heritage of the Rhône Valley, I am careful not to hold too closely to either. Tending fruit in vineyards that have captured my heart from Paso Robles down to Solvang, these sites speak for me and I for them; the only partners now on this path I tread.

- Curt Schalchlin, Winemaker

## TASTING NOTES

Your fingers are intertwined as the wind brushes across the golden bluff. Breathing deeply, you take it all in. <code>[asmine]</code>, honeysuckle and the remnants of your long awaited outing alfresco - <code>donut peaches</code> & freshly whipped vanilla cream, sweet white corn, <code>buttered</code> and <code>salted</code> sourdough, orange pith. Not wanting it to end you share the last <code>goat's milk caramel</code> and with it you sense the salinity of the waves crashing on the rocks below. The flavor lingers as you close your eyes, willing the moment not to end.





