



# GROUNDWORK

## technical info

<b>VARIETAL</b> viognier	<b>VINTAGE</b> 2019	<b>APPELLATION</b> santa barbara county
<b>PRODUCTION</b> 168 cases	<b>ALCOHOL</b> 12% by volume	<b>RELEASE DATE</b> september 1, 2020
<b>VINEYARD</b>	white hawk	
<b>FERMENTATION</b>	60% in stainless steel, 40% in neutral french oak on the lees	
<b>AGING</b>	10 months on the lees	
<b>SERVING RECOMMENDATION</b>	chill 15-20 minutes in the fridge, pull the cork and quaff. cheers!	

## the time shifter.

This Viognier is my paradise, my own endless summer.  
She is everything and everywhere I wish to be.  
She is the one dreams are made of...

## tasting notes

lemon zest, fresh linens, nectarine,  
flowering thyme, salt stone

## about groundwork

Groundwork is all about the fundamentals. Putting to use the empirical knowledge he has gained from making wine for his first label, Sans Liege Wines, Curt Schalchlin seeks to bring his experience to a new set of wines that embrace the soul and simple living of the Rhône. Groundwork is built upon Curt's comfort and confidence as a winemaker, instructing him to trust in the fruit, the vineyards, and his own rich experience as guides.