

Vintage: 2009

Varietal: 42% Grenache, 31% Syrah, 25%

**Mourvedre and 2% Viognier** 

Appellation: Santa Barbara County

<u>Vineyards:</u> Santa Barbara Highlands, Alta

Mesa, Los Tres Burros, Larner, Rancho Arroyo

**Grande, Bien Nacido, Derby, Alta Colina** 

Alc: 15.6%

Oak: 14% new oak, 23% second fill oak,

**63% neutral oak; all French** 

Time in Barrel: 22 months

Fermentation: 15% whole cluster

Aging Potential: 6-10 years

Production: 67 barrels

Serving Recommendation:

Decant for 2 hours and serve just below room temperature.

Handmade by Curt Schalchlin, the owner and winemaker of Sans Liege Wines. After several years learning from and working for some of the Central Coast's most sought-after producers, Curt decided to go his own way. Sans Liege is an expression of his distinctive approach to winemaking. This release is comprised of five wines originating in a handful of the Central Coast's most up-and-coming





Always complex and skewed towards
the dark and earthen, this vintage
of The Offering shows aromas of spicy
charred sausage, blackberries, caramel
bar, espresso roast, toasted hazelnuts
and saddle leather. Additional flavors
of raspberry coulis, warmed bay
leaf, black licorice, chili
powder and pink peppercorns
join to make a complex wine,
spanning the diversity of
flavors from both the Northern
and Southern Rhone Valley.

# OVERVIEW

### 1. Rustic

(bold in fruit, rich in earthiness)

#### 2. Diverse

(fruit from warm and cold climates)

## 3. Provencal

(inspired by Southern France)

#### 4. Bold

/ , (a muscular wine)

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