

JONATA

BALLARD CANYON, SANTA YNEZ VALLEY

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2022 LA SANGRE DE JONATA SYRAH

“The Blood”

WINEMAKER NOTES

As always, our most perfumed and provocative wine from the lineup. Thrilling push of sweet, dark fruit. Herbs, spices, and cured meats. Still very fruit dominant (as one would hope), but with such a future ahead. Dark and brooding with 2022 vintage fruit intensity and length. Open and full of pleasure today, but definitely one for the cellar (if you have the patience!). So much to unlock with this young Syrah. Excited to revisit this wine as it reminds me of the 2005 in its youth. So much dry extract, but still hydrated and vibrant. Cacao nibs and espresso ground finish.

- Winemaker, Matt Dees



TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Cases: 293

Blend:

95% Syrah, 3% Petite Sirah, 2% Viognier

Alcohol: 14.5%

Appellation: Ballard Canyon, Santa Ynez Valley

Barrel Regime: 20 months in 35% new French oak,
65% neutral French oak

ACCOLADES

97 POINTS July 2024

Antonio Galloni

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