

2003 Carr Pinot Noir  
Ashley's Vineyard, Sta. Rita Hills



VINTAGE:	2003
APPELLATION:	Sta. Rita Hills
COMPOSITION:	100% Pinot Noir Clones: Pommard
PRODUCTION:	100 Cases
VINEYARD:	Ashley's Vineyard (currently known as Lindsay's Vineyard) is a 200-acre vineyard in the western end of the Sta. Rita Hills appellation. It is located 10 miles from the Pacific Ocean and is comprised of gently sloping hillsides and sandy loam soils. It was planted in 1998 with 150 acres of Pinot Noir. The remaining 50 acres are planted with Chardonnay, Pinot Blanc, Pinot Gris and Syrah.
WINEMAKING:	This wine was aged for 12 months in French oak barrels.
TASTING NOTES:	This Pinot Noir has a dark cherry color with an earthy aroma that is followed by a crisp round mouth feel and a soft delicate finish.
SCORES:	<b>Wine Enthusiast - 90 points</b>