

# *2021 Carr Whole Cluster Grenache*

Kærskov Vineyard, Los Olivos District



VINTAGE: 2021

APPELLATION: Los Olivos District

COMPOSITION: 100% Grenache, Clone: Grenache Noir

PRODUCTION: 99 cases produced

VINEYARD: Kærskov Vineyard was planted in 2014 by Ryan Carr. This vineyard was planted 6'x3' making it 2420 vines per acre "high-density". This site is in the center of the Santa Ynez Valley in the Los Olivos District AVA. This section of the AVA is perfect for growing the Rhone varietals. The soil is a nice mix of clay-lome and river stone, which creates great drainage with rich nutrients.

WINEMAKING: The grapes are delicately hand rolled, with the stems left on. This process allows the vibrant, naturally present flavors to be gently extracted from the heart of the grapes. It is then aged 18 months in neutral French oak barrels.

TASTING NOTES: This Grenache opens with a bold ruby color. The nose highlights a strong tea spice and woody notes while the palate invites tobacco, clove, leather, and plum. It's medium acidity balances nicely with the medium tannins, showing off it's roots of a whole cluster fermentation. Walking the line of stem inclusive earthiness and bright spice of the grape, this wine is ever evolving, even after the last sip.

RETAIL PRICE: \$60.00