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Buena Vista Winery

VINICULTURAL SOCIETY

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The Buena Vista Vinicultural Society, formed in 1863 by the winery's founder, Count Agoston Haraszthy to further improve its winemaking prowess and expand its vineyards, has been restored as a collection of unique small-production wines that honor the winery's pioneering spirit and contribution to California winemaking.

The Vinicultural Society explores clonal selections, varietals and the incredible terroir of Sonoma County. In keeping with the adventurous spirit of Buena Vista's founding, we are proud to bring you this delicious 2018 Grenache, a late ripening varietal that originates from Spain.

The grapes were harvested predominantly from the Haas Vineyard in the early morning of October 17th-October 22nd to ensure they retained their maximum freshness. The wine was then fermented in open-top fermenters in the caves of the historic Buena Vista Winery with hand punch-downs that provided a gentle extraction for a healthy fermentation before being aged for 9 months in 100% French oak.

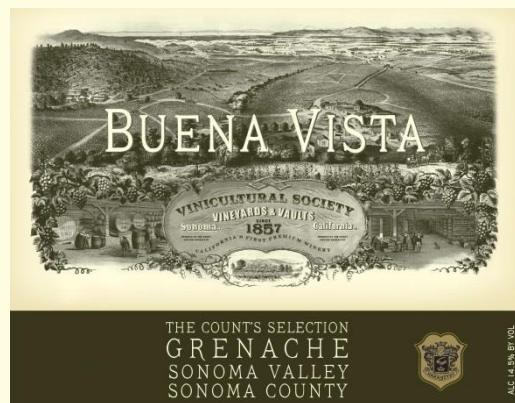
Our 2018 Count's Selection Grenache opens with aromas of strawberries, raspberries and bright red cherries. On the palate this wine is bursting with flavors of pomegranate and red currant notes layered upon dark chocolate nuances. This is a medium bodied wine with moderate acidity and tannins which provide a long lingering finish.

Alcohol: 15.5%

pH: 3.40

Total Acidity: 6.0

Aging: 100% French oak, 30% new oak



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