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# Buena Vista Winery

## VINICULTURAL SOCIETY

2017  
GRENACHE  
SONOMA COUNTY

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 2017 Grenache, a late ripening varietal that originates from Spain.

The grapes were harvested from vineyards within Sonoma County in the early morning of October 5 and 7 to ensure they retained their maximum freshness. The wine was 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 nine months in 100% French and Hungarian oak barrels.

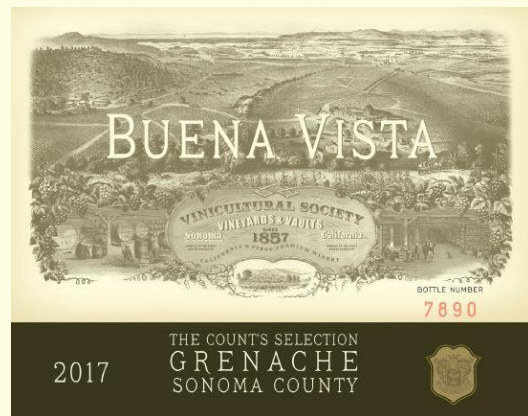
Our 2017 Count's Selection Grenache opens with red fruit aromas of raspberry and strawberry that continue through to the palate with rich jammy fruit flavors. Notes of cocoa powder and baker's chocolate mixed with tart cherry and a touch of leather coat the mid-palate with a silky texture and soft, rich finish.

Alcohol: 15.5%

pH: 3.58

Total Acidity: 5.6

Aging: 9 months, 100% French and Hungarian oak barrels, 30% new oak



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