Ernest Vineyards

Henry David Vineyard Aligoté 2019

Bennett Valley

The Aviator

THE VINEYARD: Sourced from the 18-acre Henry David Vineyard in Sonoma County's Bennett Valley appellation, this small planting of Aligoté, less than one acre, is known to be perhaps only the third after Josh Jensen's Mt. Harlan Vineyard.

LABEL STORY: The natural world of the Midwest viewed from high above was a special privilege shared with Joseph by his pilot father. The Aviator honors the technical discipline and focus required to enjoy inspiring beauty as it unfolds on a grass runway and takes you to reaches far beyond.

TASTING NOTES: Bright and clear, hinting at white gold in color, with an exuberant nose of orchard blossoms, Meyer lemon, and abundant minerality. Refreshingly light on the palate with citrus, textural apple, a hint of fresh herbs and bright acidity.

AGING: NEUTRAL FRENCH OAK

CASES PRODUCED: 135 ALC. BY VOL: 11.5%

