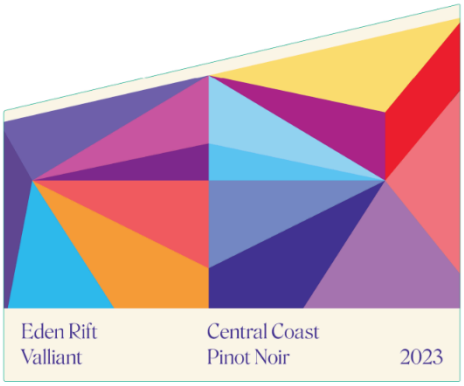
EDEN RIFT

2023 VALLIANT PINOT NOIR
CENTRAL COAST



Under vine since 1849, Eden Rift's mountain vineyard was farmed by the Valliant family during the 1930s and 1940s. The Valliant wines pay tribute to their pioneering spirit and reflect a continuum of enological efforts along California's dramatic Central Coast - terrain featuring coastal mountains, situated atop the Pacific Plate, a tectonic plate of lifted seabed, along the Golden State coastline.

VINEYARD NOTES

Sourced exclusively from Eden Rift Vineyards in the Gavilan mountains, 20 miles from Monterey Bay, this wine in the 2023 vintage is primarily composed of “Dijon” clones - 115, 777 & 667 with small additions of heritage clones on site.

CELLAR NOTES

Vinified in separate lots, all the fruit was gently crushed, de-stemmed, and fermented in open-top tanks on native yeasts. Once pressed, the wine was transferred to French oak barrels from assorted coopers. Ultimately, the wine was barrel aged for eleven months before being bottled.

WINEMAKER NOTES

Valliant Pinot Noir is made with the same authenticity, simplicity, and raw perseverance as Eden Rift. The wines are romantic and honest, just like the families that have farmed this estate over generations. The 2023 vintage showcases bright acidity and balanced structure. Soft and silky in texture, it is an approachable wine with classic cherry pit, savory, brambleberry, cherry and plum with a refined finish.

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HARVEST DATA

Harvest Date	September 5-17, 2022
Blocks	Blocks E&M (777), D&L (115), I (667)
Brix	22.8-25.5

WINE DATA

Composition	100% Pinot Noir 25% M Block, 24% E Block, 22% D Block, 19% I Block, 10% L Block
Fermentation	14 days, 2 - 5 ton stainless open-tops
Aging	11 months in neutral oak barrels
RS	<0.1 g/L
ML	<0.05 g/L
ALC	13.9%
Bottling Date	September 5th, 2023
Case Production	2025 cases
Retail Price:	$25

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