Le Vigne Winery

Estate Series

2019 Nikiara

Bordeaux-Style Blend

100% Acquarello Estate Vineyard

Technical Information

Composition:	65% Cabernet Sauvignon, 13% Merlot, 12% Cabernet Franc, 10% Petit Verdot
Appellation:	Paso Robles
Alcohol:	14.1% ABV
Residual Sugar:	0.21 g/L
Case Production:	1013 cases bottled on December 7,2021
Aging:	25 months in New French and American oak

Tasting Notes

On the nose hints of black currant and blueberry lead into cedar, cardamom, and turmeric aromas. A full-bodied mouthfeel that has rich fruit notes of fresh black cherry and plum that finish with pistachio and baking spice flavors.

Winemaker's Production Notes

Nikiara is Le Vigne Winery's flagship wine, whose namesake is a combination of names "Niki" and "Kiara", the two children of Owners Walter and Sylvia Filippini. This blend showcases the influence of Paso Robles terroir on the renowned structure and flavor of its constituent Bordeaux varieties. Structural tannins are ample, yet surprisingly smooth in the wine's youth, due to the strong diurnal temperature swing at our Acquarello estate vineyard where this blend was grown.

Accolades

98 Points, Best of Class: California Mid-State Fair
94 Points: Critic's Challenge, International Wine Competition
92 Points: Los Angeles Invitational Wine Challenge
92 Points: Vinous
91 Points: Wine Enthusiast

Suggested Food Pairing

Grilled Rack of Lamb

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