2017 SYRAH BIEN NACIDO SANTA MARIA VALLEY

Bien Nacido is the original cool-climate Syrah at The Ojai Vineyard, and we'll never tire of the wild, earthy exuberance that Syrah shows here. This 2017 bottling is another classic example. The aromas show gorgeous florality; the outer layers are effusive with violets and dark rose. Underneath there's a dark, rich fruitinesspeppery notes of black cherries and plum-with complex aromas of smoked meats, forest floor and dried herbs.

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