THE OJAI VINEYARD

2019 PINOT NOIR FE CIEGA Sta. Rita Hills

Initially you find that earthy propensity of this vineyard, with scents of warm earth. iron and rosemary. Then notes of ripe cherries and berries gain exuberance in the glass, melding into a complex tapestry of cola, flowers and Asian spices. It hits the palate with deliciously glossy texture that imparts rich flavors of red plums and cherry, while streaks of pomegranate and salty minerality preserve a fresh tilt.

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