2018 GRENACHE JOHN SEBASTIANO VINEYARD Sta. Rita Hills

On the eastern edge of Sta. Rita Hills, Grenache struggles to ripen with the coastal wind that scours these slopes. This gives Grenache with knockout spicy fruit, but with a feel more in tune with Pinot Noir than Syrah. It's supple and easy-going, with subtle earthy charm. It can be paired with most of what you can pair Pinot Noir with but also with things a bit intense for pinot, like al pastor or jambalaya.

93 POINTS, WINE ADVOCATE

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