THE OJAI VINEYARD

2022 PINOT NOIR FE CIEGA, 'DEVOTO'

STA. RITA HILLS

Devoto showcases the earthy gravitas that Pinot Noir can provide when grown in select patches of the Sta. Rita Hills. Fe Ciega's terroir can always offer fruit, but its signature thing is an exotic and savory seriousness. The wine moves across the palate with broad curves, with sweet rhubarb and glossy red fruits girded by tanning that evoke resinous spice pods. Freshness builds in the back end before gentle notes of coffee, iron and woody herbs lace the long finish.