

2018 VERVE



Grenache
PetitVerdot
Roussanne

VITALS

Varietals	Grenache 80%, Petit Verdot 20%, Roussanne 8%
Vineyards	Watch Hill, Two Wolves
Alcohol	13.7%
Barrels / Coopers	500L Puncheon, 300L cigar barrels (all seasoned French oak)
Barrel Aging	25 months
Rackings	Two
Filtering / Fining	None
Bottled	February 2021
Production	150 cases
Total Sulfur at bottling	<70ppm
Release	Fall 2021
Winery Retail	\$90
WA	96
Vinous	93

NOTES

I love how the mysterious charm of Watch Hill Grenache meets us from the glass with a deep, fresh florally, and combines seamlessly with Two Wolves Vineyard Petit Verdot's dark masculinity and the lovely generosity of Roussanne from Watch Hill, to envelope your palate with a silky, warm embrace. This edition of Verve is like a stroll on a chilly fall night wearing a cashmere sweater, that favorite pair of jeans and well-cared-for boots. The starry night smells both fresh and of earth and damp leaves from the summer gone by; the way everything wraps around you feels splendid.

Food: Probably some roasted root vegetables and a smoky frittata, or chicken paillard with an herb-centric salad

Music: Sweet Pea, Miles Davis; Summer Song (Diamond D Remix), Ronnie Jordan; To You, BadBadNotGood; Rainbow Conversation, Stereolab; Babylon Sisters, Steely Dan; Wub Nat, Girma Beyene; Boplicity, Miles Davis