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# PINOT NOIR

2017 CALIFORNIA REPUBLIC

## ★ WINE SO GOOD, IT'S A STEAL ★

The Three Thieves believe that great wine is not a pleasure reserved for kings, but rather a privilege of life—something for everyone to enjoy. So they scour the globe to find the very best wines the world has to offer, then bring it back to share at a fair and honest price. These ‘Liberators of Fine Wines’ are delighted to present their latest score: a silky-smooth Pinot Noir.



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## ★ WINEMAKING ★

The Thieves believe that a great Pinot Noir is a reward unto itself. To craft a wine that showcases the varietal’s most beautiful qualities, the wine is gently fermented and infused with a touch of French and American oak to lend body and support to the bright cherry and berry flavors. For additional structure, a small amount of Syrah and Petite Sirah were included in the blend.

## ★ WINEMAKER'S NOTES ★

Beautiful violet and fresh cherry aromas lead to raspberry and juicy cherry flavors with hints of berry jam and toasty oak on the palate. This medium-bodied Pinot Noir is a generous, fruity wine with a silky texture balanced by mouthwatering acidity—it’s the kind of wine that can turn a rough, rugged Thief into a gentleman.

### COMPOSITION

76% Pinot Noir  
16% Syrah  
8% Petite Verdot

### APPELLATION INFORMATION

CALIFORNIA  
40% Central Coast  
60% Lodi/Clarksburg

### WINEMAKING INFORMATION

Infused with French and American oak;  
Good medium-weighted palate with  
strong varietal berry and cherry fruit,  
violets and toasty oak flavors.

### ANALYSIS

Alcohol - 13.80% | TA - 0.55 g/100ml  
pH - 3.59 | RS - 0.25 g/100ml



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