# Sans Liege Wines CÔTES-du-COAST



# TECHNICAL INFO

VINTAGE: 2022

**VARIETAL:** 47% Viognier,

18% Marsanne, 15% Grenache Blanc,

14% Roussanne, 6% Clairette

**APPELLATION:** Central Coast

VINEYARDS: White Hawk, Bien Nacido, Kopack, Alta Colina,

Melange Du Rhone

**ALC:** 13.7%

**FERMENTATION:** Fermented on the lees

in French oak & stainless steel

FRENCH OAK: 10% new, 43% second-fill,

47% neutral

**ELEVAGE:** 7 months

**PRODUCTION:** 25 barrels

**AGING POTENTIAL:** 4-6 years

**RELEASE DATE:** May 12, 2023

### **SERVING RECOMMENDATION:**

Chill slightly 10-15 minutes in the refrigerator, pull the cork and enjoy! A treasure holds no value until it has been fought for. Aspiring to create a worthy homage to something precious and revered, I sourced the hillsides to find the vines for this Cotes-du-Coast. I take no credit for the soul of this wine. Its lineage is ancient; its roots, deep.

## **ABOUT SANS LIEGE**

Sans Liege is my relentless search for independence. Equally aligned with the freedoms of the New World and the heritage of the Rhône Valley, I am careful not to hold too closely to either. Tending fruit in vineyards that have captured my heart from Paso Robles down to Solvang, these sites speak for me and I for them; the only partners now on this path I tread.

- Curt Schalchlin, Winemaker

# TASTING NOTES

The afternoon was filled with books & a picnic in the seaside meadow. Satiated by quince & warm buttered sourdough sprinkled with fleur de sel - honeycomb, apricots & marcona almonds, you must have dozed off. You hear a gentle breeze rustling pages nearby and lift your head. The air smells of lime zest and the golden hued strawflowers which surround you.





