

NUTS & BOLTS

2016
SYRAH

Varietals:
100% Syrah

Appellation:
California

Vineyards:
White Hawk, Slide Hill,
Jespersen, Luna Matta, Chelle
Mountain, Murmur, Shadow
Canyon, Presqu'île

Production:
900 cases made

Oak:
80% New French Oak

Time in Barrel:
18 months

Alcohol:
15.8 %

Cellar potential:
7 years

Release date:
March 10, 2018

ABOUT

Proprietor and winemaker Russell P. From began Herman Story Wines in 2001 with 7 barrels stashed in his employer's cellar. What started as a modest homage to his rancher grandfather has become a beacon to those seeking opulent, structured Syrah and Grenache. To maintain balance while giving flavor full stage, Russell works with 30 top-tier vineyards in over 7 distinct growing regions between Santa Barbara and Paso Robles. Vineyards of particular note include: Bien Nacido, Slide Hill, Larner, Shadow Canyon, Chelle Mountain, Luna Matta and White Hawk. These are no nonsense, balls to the walls wines that are not for the faint of heart or the pinky raising set.

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TASTING NOTES

At last, the guitar is yours. Its velvet lined case contains the spirits of 1000 shows: fine Cuban Anejo rum, black cherry coke, Connecticut wrapped Gurkha Beauties, motor oil and chicory coffee. In your hands the guitar unleashes a series of riffs that rip like a ¼ mile drag race on cherry tarmac. This thing destroys, like a dragon breathing fire on a California hillside. Outside the garage, a crowd has gathered, they build a funeral pyre and offer up baskets of fresh cherries as you strike one more chord and melt the iron shackles holding the maidens.

NOTES

For many, Nuts & Bolts functions as the Herman Story Gateway Drug. Each vintage delivers a Syrah of exceptional structure, body and power. Nuts & Bolts is built of the most opulent, expressive Syrah barrels in the cellar.

SERVING

Temperature: 65° F
Decant: 30 minutes

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