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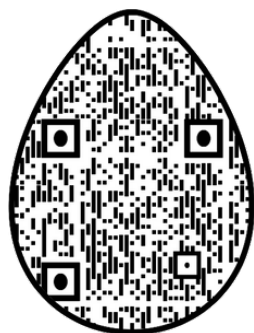


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2022 Cracked Egg Viognier Amador County



Story & Label Info



Blend: 100% Viognier

Vineyards: We brought in the 2022 grapes around 22.0 brix from the Karmere Vineyards, a neighboring vineyard, noteworthy for Viognier grapes. The block used for the 2021 Viognier is a younger vineyard and produces fruitful flavors.

Winemaking & Aging: The 2022 Cracked Egg Viognier was fermented & aged in our 4-ton concrete egg! The concrete eggs are unique for fermenting & aging. Designed to allow for micro-oxygenation integration with the wine. This provides a smoother palate, and "minerality" to the vintage. Interaction with the tank is greater than stainless, and the Viognier shows all the positives with this modern approach.

pH: 3.62

TA: 6.1

ABV: 13.7%

Harvest Date: 8/30/2022

Cases Produced: 170

Tasting Notes: Mmmm, from start to finish. The nose is full of vanilla and honeysuckle aromas, promising beautiful things to come. The wine does not disappoint. The mouthfeel is luxurious and silken. The flavors develop immediately upon the first taste and continue growing across the palate. The acid is just perfect; a little tang but not overly done. This is one to savor.

Pairing Suggestions: Soft cheeses, Shrimp, Salmon, Chicken dishes, pad Thai, and lobster

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