

# Lieu Dit



Cabernet Franc  
2016

Santa Ynez Valley

**Vineyard Sources:**

Happy Canyon Vineyard

**Alcohol by Volume:** 13.5%

**Harvest Date:** September 2016

**Cooperage:** Neutral French Oak (5+ year old)

**Bottled:** June 2017

Fermented using native yeast. Once dry, we rack the juice and press off the whole cluster lots. The wine is transferred to neutral oak barrels for the winter. Once malo is complete we transfer to tank prior to bottling.

**Antonio Galloni / VINOUS - 93+ points**

The 2016 Cabernet Franc is a powerful, tightly wound wine. Next to the Sans Soufre version, the straight Cabernet Franc naturally comes across as a bit constricted, but it has plenty of depth and fruit lying in reserve and waiting to emerge. The flavors are dark and intense, with attractive floral and savory overtones laced throughout. Readers should be prepared to cellar the 2016 for another year or two.

SRP: \$30.00/bottle

Cases Produced: 592 cases