

2007 Tasting Notes

Terry Hoage Vineyards Skins Grenache Paso Robles 2007

Deliciously complex, rich and layered with ripe dark berry fruit built around plum, that is elegant and spicy with a touch of sweet vanilla. A fuller bodied velvety mouthcoating Grenache that is concentrated without being heavy. 90% Grenache, 10% Syrah. 315 cases produced.

Terry Hoage Vineyards The Pick Cuvee Paso Robles 2007

Bright fruit of wild blackberry with cranberry notes that are vivid and youthful, yet intense and focused, herb de Provence, white peppery spice, earthy mushroom fill the palette. Finishes long and persistent with forest mushrooms, spice and smoky toast. 54% Grenache, 23% Syrah, 15% Mourvedre and 8% Counoise. 310 cases produced.

Terry Hoage Vineyards The 46 Grenache-Syrah Paso Robles 2007

Has amazing fruit purity and range of flavors, from freshly picked blackberries and ripe plums, kirsch, mineral, *spice* and earthy truffle. Graceful mouthfeel with velvety tannins on the intense lingering finish that has a touch of bittersweet chocolate and just the right amount of acidity to carry the long finish. 50% Grenache 50% Syrah. 485 cases produced.

Terry Hoage Vineyards The Hedge Syrah Paso Robles 2007

Pure ripe chunky fruit with boysenberry, ripe black cherry, and wild blackberry. Layered with Vosges chocolate and dried black fig, and nuances of sweet tobacco, loamy earth, and perfumed purple violets. Finishes with pure fruit and spicy licorice. Firm tannins mellow with airing. Long and lingering finish. 100% Syrah. 405 cases produced.

Terry Hoage Vineyards 5 Blocks Cuvee Paso Robles 2007

Uncommon depth and concentration of huge blackberry, huckleberry and cassis with subtle notes of smoke and creamy stewed caramelized morel mushroom. This lovely blend is fleshy and concentrated with long spicy pepper and anise finish. Firm ripe tannins will further smooth with cellaring. 57% Syrah, 29% Grenache, 7% Mourvedre and 7% Cinsault. 365 cases produced