

EBERLE WINERY

WINE ENTHUSIAST

EDITOR'S CHOICE

93 POINTS

2021 EBERLE CÔTES-DU-RÔBLES

RHÔNE-STYLE RED BLEND

This is a very fresh style of this annual blend, with this vintage featuring 54% Grenache, 38% Mourvèdre and 8% Syrah. Aromas of berry, watermelon and dark spices on the nose drop into a tense, chalky palate, loaded with juicy berry bubblegum and intense peppery spice flavors.

Drink now. MATT KETTMANN July 2023

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2021 EBERLE ZINFANDEL

From this storied producer comes a newer, fresh style of Zinfandel, sources from three vineyards. Aromas of blackberry jam, wet stone and cracked pepper make for a complex nose. The palate is tense in structure, with creamy flavors of boysenberry and more peppery spice.

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2022 EBERLE CÔTES-DU-RÔBLES ROSE

Rounded aromas of bubblegum and orange cream make for a plush nose on this blend of 87% Grenache, 10% Syrah and 3% Viognier. The palate shows a stony minerality that balances the citrus and stone-fruit flavors.

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2020 EBERLE SYRAH

STEINBECK VINEYARD

Wood spice, blackberry sauce and charred herb aromas make for an attention-grabbing nose on this bottling from nationwide Syrah pioneer Gary Eberle. Dark cocoa, blistered berry and charred coffee bean complete the savory show on the palate.

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2019 EBERLE ESTATE

CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Gary Eberle's Clone 6 is the foundation for this flowery, concentrated, 22-month French oak-aged estate red. Lilacs and lavender surround dark plum on the nose. The flavors are concentrated, as blackberry engages with a string of earthy, savory notes. Black olive, coffee with slathered slate in dark chocolate are remarkable on the palate. Floral notes continue to deliver a rush of flavor on the finish. Wow.

This is a classic.



BEST VIOGNIER/PLATINUM MEDAL

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2021 EBERLE ESTATE VIOGNIER

An expressive wine with a lively nose and briny acidity. Honeydew, tangerine, kiwi, lichi, and jasmine.

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2021 CÔTES-DU-RÔBLES BLANC

This blend of 65% Roussanne, 20% Grenache Blanc and 15% Viognier is always a bold and ripe Rhône showcase. Aromas of candied peach, cantaloupe, honeydew and plumeria lead from the nose into a palate dripping with peach cobbler and more tropical flower flavors, staying clean and fresh into the finish. MATT KETTMANN

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2021 EBERLE ESTATE CHARDONNAY

This is a solid Chardonnay for the warmer Paso Robles climate. Aromas of yellow flower and lemon play against sharper lines of grapefruit and chalk on the nose. The palate is tightly wound and brisk with acidity, showing chalk, nut, lemon and shiso-leaf flavors.

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