# LA VOIX WINERY

"PLEASURE AND ACTION MAKE THE HOURS SEEM SHORT."

## THE WINE

VINEYARD: Kessler-Haak Vineyard FERMENTATION: Partial whole cluster AGING LENGTH: 16 months in barrel OAK: Mostly neutral oak/native yeast QUANTITIES: 700 cases produced

#### WINEMAKER NOTES

"Satisfaction" is from the Kessler-Haak Vineyard located on the western side of the Sta. Rita Hills appellation. The grapes were harvested during the cool early morning hours and brought to the winery in the early morning hours.

This wine is a combination of 113, 115, 667 and 777 "Dijon" clones. The grapes were fermented in open-top fermenters and held for 32 days including extended maceration. 10% whole cluster fruit was employed. Gently pressed directly to barrel, the wine aged in French oak for 16 months. 10 percent new barrels were used.

"Satisfaction" is an aromatic and feminine-style Pinot that is fruit-driven with notes of orange rind and spice on the nose. Flavors of soft cola and plum on the palate linger with a peppery finish.

# **MUSICAL NOTES**

"This expression of Pinot Noir seems to give everything that one would expect from Sta. Rita Hills. Purity of fruit, wild strawberry, elegance, bright lively mouthfeel. It brings so much Satisfaction!

But . . . there's so much more to come..." - Steve Clifton

### **ARTIST NOTES**

Like the juicy pulp of a blood orange or the slip of a silk scarf across the skin, the artwork for "Satisfaction" evokes subconscious movement based on the feeling of the song: the baseline, the guitar riffs, and Jagger's voice. The sexy undertone of the lyrics is hinted at in the negative space of the piece, while the linework remains soft and fluid in reference to the wine's flavor profile.

**VINTAGE** : 2013

# "SATISFACTION"

STA. RITA HILLS - PINOT NOIR



92 points, *Vinous* 94 points, *Wine Enthusiast* 90+ points, *Wine Advocate*