

GAINNEY

VINEYARD

2019 LIMITED SELECTION SYRAH

WINE NOTES

A blend of fruit from our Home Ranch and Evan's Ranch vineyards, our *Limited Selection* Syrah offers fascinating, complex aromas of ripe plum, dark cherry, blackberry. These are mingled with savory roasted earth scents, dark chocolate, black licorice and white pepper. The full-bodied palate delivers dense, juicy, mouthfilling black fruit flavors – primarily dark plum, blackberry and boysenberry – framed by sturdy, but supple tannins and culminating in a long, savory finish. This blend brings out the best of Santa Ynez Valley, combining both warmer Home Ranch and the cooler Santa Rita Hills Evan's Ranch fruit. Sumptuous and beautifully structured, this Syrah is delicious now with hearty stews and beef, lamb and game dishes, but it will develop further complexity with another 3-5 years of bottle age.

HARVEST DATES: October 2nd through October 24th, 2019
COMPOSITION: 100% Gainey Vineyard Syrah: 71% Home Ranch, 29% Evan's Ranch
FERMENTATION: Small open-top tanks with daily punch downs; 12-day maceration
BARREL AGING: 14 months in 32% new French oak
BOTTLED: March 5th, 2021
ALC: 14.2%
TA: 0.60 g/100ml
PH: 3.55

