



TECHNICAL NOTES 2018-2017 VINTAGE

In the 2017s are the perfect proof that big wine in terms of concentration doesn't necessarily mean the best wine. They are a touch less dense (but still big) than the 2016s with a lot of balance and elegance. In other words, I would describe my 2017 as "classic". There is a lot of fruit, a lot of pleasure and while the wines are firm, they are also quite silky. The 2017s are super expressive and very distinct, and while they are already approachable I can only imagine what a few more years in bottle will do - Stephan Asseo

L' AVENTURE ESTATE ROSÉ 2018 | RELEASED JANUARY 2019 | RETAIL PRICE: \$32.00 | AVAILABLE IN MAGNUMS

40% Syrah, 25% Grenache, 24% Mourvèdre, 8% Petit Verdot, 3% Graciano
100% Estate grown fruit from L' Aventure Vineyard
Very long and cool (15 C) alcoholic fermentation
No skin contact
No malolactic fermentation
No barrel fermentation, 100% tank fermentation
Drink: 1- 2 years

L' AVENTURE ESTATE CUVÉE BLANC 2018 | RELEASED MARCH 2019 | RETAIL PRICE: \$60.00 | WINE CLUB ONLY

42% Roussanne, 33% Grenache Blanc, 25% Viognier
100% Estate grown fruit from L' Aventure Vineyard
Very low yield: Less than 1 ton per acre for this vintage
Fermentation in barrels with 35% new French oak, 30% 1-year old French oak, 15% 2-year old French oak, 20% stainless
No malolactic fermentation
Length of aging: 8 months
Drink: 2-6 years

L' AVENTURE ESTATE OPTIMUS 2017 | RELEASED MARCH 2019 | RETAIL PRICE: \$56.00 | AVAILABLE IN MAGNUMS

49% Syrah, 41% Cabernet Sauvignon, 10% Petit Verdot
100% Estate grown fruit from L' Aventure Vineyard
Very low yield: 2.5 tons per acre
60% new French oak and 40% 1-year old French oak with malolactic fermentation in barrel
No fining, no filtering
Length of aging: 14 months
Drink: 1-10 years

L'AVENTURE ESTATE CUVÉE 2017 | RELEASED MARCH 2019 | RETAIL PRICE: \$108.00 | AVAILABLE IN MAGNUMS

49% Syrah, 30% Cabernet Sauvignon, 21% Petit Verdot
100% Estate grown fruit from L'Aventure Vineyard
Very low yield: 1.5 to 2 tons per acre (with 2100 vines per acre)
90% new French oak and 10% 1-year old French oak with malolactic fermentation in barrel
No fining, no filtering
Length of aging: 15 months
Drink: 15+ years

L'AVENTURE CÔTE À CÔTE 2017 | RELEASED MARCH 2019 | RETAIL PRICE: \$98.00 | AVAILABLE IN MAGNUMS

48% Grenache, 32% Mourvèdre, 20% Syrah
100% Estate grown fruit from L'Aventure Vineyard
Very, very low yield: 1 ton per acre for Mourvedre, 2 tons per acre for Grenache and Syrah (with 2100 vines per acre)
30% new French oak, 38% 1-year old French oak, 26% concrete tank and 6% amphora
No fining, no filtering
Length of aging: 14 months
Drink: 15+ years

L'AVENTURE LES DEMOISELLES 2017 | RELEASED MARCH 2019 | RETAIL PRICE: \$84.00 | **WINE CLUB ONLY**

70% Mourvèdre, 20% Syrah, 10% Grenache
100% Estate grown fruit from L'Aventure Vineyard
Very low yield
40% new French oak, 60% 1-year old French oak
No fining, no filtering
Length of aging: 14 months
Drink: 10-15+ years

L'AVENTURE SIBLING 2017 | RELEASED MARCH 2019 | RETAIL PRICE: \$80.00 | **WINE CLUB ONLY**

37% Grenache, 33% Mourvèdre, 30% Syrah
100% Estate grown fruit from L'Aventure Vineyard
Very low yield
45% concrete tank, 30% new French oak and 25% 1-year old French oak with malolactic fermentation in barrel
No fining, no filtering
Length of aging: 14 months
Drink: 2-10 years

L'AVENTURE INSPIRACIÓN 2017 | RELEASED MARCH 2019 | RETAIL PRICE: \$84.00 | **WINE CLUB ONLY**

44% Grenache, 30% Cabernet Sauvignon, 22% Syrah, 4% Grenache Blanc - co-fermented
100% Estate grown fruit from L'Aventure Vineyard
Very low yield
40% new French oak, 40% 1-year old French oak and 20% amphora
No fining, no filtering
Length of aging: 14 months
Drink: 10-15+ years

L' AVENTURE CHLOÉ 2017 | RELEASED FALL 2019 | RETAIL PRICE: \$104.00 | **WINE CLUB ONLY**

74% Syrah Block McVey, 18% Old Grenache Block, 5% Viognier, 3% Graciano - co-fermented
100% Estate grown fruit from L' Aventure Vineyard
Very low yield
40% new French oak and 60% 1-year old French oak with malolactic fermentation in barrel
No fining, no filtering
Length of aging: 14 months
Drink: 10-15+ years

L' AVENTURE FOR HER 2017 | RELEASED FALL 2019 | RETAIL PRICE: \$104.00 | **WINE CLUB ONLY**

54% Syrah Hill Top Block, 32% Graciano, 14% Viognier - co-fermented
100% Estate grown fruit from L' Aventure Vineyard
Very low yield
40% new French oak and 60% 1-year old French oak with malolactic fermentation in barrel
No fining, no filtering
Length of aging: 14 months
Drink: 10-15+ years