



## 2019 Grenache Noir, Sierra Foothills – Naggjar Vyd.



**Varietal:** 100% Grenache

**Sierra Foothills, AVA**

A new vineyard source for me in 2019, I give you my first foray into the Sierra Foothills with this showing from the Naggjar Vineyard. Nestled in rolling hills north west of Placerville in Nevada County, this vineyard is at almost 3000 feet in elevation and covered in red, iron rich soils and decomposed granite. Making for a structured wine that is tight upon opening but slowly opens to intriguing aromas of black raspberries, orange blossom, cassis and nutmeg with a subtle earthy character and hints of herbes de Provence. On the palate, flavors of black cherries, ripe raspberries and blackberries and a hint of chocolate lead to a creamy, sensuous mouthfeel and genuinely long finish.

**Production:** Only 65 cases made.