

KOSTA BROWNE

2016 Russian River Valley Pinot Noir Keeper Ranch

93

Points

An outstanding wine of exceptional complexity and character. In short, these are terrific wines

“Aged 16 months in 46% new French oak, the 2016 Pinot Noir Keeper Ranch is pale to medium ruby with scents of violet, lilac, pink peppercorn, crushed raspberries and red cherry preserves with blood orange peel, forest floor and bitters. The palate is medium-bodied, über silky and explodes with spicy red berry flavors, wrapped in a softly grainy frame and with seamless freshness on the long, spicy finish.”

- Erin Brooks, *The Wine Advocate*

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“Outstanding; a wine of superior character and style”

“Full, rich and layered, with a firm and fleshy core of well-centered wild berry and raspberry flavors, intense and focused, ending with a long, persistent aftertaste.”

-Jim Laube, Wine Spectator



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“As good as it gets. These wines reach the peak of my personal scale of quality.”

“Coming from the Sonoma Coast, the 2016 Pinot Noir Keefer Ranch offers a classic, perfumed, red (sometimes blue) fruit driven perfume that I often associate with this cooler region. Wild strawberries, pomegranates, forest floor, and hints of leafy herbs all emerge from this medium-bodied, incredibly elegant and seamless Pinot Noir. I love its purity of fruit. It offers intensity with no weight and a great, great finish. It’s a brilliant wine.”

-Jeb Dunnuck, JebDunnuck.com



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“Aromas of strawberries, raspberries and lemons follow through to a full to medium body. Bright acidity and a linear, vivid finish. This is very cool and clean for Russian River, reflecting a unique terroir.”

-James Suckling, JamesSuckling.com



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