



# SAMSARA



## PINOT NOIR MELVILLE VYD 2014

**Voluptuous with lots of minerality in its black raspberry, truffle, autumn leaf and wood-smoke-scented bouquet. Seamless, silky texture and fabulous persistence and flavor intensity.**

**WINERY BACKGROUND:** SAMsARA is a Sanskrit word meaning “the eternal cycle of life” and refers to oneness, passion, and harmony that winemaker Matt Brady has with his grapes. SAMsARA produces limited releases of Pinot Noir, Syrah, and Grenache from carefully selected micro-sites within Sta. Rita Hill’s most distinctive vineyards. The resulting wines are an interpretation of the tenuous balance between the power of natural elements beyond our control and the human desire to reach perfection.

Along with the climate and soil, these diverse, handcrafted wines are a rare combination of full ripeness, concentration, excellent structure, minerality, high acidity, and moderate alcohol levels.

**94 POINTS**

*Vinous, September 2017*

**93+ POINTS**

*The Wine Advocate, September 2017*

**VINTAGE** 2014

**VARIETAL COMPOSITION**

100% Pinot Noir

**ALCOHOL** 14.0%

**SUGGESTED RETAIL PRICE** \$62



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