



# CORRALILLO

2016  
**MATETIC**

## CORRALILLO SYRAH

### WINE DATA

#### Producer

Matetic Vineyards

#### Region

San Antonio Valley

#### Country

Chile

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### Wine Composition

100% Syrah

Certified

Organic Grape

#### Alcohol

14%

#### Total Acidity

3.19 g/l

#### Residual Sugar

1.78 g/l

#### pH

3.53

### DESCRIPTION

Corralillo Syrah is a deep and lively purple color. Generous and intense varietal aroma, with hints of red fruits, violets and pepper, while chocolate notes from the oak combine with the spiciness to create balance. Finely structured, intense and complex, this wine is also balanced, with long tannins and a juicy, persistent finish.

### WINEMAKER NOTES

This 2016 vintage comes from vineyards on a hillside with different exposures to sunlight, and all have soil compositions of different degrees of clay filtration through granite, and are managed in accordance with the principles of biodynamic agriculture. These characteristics give the soils very good drainage and appropriate fertility for the development of the vines, and the ripening of the fruit was slow and optimal. Vinification was done in open fermenters with 6- and 8-ton capacities. The grapes underwent cold maceration, followed by fermentation with selected wild yeasts. Different remontage techniques were employed depending on the time and condition of the wine during fermentation. Finally, the wine was placed in carefully-selected French oak barrels for 16 months, during which malolactic fermentation took place.

### SERVING HINTS

This wine is ideally served with duck, red meats, sweet and sour dishes, and aged or smoked cheeses.

