



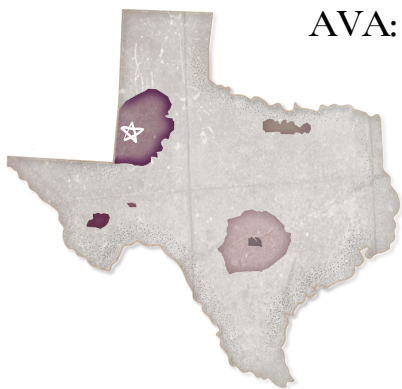
Focused on Texas grown wines made in an Old World style with low-intervention winemaking. Since 2008, founders William "Bill" Blackmon and Chris Brundrett have sourced grapes from Estate vineyards and partners alike, prizing sustainable practices and the expression of Texan terroir.

## 2019 MOURVÈDRE Lost Draw Vineyards

Mourvèdre has come to be almost synonymous with William Chris Vineyards, and has taken us all by surprise. Highly expressive of where its grown, every Mourvèdre we've made has shed more light on the full potential of Texas terroir. With Lost Draw Vineyard's 14 year old vines, this is a serious statement of Texas' wine quality.

VARIETIES: 100% Mourvèdre

### VINEYARD: Lost Draw Vineyard



#### AVA: Texas High Plains

Tended to by the modern pioneers of the Texas vineyard management, Andy and Lauren Timmons planted Lost Draw Vineyard way back in 2005. Their 75 acres are devoted to grapes that can be grown sustainably in the semi-arid Texas High Plains AVA. Their soil type supports this cause - well drained sandy soil with a limestone base that affects both the grape growth and wine flavor.

2019 VINTAGE: A rainy May/June and warm and dry summer led into a September heat spike that shut down grapes, resulting in the latest Texas harvest in 10 years.

#### TASTING NOTES

Robust on the nose as on the palate, with a basket of black berries, ripe red and purple plum, smoke and cedar, tobacco, and even black tea. Expressive and full-bodied.

#### FOOD PAIRING



A wine simply made for smoked barbecue or blue cheese burgers.



WINEMAKING: Fermented in neutral oak fermenters for 5 days.

Aged in 20% new French oak and 80% neutral oak barrels for 20 months. 20% aged on the lees.

AGE OF VINES: 14 years

Serve at 59° | Decant

ALTITUDE: 3,100 - 3,600 ft.

Drink now to 2029

SOIL TYPE: Amarillo fine sandy loam over limestone base

CASES PRODUCED: 975

ABV: 13.3% | pH: 3.68 | RS: 0.0 g/L | TA: 6.4 g/L

BOTTLING DATE: 06/29/2021



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100% Texas grown wines.