



# CALERA

## 2015 Mt. Harlan Pinot Noir de Villiers Vineyard

# 94

## POINTS

**Superb; a great achievement.**

“Deep and meaty on the nose, this 40th anniversary bottling offers black plum, dried violet and roasted meat aromas.

Mulberry, strawberry and plum flavors show on the wild palate, which is lifted by elements of pine needle, dried sage and mint.”

*-Matt Kettmann, Wine Enthusiast*

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**Outstanding. A wine of remarkable personality and breed that is well worth seeking out.**

“The 2015 Pinot Noir de Villiers Vineyard is powerful and dense yet also tightly wound at this stage. Even so, the flavors are bright and precise, with a good bit of energy pulsing through the wine. The intense fruit and floral notes are quite appealing, but another few years in bottle should be highly beneficial. All things considered, the de Villiers is one of the more overt Pinots in this range. The 2015 was done with 50% whole clusters, which, as usual, is on the lower side for the estate wines.”

*-Antonio Galloni, Vinous*

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“This wine shows the darker side of the Calera Pinot Noir portfolio, with blackberry and black cherry fruit and a distinctive chamomile note, and though already well integrated will deepen with further bottle aging. The vineyard lies just west of the famed Jensen vineyard, and produces a completely different expression, which is of course why Josh Jensen bottles them separately. I for one am thankful for the practice, and I raise a glass to Calera on the occasion of this fortieth vintage.”

*-Rich Cook, Wine Review Online*

August 2018

