## MIL PIEDRAS SANGIOVESE 2008





Mil Piedras (one thousand stones) wines are made with 100% estate-grown fruit from the Benvenuto de la Serna winery vineyard in Valle de Uco. These fine wines offer amazing quality at every day prices.

Benvenuto de la Serna is located in premier wine region of Valle de Uco, Mendoza. Their single-estate vineyard is located in Vista Flores, at the foothills of the Andes Mountains at 3400 feet elevation. Their winemaker is renowned enologist Angel Mendoza (of Trapiche for 25 years).

The alluvial soil in this area is known for being extremely stony with predominately high sand content, which allows the roots of the vines to reach incredibly deep into the ground while offering excellent drainage. Because of its semi-desert climate, the temperature spread between day and night can be up to 50 degrees. Due to its high elevation and exposure to hot desert sun, the fruit develops ripe, rich flavors, and deep colors, yet maintains a balanced acidity - the prized qualities of Valle de Uco grapes.

## TASTING NOTES

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Deep cherry red, with violet overtones.

Ripe red fruits, plum jam

and white chocolate.

## **Palate**

Dried red cherries with a hint of spicy vanilla and a long, lingering finish.

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VARIETAL ALCOHOL 100% Sangiovese 13.5% TOTAL ACIDITY рΗ  $4.5 \,\mathrm{g/L}$ 3.6 UPC

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**SUGAR**  $2.5 \,\mathrm{g/L}$ WINEMAKER Angel Mendoza

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