

# 2023 Albrecht Vineyard

## Pinot Noir

*JoieFarm Single Vineyard Black Label Collection  
Discovered by Nature. Distinctly One of a Kind.*

### Vineyard & Terroir

Albrecht Vineyard is a modest vineyard tucked into the Naramata hillside, where rows of Pinot Noir vines are framed by silty soils, lake-cooled breezes, surrounded by heritage fruit trees—a reminder of the Bench's deep-rooted farming history. The site's gentle slope and well-drained glacial deposits offer ideal conditions for ripening Pinot Noir with elegance and clarity, allowing the character of the vintage to shine through with minimal intervention.

### Production

Picked on September 13th, the grapes were gently destemmed into two small fermenters, preserving whole berries to capture aromatic lift and pure fruit expression. After a two-day cold soak and gentle cap management, the must was pressed, and the wine completed malolactic fermentation in stainless steel. It was then transferred to French oak barrels (18% new) for 12 months of élevage. Three months ahead of bottling, it was racked to tank and returned to barrel for blending and integration. The wine was filtered before bottling.

### Tasting Notes

An elegantly expressive Pinot Noir, the 2023 Albrecht leads with ripe, bright red cherry and cranberry, layered with subtle notes of cherry cola. Undertones of anise, and dried crunchy forest floor add a savoury lift leaving you with a lengthy, plush mouthfeel. Medium-bodied, juicy, and supple, this wine shows both charm and structure, making it a standout single-vineyard expression from the Naramata Bench.

Vintage 2023 / Variety Pinot Noir / Acid 7.3 g/L / Residual Sugar 1.25 / Alcohol 13.1%



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