



## MCBRIDE SISTERS COLLECTION RESERVE PINOT NOIR

*Santa Lucia Highlands, California, 2021*

### THE MCBRIDE SISTERS' PATH TO WINEMAKING WAS DESTINY AT WORK.

Newly found sisters, Robin McBride and Andréa McBride John, were raised across the world from one another. Their love affair with wine was planted within them from an early age while growing up in two of the world's most iconic wine growing regions – Monterey, California and Marlborough, Aotearoa New Zealand.

In 2005, the Sisters found themselves together in California. Their mission was to transform the industry, lead by example and cultivate community, one delicious glass at a time. Today, they are thrilled to share McBride Sisters Collection Reserve wines. **These artisanal, limited production wines are very personal and reflect the Sisters' long history in the prestigious growing regions of the Central Coast of California and Central Otago, in the South Island of Aotearoa New Zealand.**

### WHERE WILL WINE TAKE YOU?

The Reserve Pinot Noir is fermented in small batches and aged 10 months in barrel with 16% new French oak. Pure silk on the palate, this Reserve Pinot Noir is a deep garnet color with fresh cherry aromas and opulent flavors of crushed strawberry, raspberry jam, and rose petal notes. The light oak treatment brings a hint of cedar with warm baking spice. Fruit driven on the palate with blackberry candy and violet on top of the bright red fruits, this is unmistakably Santa Lucia Highlands Pinot Noir. Drink now through 2030.

THIS IS A LIMITED EDITION; ONLY 495 CASES OF MCBRIDE SISTERS COLLECTION RESERVE PINOT NOIR "COCKY MOTHERF\*CKER" 2021 WERE MADE. EACH RESERVE LABEL TELLS A PART OF THE SISTERS' STORY.

Learn more on [mcbridesisters.com/reserves](https://mcbridesisters.com/reserves).

## WINE DATA

### Process

Barrel-Aged

ABV	RS
13.5%	2.8 g/L

pH	TA
3.79	4.8 g/L

### Clones

858 & 115

### Soil Type

Chualar sandy loam soil underlain by granitic schist

### Trellis

Classic VSP (vertical shoot positioning)  
Spur pruned

*"Robin and I fondly refer to our father as a 'Cocky MF'er' based on his presence, stature, intellect and overall give-no-f\*cks attitude. Naturally, this translated to a vibrant, handsome and striking peacock, sporting an Afro on our Reserve Pinot Noir."*

- Andréa McBride John



WINE ENTHUSIAST  
2023

90  
POINTS

"Cocky Motherf\*cker"  
2021

