## Potek Winery Los Alamos Valley Riesling "Kick On Ranch"



Santa Barbara, located about two hours north of Los Angeles, is widely considered to be one of the most dynamic winemaking regions in California today, and David Potter is one of the new guard making a name for himself here. In the fall of 2015, wanting to create focused, single-vineyard wines, Potter opened Potek Winery, with a commitment to produce the best possible wines from Santa Barbara's most exciting vineyards. The winery uses a minimalist approach to winemaking. With access to such unique and expressive vineyards, this is the best way to coax out the distinct facets of the individual wines. The wines are mainly aged in neutral oak and are treated as naturally as possible, with no fining of filtration before bottling. The resulting wines speak of their locations throughout Santa Barbara, and are a beautiful survey of the area.

**Appellation** Sta. Rita Hills AVA

Varietals 100% Riesling

**Location** Santa Barbara, California

Soil High-silica, sandy loam

**Quantity Produced**92 cases

Area 2 acres

Yield 4.5 tons/acre

Vineyard Age Planted in 2000

Agricultural Traditional

**Harvest** Hand harvested

Two week maceration on the skins with pumping over once a day. Fermentation at 45 degrees for the first half of the fermentation, with the second half in neutral French oak. Aged on the lees for seven months with occasional stirring. Released after one year of bottle age.

Alcohol Content 12.5% Acidity 7.8 g/l Residual Sugar 0 g/l

Vinification

