# Wonderwerk

California, USA

**Winemaker: Issamu Kamide & Andrew Lardy**
**Region: California, USA**
**Location: Los Angeles, California**
**Appellation: California AVA**

San Joaquin County & Lodi, CA

Farmed sustainably. Native fermentation, malolactic complete. Gently filtered. Fruit was de-stemmed, macerated for 2 weeks. Fermented and aged in stainless steel tanks. Carefully aerated to polish and shape into a classic Cal-Italian red wine. Aged 9 months on fine lees

Practicing Organic

47% Montepulciano. 40% Zinfandel & 13% Malbec

## About the Winery/Winemaker

Wonderwerk is the work of Issamu Kamide and Andrew Lardy, two high school friends from Virginia seeking to create wines for a new generation of drinkers - wines that are naturally made, flavor-forward, a great value and fit for all sorts of occasions. Issamu and Andrew believe that every bottle should start as a concept - a unified look, feel, and vibe - and that should be what defines the winemaking process. Their techniques range from low-intervention to high-innovation production methods in the cellar – ranging from the minimalist to the maximalist. Sourcing from fruit across the state, the team works diligently to ensure all fruit adheres to principled growing and conservation. At its core, Wonderwerk is about making wine to capture the moment – a thesis best described by the winery's own origin story, which began as a long night on a disco dancefloor they didn't want to end. They asked themselves "how do we make wines that capture that feeling?" – and the rest is history!