



2009 Veramonte Pinot Noir Ritual

WHO: Veramonte

WHAT: Pinot Noir

WHERE: Casalanca Valley, Chile

WHEN: 2009

Hot. On the palate cherries and raspberries meet plenty of wood effects including vanilla, toast, and cinnamon. It also shows sage, marjoram, and a tiny hit of cayenne pepper. Tannins are big and a little dusty. Acids are a bit low compared to tannins and wood. The finish has some length, but ends up with an overwhelming sensation of new barrels. Not recommended. DH

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