New Wines from the Central Coast

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## 2000 Calera Wine Company Pinot Noir Reed Vineyard —Mt. Harlan

Palish red, with some brick at the rim. Intriguing aromas of strawberry, rhubarb, woodsmoke and baking spices.

Juicy, precise and rather delicate, with nuanced flavors of strawberry, earth and gunflint. More **harmonious** than the Jensen, conveying a stronger impression of soil tones.

"Far more interesting than your everyday California pinot noir."

Reed Vineyard is north facing and late ripening. It produces fruit with unique and exotic flavors for a pinot noir.