

# DRESSAGE

## Wine Spectator

### TASTING REPORTS

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### Reaching New Heights

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California Pinot Noir excels in the 2018 and 2019 vintages

Kim Marcus' Recommended  
California Pinot Noirs

## Top Values

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Pinot Noir Monterey County 2019

Score: 87

**WS Review:** Cherry compote and roasted red plum flavors show notes of thyme.

#### Wine Spectator's 100-Point Scale

Wine Spectator tasters review wines on the following 100-point scale:

- 95-100 Classic: a great wine
- 90-94 Outstanding: a wine of superior character and style
- 85-89 Very good: a wine with special qualities
- 80-84 Good: a solid, well-made wine
- 75-79 Mediocre: a drinkable wine that may have minor flaws
- 50-74 Not recommended

