

Copia, from the Latin for "abundance," is an expression of Paso Robles and the Central Coast of California. Winemaking team Varinder Sahi and Anita Kothari find a representation of home and passion in each and every bottle they produce ...

KISMET

Life's path is seldom straight. You move forward, then back, then side-to-side and somehow, forward again. For us, it all started in Chicago and Indianapolis, when hours of getting to know one another turned into years. There was a shy glass of Provençal rosé, which led to a serious Grand Cru from Burgundy, that then took us to an opulent line-up of wines from Booker Vineyard. And that was all in 2015! When we found ourselves in Paso Robles at the end of that year, we looked at each other and said, "Now that's what's up." No matter what came before, or how it all unfolded, it was momentous. There can be a million reasons to not do something, but in



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the end, there only needs to be one powerful reason to move forward. It simply feels right. It's kismet. In 2015, our paths converged, we traveled to Paso Robles and we have not looked back since.

COMING HOME



Copia Vineyards, November 2019

The running leaps we have taken since those first moments in Paso have lead us to COPIA. We desired to make the very best wine we could from the very best grapes we could find and grow. We found our special place in 2017: Fifty acres of paradise-on-earth in the Willow Creek District that made us both feel that we were coming home. Breathtakingly beautiful slopes, calcareous soils and strong marine influence made it an ideal site for us to plant our vineyard in 2019. We feel that this is a very special place and it is going to allow us to produce the kind of world-class wine

that we are passionate about. And until these babies can produce fruit, we are sourcing grapes from spectacular vineyards in and around Paso Robles and Santa Barbara.

GRATITUDE

This could be a lucid dream, but the wine stains on our hands make it all too real. Heartstrong and headstrong, we continue to leap into the future. We've got a few vintages and harvests under our belts and we could not be more grateful for all the people that have helped us along the way. A special thanks goes out to Eric Jensen of Booker Vineyards who took us under his wing during harvest 2016. Thank you to our winemaking consultant Pete Turrone (Booker Vineyard, Epoch Vineyards) who is an invaluable member of our team. And finally we thank Anthony Yount and the team at Denner Vineyards who allow us to make the type of wine we want to make in their state-of-the-art winery.

And thanks to you ... for sharing in our journey,

Anita + Varinder

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