

# CANTADORA

## 2019 “The Healer” Mourvedre

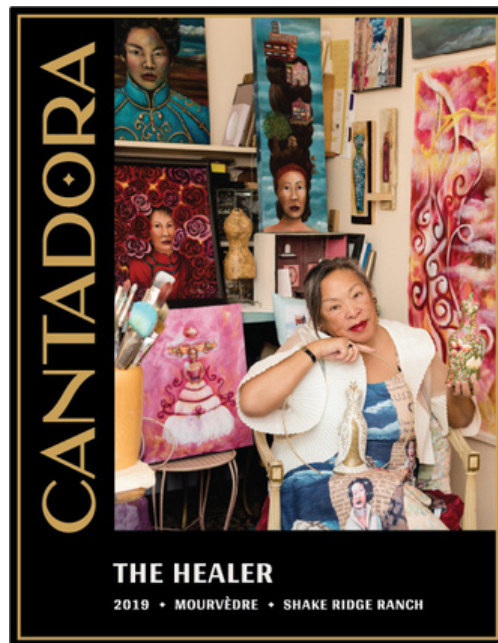
### Canatdora Overview

Cantadora translates to “Storyteller”, founded by owner/winemaker, Kira Ballotta to share the stories of women giving back to our community in remarkable ways. Cantadora focuses on organically farmed, rich and opulent Rhone styles wines from Northern California Vineyards.

Each wine is made in partnership with the woman on the label so it is a reflection of their personality and unique story.

**The Healer** is dedicated to the story of Cynthia Tom. She is the founder A Place of Her Own, an arts based healing organization that aims to turn the heartache of generational trauma into resilience. She is third generation Chinese American, both her grandmother and father were trafficked into our country for differing purposes. Her artwork is in the permanent collection of the Smithsonian and her residency at San Francisco’s De Young Museum addressing the stories of Asian American Families spurred her motivation to found A Place of Her Own.

**10% of Sales is donated to A Place of Her Own**



### Technical Details

Composition: 80% Mourvedre / 20% Syrah  
Vineyard: Shake Ridge Ranch, Amador County AVA. Farmed by the viticultural scion Ann Kraemer. She uses organic precision farming to produce, arguably, the highest quality wine grapes in the Sierra Foothills.  
Alcohol: 14.3%  
Cases: 110 cases produced

Pick Date: 9/20/2019  
Co-Fermentation: This wine is a blend of one 100% Mourvedre fermentation and a Mourvedre/Syrah co-fermentation that achieves a silkier tannin expression than a traditional Mourvedre  
Elevage: 21mo in 100% neutral French Oak barrels  
Bottling Date: June 10th, 2021

Tasting Notes: A well-modulated alto of a wine, this bottle pleases with a handsome blend of red fruits, mild spices and chocolate on a mouthwatering texture of good acidity and light tannins. The wine is well balanced, appetizing and easy to keep sipping.

### Accolades

92 pts Wine Enthusiast / 94 pts, Double Gold, Sunset Magazine Competition

Served on the following notable wine lists  
Napa - Oenotri, Thomas Keller’s Ad Hoc  
Hermosa Beach - Pacific Standard Prime