

# BONNY DOON VYD



## Le CIGARE Blanc *the white CIGAR*

**STYLE:** Bright and crisp Rhône-style white blend, no oak or malolactic fermentation

**VINTAGE:** 2023

**VARIETALS:**

61% Vermentino,  
39% Grenache Blanc,

**APPELLATION:**

Central Coast of California  
51% Beeswax Vineyard, Arroyo Seco  
49% Creston Ridge Vineyard, Paso Robles

**CLIMATE:** Cool dry-summers, mild wet winters, Mediterranean class

**WINEMAKING:** Grapes were picked early to preserve acidity, then lightly pressed, with the juice settling for 3 days. The juice was then fermented in stainless steel and aged on the lees (spent yeast) for 4 months. Malolactic fermentation was prevented to preserve the wine's natural acidity.

**WINEMAKERS:**

Nicole Walsh & Randall Graham

**BEST SERVED:** Chilled,  
5-15 minutes out of fridge

**PAIRINGS:** Pad Thai, Szechuan stir-fry, Roquefort cheese, Spicy Indian curry, grilled shrimp salad with a lemon vinaigrette, or seared scallop with a tomato-based sauce.

**ABV:** 13.5%

**ORIGINE DU CIGARE:** After a spate of reports of extraterrestrial visitors to France, the village of Châteauneuf-du-Pape of the Rhône valley, passes laws forbidding flying cigar landings, take offs, and flyovers, circa 1954. The "Cigare" series of wines is an homage made since 1984 by Bonny Doon Vineyard.

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SCREW CAP FOR FRESHNESS: 7+ YEAR CELLAR POTENTIAL

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Celebrating the finest expressions of space, time & flavor the Earth has to offer since 1983.

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**NOSE:** Aromas of white flowers, lemon zest, and grapefruit

**PALATE:** Crisp and refreshing, with flavors of Meyer lemon, white peach, and a hint of almond

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**91 POINTS** WINE ENTHUSIAST

Bonny Doon Vineyard is on a spirited adventure to make naturally soulful, distinctive & original wine.



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