

Stephen Tanzer's
International Wine Cellar



88 Points – 2000 Pinot Noir Marcella's Vineyard, Santa Barbara County

“Good full red. Aromas of red fruits, minerals, earth and smoky oak. Juicy and bright, with lively, sappy red fruit flavors; shows more structure and thrust than this winery's other 2000 pinots. Then a bit aggressive on the end, with strawberry and red currant notes and firm tannins.”

87 Points – 2000 Pinot Noir Dierberg Vineyard, Santa Barbara County

“Good deep red. Roasted strawberry, rose petal, coffee and charred oak on the nose. Sweet, lush flavors of red fruits framed by harmonious acidity. Not especially complex but finishes with ripe tannins and good length.”

86 Points – 2000 Pinot Noir Bien Nacido Vineyard, Santa Barbara County

“Medium red. Strawberry and spice nose turned oakier with aeration. Bright, juicy and sweet, with good texture and flavor intensity if modest nuance. Finishes with even tannins and persistent raspberry and currant flavors.”