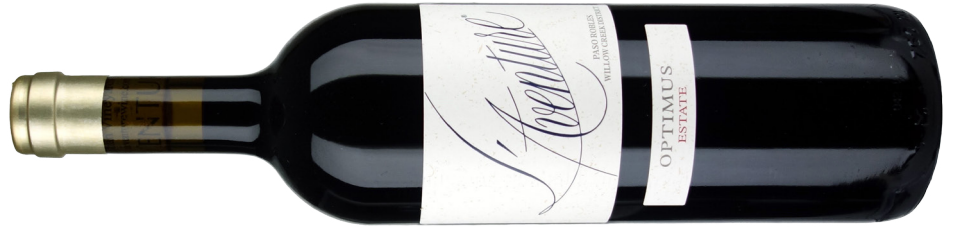


"In this adventurous spirit, we find the future of Paso Robles wines... great, balanced red blends."

L'Aventure

L'AVENTURE
2014 'OPTIMUS' ESTATE
CALIFORNIA, USA



Robert Parker - The Wine Advocate

92 PARKER POINTS

One of the reference point estates in Paso Robles is unquestionably Stephan Asseo's l'Aventure... The entry level cuvee that readers should snag a case of is the 2014 Optimus... it's a supple, seamless and elegant wine that gives a small window into the quality and style from this terrific estate. Its deep purple color is followed by classy notes of black raspberries, spice box, dried flowers and underbrush in a full-bodied, balanced and lengthy package...

Maturity

2016

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Bright violet. Potent aromas of ripe red and blue fruits, floral pastilles, woodsmoke and minerals develop a spicy nuance in the glass. Sweet and fleshy on the palate, offering intense black raspberry and boysenberry flavors that become livelier with air. The very long, sharply focused finish features supple tannins and subtle, lingering notes of ripe red berries and candied rose.