



GIANT STEPS 2005 PINOT NOIR

Review Summary



91 pts “Aged in 40% new French oak, 2005 Pinot Noir “Sexton Vineyard” is one of the star Pinots of my tastings. Medium ruby-colored, it has an alluring perfume of earth, mineral, raspberry and rhubarb. Velvety-textured, with layers of sweet fruit, this elegant Pinot Noir has the balance to evolve for several years. Drink this lengthy wine through 2015.”

Robert Parker’s The Wine Advocate
October 2007, Issue 173

89 pts “Light-bodied, surprisingly so; a savoury, foresty style needing more sweet fruit, though does have length and certain degree of finesse.”

James Halliday
2009 Wine Companion

89 pts “Medium red. Captivating bouquet of red berries, cherry, dried flowers, anise and minerals. Crisp and energetic on the palate, with bright red fruits and rhubarb buttressed by bracing minerality. Finishes clear and long, with a refreshing note of bitter pomegranate.”

Stephen Tanzer’s International Wine Cellar
July/August 2007, Issue 133