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PLACE | Stono River - Johns Island - South Carolina
32.725356° N , -80.0098325° W

ARTWORK | John Duckworth | "Little known public access to the Stono River that is an all-time favorite of mine for watching the sunrise. Hidden at the end of Burden Creek Road, a dirt road lined with a beautiful live oak canopy, this spot never ceases to inspire. As I walk into the water in my hip-waders, it feels like a baptism every time. Incredible way to start the day."

VINEYARD NOTES | 5 year old, head trained, dry farmed, red ferrus soils with small deposits of clay. When looking at a GPS map of the vineyard it literally looks like a leg of ham or what the Bokisch family lineage would call "jamon." Mild winter, normal to a bit late bud break, solid crop set, freakishly wonderful summer with very long hang time. Yields of a bit more than 2.3 TPA, we harvested 4.7 tons September 14th.

WINEMAKER'S TASTING NOTES | Completely destemmed, punch downs in $\frac{3}{4}$ ton bins, indigenous primary & secondary fermentation, aged sur lees 8 months in neutral French oak barrels. Lighter shade of ruby in color. Big, boomin' noseful of cassis, camphor, tea, wild strawberry pie and red roses. Background notes of blackberry, white pepper, jasmine and garrigue. Wonderfully ripe, medium-bodied flavors of cassis, blackberry and tobacco. Long finish of boysenberry pie, baker's chocolate and fine tannins, all framed with a bit of acidity. 14% alc. 12 barrels made.

"El Jamon" - Farmed by Markus Bokisch
750ml | 14.2% abv

