



EVE'S Wine101 E-Newsletter

Dear Wine Friends,

Wine News: As our wine world continues to pivot I've been graced with invitations for Zoom meetings (and some socially distance live) with movers and shakers in our industry. In the next few weeks please stay tuned for reviews of Switchback Ridge (Napa), Bodegas Caro (Argentina), a special tasting with *The Next Generation of Women in Wine*: Dr. Laura Catena, Bodegas Catena Zapata & [Bodegas CARO](#) (Mendoza, Argentina), Anne Trimbach, [Trimbach](#) (Alsace, France), Laure Colombo, [Vins Jean-Luc Colombo](#) (Cornas, Rhone Valley, France) and Alessia Collauto Travaglini, [Travaglini](#) (Gattinara, Piemonte, Italy).

Wine of the Week: Sharing two wineries I visited with recently in today's article, [Ampelos and Zotovich](#), so I have at least two wines of the week! From Ampelos, "The **2016 Sta. Rita Hills "Syrache"**, a wine I had been told by a wine pal not to miss, is a Syrah Grenache blend. This vintage was 65% Syrah and 35% Grenache. It proved to be my favorite in the tasting. Wine & Spirits gave it 91 points and Wine Enthusiast awarded it 90 points." And from Zotovich, "We preferred the **2017 Estate Chardonnay** for its notes of Meyer lemon, white peach, pear and a hint of strawberry in a delicate balance, for only \$28 a bottle." [More tasty wine notes can be read here.](#)



One Wine of The Week: Syrahe from Ampelos!