

Sommeliers of the American Riviera

2026 Review
Sta. Rita Hills AVA

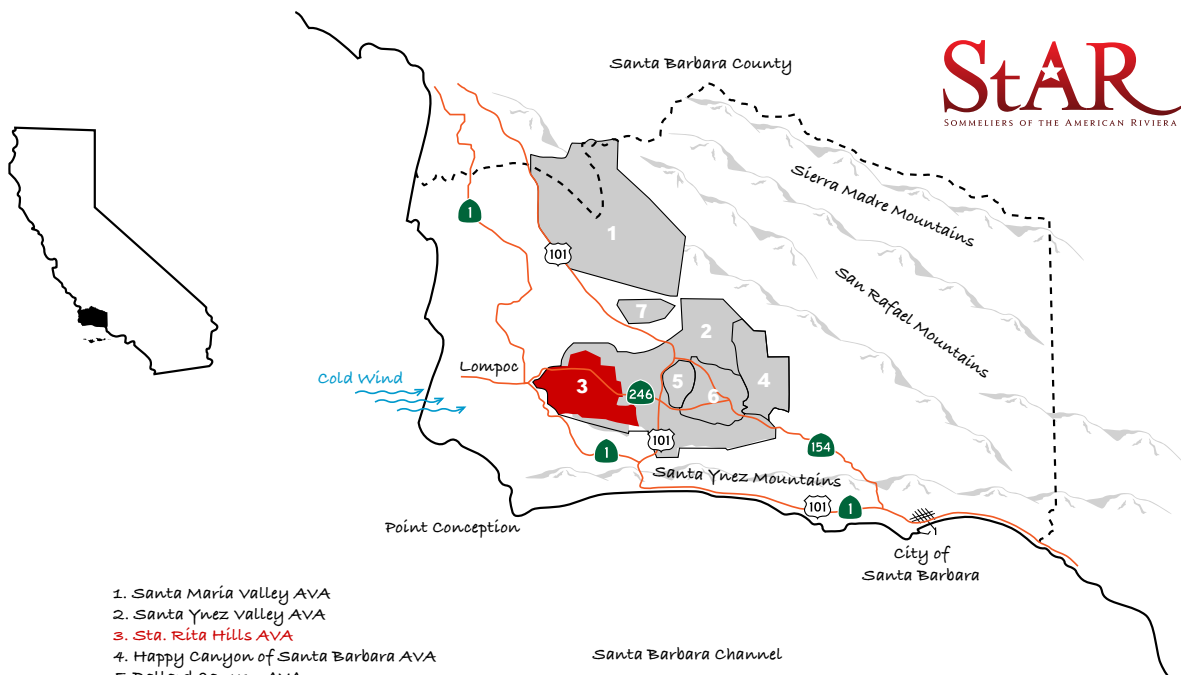
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The Joy Fantastic
2022 Estate, Syrah

This wine exhibits flavors and aromas of red currant, raspberry, cherry, blueberry, blackberry, stewed plum, sea salt, black pepper, grilled meats, fennel salami, green olive, black olive tapenade, vanilla, thyme, rosemary, nori, dried rose and potpourri. Deep ruby in color with purple hues and magenta accents, this wine showcases lively spice, dark fruit and driven acidity with firm tannins and a long, savory finish.

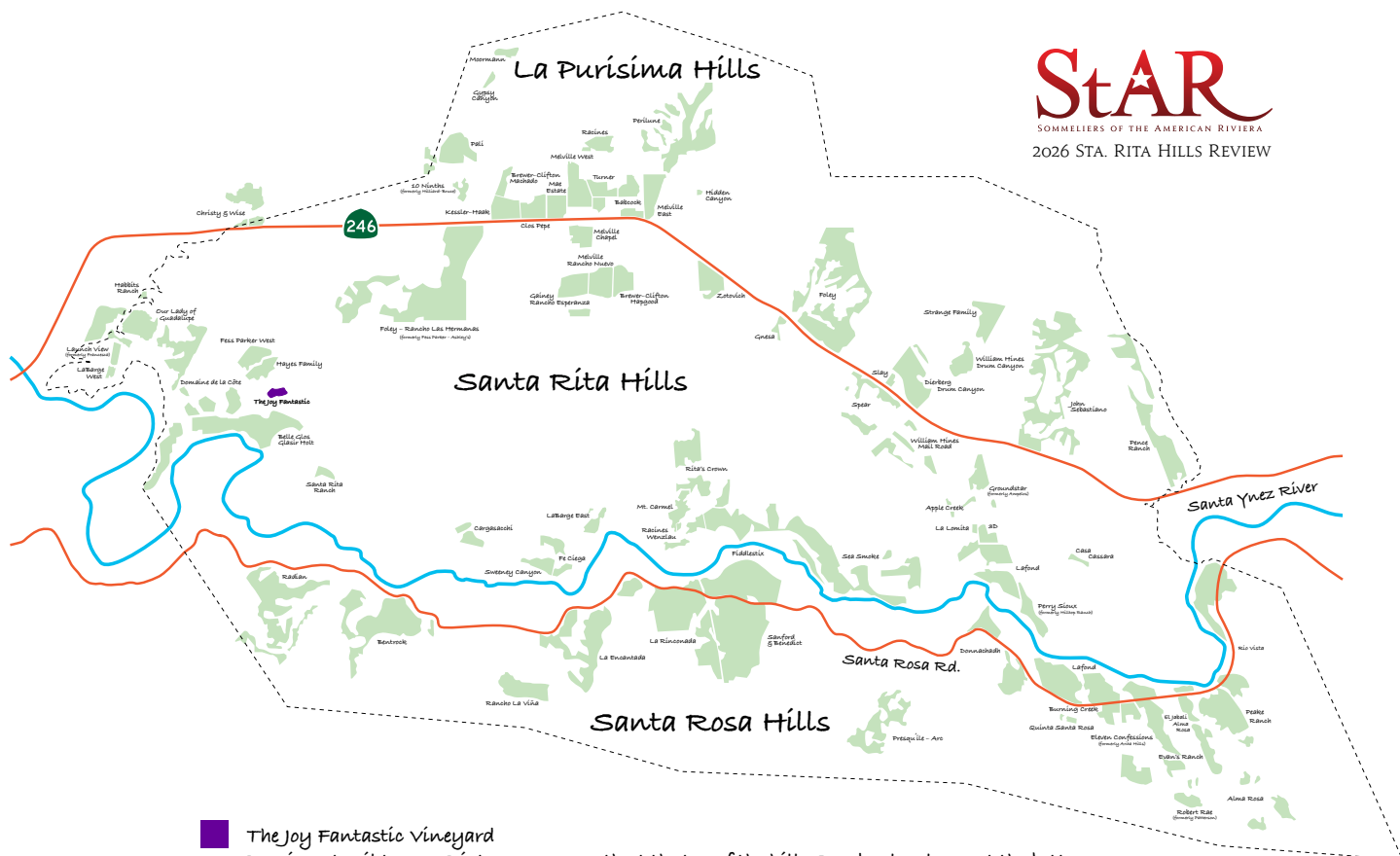
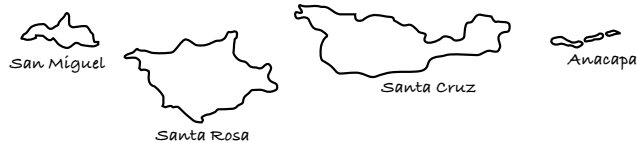
Winemakers: **Amy Christine**
& **Peter Hunken**

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1. Santa Maria valley AVA
2. Santa Ynez valley AVA
3. **Sta. Rita Hills AVA**
4. Happy Canyon of Santa Barbara AVA
5. Ballard Canyon AVA
6. Los Olivos District AVA
7. Alisos Canyon AVA



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The Joy Fantastic Vineyard
Dominant soil types : Diatomaceous earth at the top of the hill. Sandy clay loam at the bottom.