

CONDOR WINES NORTHWEST



Homes in Arequipa, Peru's Alta Cayma District



Father Alex (in sunglasses) with community kitchen volunteers

Wine For Hunger Relief

In 2007 Dr. Joe H. Campbell, co-founder of Elk Cove Vineyards, volunteered in a small medical clinic in the Alta Cayma District of Arequipa, Peru. Before returning home to Oregon, he asked his colleagues how he could continue to help. They told him the most critical health need was for food assistance. Because of Joe's experience as a winemaker, he came up with a plan to produce a limited production wine each year, all proceeds of which would contribute to the hunger relief program.

Our 2019 Condor Pinot Noir

This might be the richest Condor we've made, with black plum, blackberry and cinnamon on the nose and ripe dark fruit on the palate. It's silky with an earthy undercurrent. Condor will improve with bottle age for 5-10 years.

Condor is sourced from Elk Cove Vineyards' esteemed La Bohème Vineyard West Block. Whole berries again made up 50% of the fermenting must to maximize fruitiness from these 29 to 35-year-old vines. The wine was aged for 10 months in French oak and is already tasting delicious.

60 Cases made

**Condor Wines Northwest has provided over
120,000 meals since 2008!**

2020 Condor Update

"Saludos" from Arequipa, Peru!

In 2020 we reorganized because of the pandemic. Many of our people ended up with no income at all, so we quickly set up "Community Kitchens" where people take turns to cook food for their settlement. We now have 16 kitchens feeding 2,000 people each day.

Some settlements do not have a community kitchen. In most cases this is because of distance and terrain with homes scattered over a vast, hilly area. In these cases, we are complimenting the program by providing food baskets. We have given over 5,000 food baskets in 2020.

All this is possible thanks to generous people like yourselves who make it possible to buy the necessary food stuffs to run the program. Thank God we were able to generate a lot of support both locally and from abroad. Thank you in the name of all the people we serve - your support is fundamental for our people to access their daily bread.

-Father Alex

100% of all sales of Condor go directly to hunger relief. Elk Cove Vineyards donates all winegrowing, labor and packaging costs to Condor Wines Northwest.

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