

2018 Rose of Syrah

Alegria Vineyards Russian River Valley Sonoma County

I made this Rose in the traditional Rhone style, designed to taste like Syrah but happens to be pink. I learned how to do this from a winemaker friend of mine from another famous winegrowing region here in Northern California, whose Rose I admired so much, that I decided to make a similar one myself!! This Rose gets all of its colors, flavors and aromas with zero skin contact time as we gently whole cluster press the fruit as soon as it comes in from the vineyard. This wine tastes great right now but will also age for a couple of years. Remember to take the time to enjoy family and wine!!

Other Facts: 100% Syrah Alcohol: 12.9% pH: 3.45

T/A: 6.7 g/L

Cases produced: 280

\$25/750mL



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Key Viticultural and Enological Facts

Soil Haire clay loam

Clone 01 Shiraz, McDowell Valley, Estrella

Harvest Brix 23.9

Harvest Date 10/10/2018 Yeast type Cross Evolution

Fermentation timeline 10/10/2018-11/9/2018
Fermentation technique Open tank, stainless steel

Press details Direct press, whole cluster, champagne style to 1.0 bar

Bottle date 12/6/2018 Release Date January 2019

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