

2019 Scarlet Cuvee Rose of Pinot Noir Umpqua Valley AVA

Production: 289 cases
Alcohol: 13.4% ABV
Total Acidity: 6.6g/L
pH: 3.43

We make our rose by using the traditional saignee method, from the French "to bleed." This is a technique to remove some juice from the vat of destemmed grapes. For us this means taking a very small proportion of juice from all of our different pinot noir lots, "bleeding" the fermenters after two days of skin contact, before the conversion of sugar to alcohol begins. In this way, our rose of pinot noir always represents a snapshot of our entire vintage. The wine is then fermented in stainless steel barrels.

This wine has a lovely pale ruby, pink, salmon tinged color. The aromas summon thoughts of the first warm summer days with scents of strawberries, raspberries, watermelon and wildflowers. In the mouth, the strawberry fruit is complimented by flavors of pomegranate and tart cherries. The wine has vibrant acidity that enlivens your palate. There is a pleasant tingly mouthfeel that goes on and on. Don't let this pink wine fool you, this is a bone dry, serious rose.

Enjoy this wine chilled with savory cheese dishes, fresh fruits, ham sandwiches, Salad Nicoise or just sip by itself and add enjoyment to your beautiful day.



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