

Rocky Point Cellars

WILLAMETTE VALLEY

2014

ALICE'S ROSÉ

Boushey Vineyard

VINEYARD DETAILS

Boushey Vineyard; Yakima Valley AVA, Washington State

Alice's Rosé is crafted with intention – a rosé with enough volume and complexity to be enjoyed year round be it dockside or fireside. This 50/50 blend of Grenache and Mourvedre was picked early the morning of September 26th while sugar levels were low, helping to ensure a balanced and elegant old-world style rose. Limited skin contact brought forth a beautiful pale pink hue while aging in a mix of new and used French oak barrels enhanced richness, spice, texture and volume on the palate. The combination of Grenache and Mourvedre – the classic blend used in the most well-renowned roses in Provence – gives layer upon layer of complex fruit. Named after my 95 year old grandmother Alice who homesteaded our property on Rocky Point – a lover of projects great and small.

TASTING NOTES

The nose opens with garden-picked strawberries, guava nectar, rhubarb, and pomegranate. Flavors of watermelon, cranberry, and sweet oak rout out the mouth filling finish. Completely dry.



VINTAGE DETAILS

Harvest Date: September 26th, 2014

Yield: 3.25 Tons per Acre

Brix: 22

pH: 3.4

Alcohol: 13.2%

Barrel Aging: Barrel Aging: Barrel fermented & aged 11 months on lees in one and two year old French oak 36 month seasoned custom crafted large format ERMITAGE Troncais, Bertranges, and Allier barrels.

Clone(s): 2 (Grenache; Mourvedre)

Vine Age: 10 Y.O.

AVA: Yakima Valley, Washington State

Cases Produced: 80

Released: July 23rd, 2014

Retail Price: \$35

SPECIAL NOTE: *We have a limited number of specially bottled 1.5L Magnums of Alice's Rose available.*