

2013 MISTRAL ROOTS ROSE



THE WINE:

Southern French-style dry Rosé from winemaker John Kelley. Blend of 54% Grenache, 28% Counoise, 14% Mourvedre, and 4% Roussanne. Aged for one year in neutral French oak. 56 cases produced.

THE ESTATE:

The fruit for this wine was grown at the Westwood Estate in Sonoma Valley. Positioned in the Annadel Gap in northwest Sonoma Valley, this slightly cooler area produces a more elegant style of fruit.

TASTING NOTES:

Color: Salmon-pale.

Aromas: Berry, herbs with some tropical notes.

Flavors: Bing cherry, pomegranate, and some cranberry notes. Good tart acidity on the crisp, dry finish.

Food Pairing: Grilled salmon Caesar salad.

~ Drink now through 2017 ~