



2020 a² ROSÉ

\$18 / 750ML. BOTTLE
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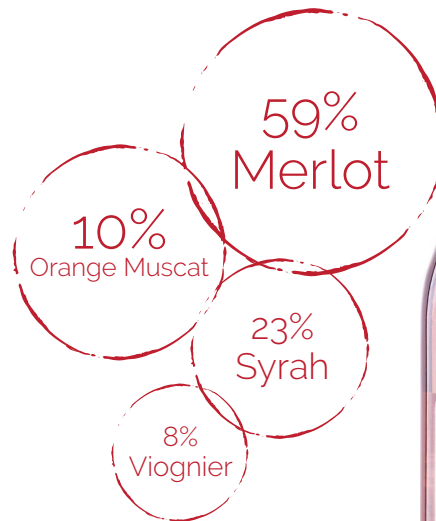
TASTING NOTES

Consistent heat early on in the 2020 vintage paved the way for a fruit-forward Rose that shows a deeper color than the previous vintage. On the nose, watermelon, red raspberry, and copious amounts of ripe strawberry lead into honeydew melon and cranberry. With a light ruby color, it comes to life on the palate with concentrated flavors of Bing cherry, dehydrated strawberry, candied fruit, and peach. A refreshing burst of acidity delivers a cleansing effect and finishes with hints of red currant and raspberry. Fun and invigorating, this wine is made for sipping outside on a hot day yet sophisticated enough for any wine-drinking occasion. With a medium body, our a2 Rose will stand up to a wide array of foods from your favorite charcuterie board to wood-fired pizza or chicken hot off the grill. Serve chilled and enjoy year-round!

VINTAGE

The 2020 vintage started off with a relatively mild with unusually warm temperatures creeping into the 100's during the month of June. Heat units rose throughout the early summer providing an optimal window to ripen our cherished white varietals. Although much of Washington, Oregon and California were plagued by smoke, Destiny Ridge was able to avoid the damaging effects, going on to produce quality wines. With temperatures once again dipping below freezing during October, this is sure to be a vintage to remember.

VINEYARD: Destiny Ridge Vineyard
APPELLATION: Horse Heaven Hills
AGING: Stainless Steel Fermentation
WINE MAKING TEAM: Jarrod L. Boyle & Ryan Strom
pH: 3.59
TA: 6.1 g/L
ALCOHOL: 13.2%



ABOUT ALEXANDRIA NICOLE CELLARS

Founders Jarrod and Ali Boyle are dedicated to producing small lots of hand-crafted wine from our own Destiny Ridge Estate Vineyard. Through attentive viticulture management, balanced crop levels, gentle hand-harvesting and processing of grapes, and passionate winemaking, we produce consistent quality in every bottle. Located in the Horse Heaven Hills, our 327-acre estate vineyard is located high on the bluffs overlooking the majestic Columbia River. It is here, high on the dominate ridge, that our grapes thrive in these unique soils. It is here that our winemaker Jarrod nurtures the fruit quality from bud to bottle. Our belief is that quality starts in the vineyard.