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2019 Rosé of Pinot noir North Coast

Talisman Winery is dedicated to the crafting of exquisite, soulful Pinot noirs that are true to their roots and accurately reflect the terroir and personality of their vineyard origin.

About the Talisman Logo

The Talisman logo is a stylized representation of a Native American medicine wheel. The elements of the medicine wheel represent the circle of life and the four directions, reminding us of our place in the universe. The rays around the medicine wheel represent the sun, which provides energy for life on Earth and ripens grapes, allowing us to revel in the pleasures of life, including fine wine.

Vineyards and Winemaking

This bright lively rosé was crafted from free run juice from *all* of our Pinot Noir vineyards from Sonoma, Napa and Mendocino Counties and was blended into a flavorful ensemble, then fermented by feral yeast in neutral French oak barrels. This sassy, delicious dry rosé displays crisp acidity and is a great companion for a variety of tasting treats and fun occasions. Share it with good friends.

The 2019 growing season was another great year of mild weather with no heat spikes or cold snaps allowing the grapes to ripen slowly and happily gave us exceptional quality fruit with intense flavors.

The grapes for this rosé were picked at full ripeness (less common for many dry rosés) giving us a round, full flavored wine. The free-run juice was sequestered from all of our Pinot Noir lots, then fermented with feral yeast for 20 days in neutral French oak barrels. The wine was hand bottled after a very light filtration.

Tasting Notes

Such a beautiful light salmon hue and bouquet of apple blossoms and strawberries... This spunky dry rosé is lively, bright, refreshing and flavorful with a soft lingering finish. Delightful!

Details

pH: 3.51

Titrateable acidity: 6.2 g/100mL

Fermentation: feral yeast

Sonoma, Napa and Mendocino County fruit

Alcohol: 14.1% by volume

Barrel aging: 4 months in neutral French oak

275 cases produced