



# COMPOSITION

80% Grenache 10% Syrah 5% Counoise 5% Mourvedre

#### **VINEYARDS**

Purisima Mountain Vineyard Ballard Canyon AVA

### RELEASE DATE

March 14, 2017

# **PRODUCTION**

1,500 cases

# SUGGESTED RETAIL

\$25

# PEAK DRINKING

2017 - 2022

# BECKMEN VINEYARDS

# 2016 Purisima Mountain Vineyard Grenache Rosé

#### HARVEST DATE

9/5/2016-10/2/2016

#### **HARVEST**

2016 was the fourth straight year in our major drought and another warm season. Some timely rainfall in the spring helped create an average size crop of intensely flavored fruit with fantastic acidity from the early harvest dates.

#### WINEMAKING

- Made from Grenache clone #3, Tablas-D, Tablas Mourvedre, Tablas Counoise and Estrella Syrah
- The Grenache and Counoise were destemmed, crushed, and cold soaked for 6-24 hours depending on the lot and the Syrah and Mourvedre were direct pressed.
- Grapes were then pressed to stainless steel tanks and cold settled for 48 hours
- Juice was racked to neutral barrel and stainless steel after settling
- No malolactic fermentation allowed
- The wine was bottled, lightly fined, and filtered in February 2016

#### **AGING**

60% Stainless steel and 40% neutral barrel for 5 months

#### TASTING NOTES

Strawberry, cherry, watermelon, cream, floral

#### **UPC CODE**

71368499578

#### **ANALYSIS**

PH: 3.31

TOTAL ACIDITY: 6.7g/L

ALCOHOL: 14.2%

**BRIX AT HARVEST: 22-24** 

#### WINEMAKER

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