



LINCOURT

Santa Ynez Valley 2021 ROSÉ OF GRENACHE

OVERVIEW

When Vintner Bill Foley founded Lincourt in 1996, the Sta. Rita Hills region of Santa Barbara county was largely undiscovered. Today it is one of California's most coveted, cool-climate, viticultural regions. Lincourt's wines are produced entirely from our two estate vineyards within the AVA. They are rolling hillside sites that offer 'limiting' soils, large diurnal temperature swings and long growing seasons. Our wines are rich, structured, fruit forward and regionally exact.

SUSTAINABILITY

At Lincourt, we believe that a vibrant, living environment has a positive effect on the health of the vines and the character and quality of the wines. To ensure the vitality of our land and the authenticity of our wines, we use sustainable methods in all of our farming, winemaking and business practices.

VINTAGE

The 2021 vintage was marked by a cooler, and longer growing season which provided fruit of wonderful concentration. The moderate weather throughout the year in the Sta. Rita Hills provided incredible fruit quality and balanced acid levels. Harvest was completed on October 23, 2021.

VINEYARDS & WINEMAKING

The fruit for our 2021 Rosé was harvested from a combination of our Firestone Vineyard and Crossroads Vineyard in Sta. Rita Hills. The fruit was fermented in stainless steel with native yeast using a process called stabulation, which delays the onset of fermentation and contributes to the aromatics of this delicate wine. The Rosé was bottled quickly to help retain the fresh fruit aromatics.

TASTING NOTES

Our 2021 Rosé of Grenache opens with bright aromas of fresh-picked strawberries and red raspberries. On the palate, notes of grapefruit with hints of cherry linger on the finish. This refreshing wine makes perfect for enjoying at spring and summer gatherings.

APPELLATION	Santa Ynez Valley
HARVEST DATE	September 8 - October 23, 2021
COMPOSITION	99% Grenache, 1% Gewürztraminer
BARREL AGING	Stainless steel
ALCOHOL	14.1%
TA	7.1 g/L
pH	3.29
BOTTLING DATE	December 6, 2021
PRODUCTION	465 cases