



## 2022 ROSÉ OF STA. RITA HILLS PINOT NOIR

**Retail Price:** \$32.00

**Alcohol %:** 12.5

**Varietal:** Pinot Noir

**Region:** Santa Barbara County

**Appellation:** Santa Rita Hills

**Vineyard:** 100% Peake Ranch

**Clones:** 115

**pH:** 3.19

### **Winemaking Notes:**

This 100% Pinot noir was farmed and harvested for Rosé and whole cluster pressed. Two separate harvest dates, one barrel fermented, and the other stainless tank fermented create racy acidity upfront with lingering creamy, softness from mid-palate to finish. High ester producing yeast creates expressive and persistent aromas. Harvested on 8-24-22 and 8-30-22.

### **Tasting Notes:**

This vibrant wine is a pale peach in color. The aromas are floral, tropical, and fruit driven, with notes of subdued rose, papaya, fresh strawberry, and citrus blossoms. Acidity is present upfront, and supported by nice mid-palate weight and a creamy texture. The flavors throughout the palate are melon, citrus, and stone. This wine ends with light viscosity and a chalky finish.

