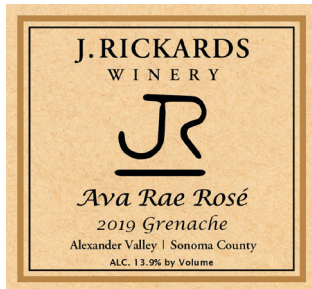


2019 Ava Rae Rosé

Grenache

About the Wine

Named after our winemaker's young daughter, this crisp, elegant rosé is like summer in a bottle. Originally concocted on the fly with a small crop of top-quality grenache, it has quickly become a staff and guest favorite, as well as a staple of our brand. A welcome addition to picnics, leisurely afternoon meals, and general warm-weather relaxation.



Technical Data

Varietals: 87% Grenache, 10% Aleatico, 3% Sirah

Appellation: Sonoma County

Harvest Date: September 10, 2019

Sugar at Harvest: 23.6° Brix

Fermentation: Stainless steel; long and slow

Barrel Aging: N/A

Alcohol: 13.9%

Bottling Date: January 14, 2020

Total Production: 515 cases



Our Story

When Jim and Eliza Rickards founded J. Rickards Winery in 2005, their goal was to produce handmade wines that showcased the diverse soils and varying microclimates of their vineyards. Since beginning farming in 1978, Jim has established himself as one of the area's foremost grape growers. He has pioneered efficient vineyard practices and has been a longtime proponent of sustainable farming techniques. Jim and Eliza strive to maintain their artisan style, making small lots from multiple varietals grown in the estate vineyards and by select neighbors.

Winemaker's Notes

Delightfully dry yet bursting with fruit flavor. The aromatics have lively notes of strawberry, watermelon, and hibiscus. An elegantly round mouthfeel leads to a lingering finish of light floral notes and tart rhubarb.

Sustainable vines, exceptional wines



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