

# 2019 RÉSERVE ROSÉ

The inaugural release of our 2019 Réserve Rosé is a nod to the classic rosés of Southern France, where Rolle (Vermentino), is frequently used, along with Grenache. The result is the epitome of purity, full stop. It has a pale cherry-blossom pink hue with aromatics of crisp watermelon and fraise du bois, subtle herbal notes of chervil and fennel fronds. Refined and nuanced on the palate, it is focused with noted minerality, bracing acidity and a pristine finish.

# VINTAGE NOTES

We experienced abundant, late spring rain, followed by a long, warm summer in 2019. The combined effect contributed to a later harvest with bright acidity in the white varietals and soft, ripe tannins in the red varietals.

#### WINEMAKING

Harvested early, the Grenache and Vermentino are whole-cluster pressed and fermented in stainless steel separately. After fermentation, the Rolle is gently incorporated into the blend.

## FOOD PAIRING

Kurobuta heritage pork and heirloom garden vegetables, prepared simply and enjoyed al fresco, leap to mind.

## WHO WE ARE

Casino Mine Ranch is an estate vineyard located in the Sierra Foothills of Amador County. The winery - a century old ranch that was once mined for gold — is owned and managed by fourth-generation California brothers, Jim and Rich Merryman.



**APPELLATION:** Shenandoah Valley

VARIETAL: 80% Grenache

& 20% Vermentino

**ALCOHOL: 13.2%** 

WINEMAKER: Andy Erickson &

Jessica Tarpy

COOPERAGE: Stainless Steel

**CASE PRODUCTION: 97**