

2020 RÉSERVE ROSÉ

The second vintage of our Réserve Rosé is a nod to the classic rosés of Southern France, where Rolle, otherwise known as Vermentino, is frequently amongst the cast of characters, along with Grenache. With aromatics of crisp watermelon and fraise du bois, the palate abounds with fresh juice from meyer lemon and grapefruit, to intense blood orange and hints of guava. Refined and nuanced on the palate, it is incredibly focused with noted minerality, bracing mouthwatering acidity and a pristine finish.

VINTAGE NOTES

2020 was a balanced growing season from budbreak to phenolic development, with moderate, even temperatures until mid-September when high triple-digits with low humidity, lasting a few days. Overall, 2020 brings yet more balance in the vineyard; a very high quality vintage with small berries and slightly thicker skins.

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

Ceviche– cauliflower or traditional– could make for a perfect summer evening.

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: 214