Founders' Series



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Lucy's Block Rosé | 2023

Named after our Grandmother, Lucy Mary Whitworth, this Rosé is a blend of Pinot Noir (85%) and Pinot Meunier (15%) grapes from our Westpoint Vineyard in South Kelowna.

2023 VINTAGE

We planted our first vines in 1961, but our love affair with the soil goes back to 1908. Our history is our strength, and our longstanding relationship with the land has allowed us to deliver exceptional fruit, resulting in wines of unique character and distinction. The 2023 vintage was brimming with both challenge and reward; we faced unseasonably cold winter conditions followed by record levels of Okanagan sunshine, resulting in a small but quality crop and the earliest harvest in Quails' Gate history.

WINEMAKING

The grapes for this year's forever favourite were meticulously hand-harvested and whole-cluster pressed in early September. After cold settling, the free-run juice underwent fermentation at cool temperatures in stainless steel to preserve the wine's freshness and delicate aromas. For added complexity, a portion was aged in neutral oak barrels on lees for four months before blending and bottling.

 ALCOHOL
 ACIDITY
 pH
 RESIDUAL SUGAR

 12.5%
 7.44 g/L
 3.38
 0.7 g/L

TASTING NOTES

A beautiful coral colour with vibrant aromas of strawberries and cream and wild raspberries. On the palate, a fresh entry and a smooth, silky finish.

PERFECT PAIRINGS

The elegance and complexity of the Lucy's Block Rosé makes it a wine that shines all on its own. When shared with friends, this vintage is perfect for dining al fresco alongside a platter of oysters and a simple summer salad.

