

THE WALLS

2019 CRUEL SUMMER

What would Summer be without bright, fresh, beautiful rosé? The answer is simple: cruel. Don't let Summer without good rosé happen to you!

The 2019 vintage consists of mostly grenache, but does have about 20% mourvèdre. Skin contact was brief, producing an lightly colored and elegant rosé.

For 2019, we took a slightly different approach with our Cruel Summer Rosé. Made in a style reminiscent of a Provençal rosé, the goal was to highlight the beauty of the fruit. The grapes were pressed right after sorting, providing the wine with just a hint of color while retaining the freshness and vibrancy of the fruit. Fermentation and aging were done in stainless steel in keeping with the philosophy that the wine should be a pure expression of the fruit. Primary and secondary fermentation were taken to completion, awarding us with complex, lively, dry components for final blending. 2019 Cruel Summer is 78% Grenache and 22% Mourvèdre, pale pink in color with aromatics that leap from the glass.



BLEND:
78% Grenache
22% Mourvèdre

AVA/VINEYARD
French Creek Vineyard
Yakima Valley AVA

HARVEST DATE
October 4, 2019

ABV: 13.0%

450 cases produced

Retail: \$25