

SEVEN FALLS

CELLARS



2017

GPS ROSÉ WINE

ROSEBUD VINEYARD
WAHLUKE SLOPE

The Seven Falls single-vineyard wines are carefully selected from only the finest blocks in the Wahluke Slope, with each location bringing exceptional focus and character to the wines. To highlight this unique sense of place, the vineyard block coordinates are included on each of the single-vineyard wines, so everyone has an opportunity to visit the Wahluke Slope from anywhere in the world.

VINTAGE

The 2017 growing season was cooler and crop yields were significantly lower in comparison to the past two vintages. The cooler early spring temperatures along with ample soil moisture from winter precipitation and spring rainfall, delayed ripening and helped to retain fresh fruit aromatics and mouthwatering acidity. Despite cold winter conditions, 2017 gave us concentrated wines with classic Washington state character.

VINEYARDS

The Wahluke Slope is nestled above the Columbia River in south-central Washington. With one of the warmest and driest climates in Washington state and sandy loam soil in the vineyards, the terroir in this historical region is perfect for creating big, bold wines with outstanding structure.

VINIFICATION

- Extreme caution was taken to protect against oxidation from field through the winery.
- The fruit was gently pressed trying to extract as much color from the skins as possible.
- The clean juice was racked off solids and then fermented in a temperature-controlled, stainless steel tank.
- Minimal fining and filtration prior to bottling retained the wine's delicate aromas and flavors.

TASTING NOTES

“This rosé of Pinot Gris offers beautiful aromas of apricot, white strawberry and lemon curd that carry on into a palate full of citrus and sweet concentrated fruit that is held up with a perfect combination of acidity leading to refreshing crisp finish.”

TECHNICAL DATA

APPELLATION

Wahluke Slope

BLEND

99% Pinot Gris and 1% other varietals

TA

0.53 g/100 mL

PH

3.14

ALCOHOL

12.1%

CASES

200

FOOD PAIRINGS

Oysters, Halibut, Grilled Pork Chops,
Spinach and Tarragon Salad, Vegetable
Skewers, Goat Cheese

Doug Gore
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