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2021 SINGLE VINEYARD AI FIORI ROSATO



2021 VINTAGE

Winter was wetter and warmer than the 25-year average, building the water table with spring cooler than normal, slowing down the vegetative cycle. These cooler temperatures persisted into summer with some abnormal drenching rains in January adding to the mild temperatures. February witnessed no rain to speak of setting up for a calm harvest through March. The crop was slightly heavier than normal due to January rain although the crunch of natural acidity from a cooler season helped set up good natural fermentation and ultimate wine balance.

VITICULTURE & WINEMAKING

Ai Fiori meaning 'amongst the flowers' in Italian is our way of describing the personality of our wine. Red grapes, in this case Marzemino and Cabernet Sauvignon, are left in contact with skins for a short period before fermentation in barrels with wild yeast.

TASTING

The breezy aromas of flowers on a summer day are accompanied by the rich depth of creamy red fruits and spice, finishing dry with a lemon and lime freshness.

PAIRING

Perfect accompaniment to a generous antipasti platter — just add friends!

TECHNICAL

RED VARIETALS: Marzemino, Cabernet Sauvignon

STYLE: Dry Rosato

SERVE: Chilled

AGING: Best consumed young and fresh. Drink now!

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