



FOLDED HILLS

# 2022 LILLY ROSÉ

## THE WINE

Our Lilly Rosé grows on the slopes of Folded Hills, farmed specifically for rosé. Winemaker Michael Brughelli works with grower Ruben Solorzano to choose the optimum picking times to capture both freshness and flavor and then makes the wine in an honest and time-honored way.

The finest Grenache clusters were selected from hillside blocks of Folded Hills. The vast majority of the fruit is the Alban Clone selection of Grenache from our Southwest facing "Ulysses" block. A little over 90% of this fruit was whole-cluster-pressed after 4-6 hours of foot treading to extract the juice with the most vibrant acidity. The remaining fruit was produced via saignée. Once pressed, native fermentation commenced with naturally occurring wild yeast. The result is a lively, mouthwatering rosé with refreshing flavor, ready to enjoy for any occasion.

## TECHNICAL INFORMATION

VINTAGE:	2022
GRAPE VARIETIES:	100% Grenache
REGION:	Santa Ynez Valley
ALCOHOL:	13.2%
pH LEVEL:	3.3

## TASTING NOTES

Bursting with bright mouthwatering acidity balanced by gentle fruit flavors of bright yellow peach, white nectarine, rose petal, fresh strawberries, and bing cherries.

## WINEMAKING

PROCESSING:	94% whole cluster pressed, foot tread, native fermentation
ÉLEVAGE:	5 months in 33% neutral French oak and 67% stainless steel

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In making Folded Hills wines, our goal is to respect the land, and through the wines, express its unique voice. With as little interference as possible, we let the grapes speak for themselves. We strive to craft beautiful wines with a focus on purity and use old-world practices in our certified organic vineyards. We consciously handcraft small-batch artisanal wines, using no commercial additives and the smallest amount of sulfur; just enough to preserve the wine. Folded Hills wines contain no residual sugar and use only native yeasts that occur naturally in the vineyard. It's all part of our promise to make wine in an honest, time-honored way.

## DETAILS

BOTTLING DATE:	February 17, 2023
RELEASE DATE:	March 6, 2023
SRP:	\$35

