# ADELSHEIM

2023 Artist Series Rosé

#### TASTING NOTES

"Ahh, the first wine released from a new vintage is always exciting and this year's Rose is a sheer delight. It's like smelling a glass that someone thoughtfully pre-filled with tangerine zest and white peach nectar. How considerate! Equally appreciated is the delicate dusting of grated nutmeg and the utterly vibrant palate. I could drink this with most meals, nearly any night of the week"

- Gina Hennen, Winemaker

#### **MEET THE ARTIST**

Anisa Asakawa is an accomplished contemporary painter based in Portland, Oregon. She seamlessly weaves her artistic passion with her role as a devoted mother of two using her deep connection with nature as a means to navigate and transform her experience with grief. Stricken by the sudden loss of her father in 2018, Anisa discovered solace and inspiration in the forest's embrace while reminiscing of her Dad, a life-long forester and champion of ecology. Anisa's meditative walks among ancient trees and moss-covered paths have become a sacred ritual, a transformative journey where the forest serves as her canvas of healing and renewal. With brush in hand, she captures the interplay of light and shadow, of life and loss, and conveys these complex emotions onto her canvases.



# **DESCRIPTORS:**

TANGERINE PEEL WHITE PEACH VIBRANT

#### **RELEASE DATE:**

MARCH 2024

#### PRODUCTION:

1,855 x 12pk 750mL

#### COMPOSITION:

100% Pinot noir

## **APPELLATION:**

WILLAMETTE VALLEY

# ALCOHOL | pH:

13% | 3.33

#### HARVEST DATES:

September 11, 2023 - September 25, 2023

#### **BOTTLING DATE:**

February 6, 2024

#### **FERMENTATION**

This wine is a combination of whole cluster pressed (52%), destemmed and pressed (13%), and saigneed juice (36%). It was fermented entirely in stainless steel tanks at cool temperatures to preserve aromatic freshness

### **AGING**

After its 30-day fermentation the majority of the wine (93%) was aged in stainless steel tanks; a small amount (7%) was aged in neutral 228L oak barrels for two months to add texture and complexity.

# VINEYARD

The grapes in this wine come entirely from LIVE certified sustainable vineyards in the north Willamette Valley, most of which (95%) are Adelsheim estate properties. The elevation of these sites ranges from 275'-875', with representation from all three of the major soil types in our region: volcanic, sedimentary, and loess soils.

"My time in the vineyards directly inspired this abstract landscape. Adelsheim's integrated ecosystem of clean water, large green spaces for wildlife, ribbons of fertile soil, and cherished vines with their distinct silhouette is a reminder that everything is connected." - Anisa Asakawa



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