



## **2019 Isabel's Cuvée**

### **Grenache Gris Rosé**

### **Gibson Ranch**

### **Mendocino**

Our oldest running wine, the 2019 is our 16th vintage making our Rosé from the historic Gibson Ranch in Mendocino's McDowell Valley. Our block dates back to the late 1800's and is home to the oldest planting of Grenache Gris in the United States. We foot stomp and leave to soak for a few hours before pressing.

Appellation: Mendocino

Vineyard: Gibson Ranch

Varietal: Field blend of Grenache Gris

Age: Planted in 1896

Elevation: 950 ft.

Soil: Talmage gravelly sandy loam

Harvested: Sept 4, 2019

Pressed: Sept 4, 2019

Maceration: A few hours

Fermentation: Wild yeasts & bacteria in

Taransaud oak vat & neutral oak barrels

Aging: 4 months in Taransaud Cuve

Bottled: February 12, 2020

Production: 396 cases of 750mL & 35 cases 1.5L Mags

Release date: Spring 2020



### **Tasting Note:**

*Strawberries and passionfruit and tangerine! Oh my! Isabel's is fresh and juicy like a homegrown clementine with undercurrents of white peach and rainier cherries. If kisses were a color, it might resemble a fresh bottle of Isabel's. Pair with easy picnic sandwiches and juicy strawberries, but only with excellent company.*