

Les Rocailles

TECHNICAL NOTES

LES ROCAILLES 2019 ROSÉ DE SAVOIE

A true earthly paradise nestled in the French Alps, Les Rocailles is owned and managed by boyhood friends and native Savoyards Guillaume Durand and Alban Thouroude, who purchased the estate and négociant business from Pierre Boniface upon his retirement in 2006. The wines have never been better at Les Rocailles!

VINEYARDS

23.5 acres owned (18.5 acres Jacquère for Apremont and Brut, 2.5 acres Altesse for Roussette, 2.5 acres Chardonnay) and nearly 26 acres leased (nearly 21 acres Jacquère, 1.3 acres Altesse, and 3.7 acres Gamay and Mondeuse for reds and rosé). The well-exposed, south/southeast-facing hillside vineyards are situated on the lower slopes of Mont Granier and are dominated by stony, clay/limestone soils. Grapes are also purchased as needed.

APPELLATION

Savoie AOP.

COMPOSITION

50% Gamay, 50% Pinot Noir.

VITICULTURE

Vines average between 20-25 years of age. Yields of 4.73 tons/acre.

VINIFICATION

From a mix of direct-pressed and tank-bled wines. Fermented in stainless steel tanks. Underwent partial malolactic conversion. 2 months on the fine lees.

ALCOHOL

12%

TASTING NOTES

This mouth-watering rosé offers delicate strawberry and raspberry aromas on the nose. Light, crisp, and bone-dry on the palate.

SERVE WITH

Enjoyable on its own, and pairs well with a wide range of lighter fare including grilled vegetable panini, charcuterie, summer fruit salad, and more.

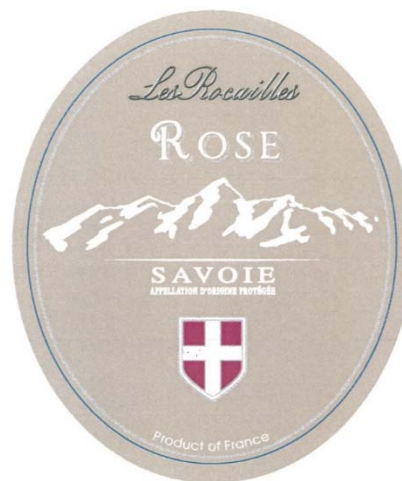
ACCOLADES

90 pts – JR, Vinous Media, 8/19 (2018)

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90 pts – Wine & Spirits, 8/17 (2016).

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