As a Négociant and Vinificateur (winery), Caves d’Escales identifies vineyards, grapes and wines from Château d’Esclans as well as local growers to make what has reputedly become the world’s greatest Rosé. As our objective is to obtain the best quality grapes and wines, we have created relationships with the local grape growers, committed beside Caves d’Esclans, whose vineyards are treated with the same high standards of quality as are the vineyards of Château d’Esclans.
This trio of “Angel themed” wines serve up a range which embraces the rosé lifestyle and are a collective force in the “rosé all day” phenomenon.

Starting with The Palm by Whispering Angel, this wine, which was launched in 2017, is the entry level rosé to this three tiered segment of our portfolio. Agreeable and light, The Palm is an enchanting rosé which draws in entry level or value conscience (yet discerning) consumers who are looking for a rosé that embodies sublime pleasure. Its brand personality is not only expressed by quality in the bottle, but by its enticing package design making The Palm a playful offspring to Whispering Angel.

As a premium Provençal rosé bearing an English name crafted by esteemed and recognized wine makers, Whispering Angel is the brand that stimulated much of the rosé lifestyle phenomenon while making an outstanding contribution towards establishing rosé in today’s top shelf drinks landscape. This also makes it the brand that launched the “Rosé Renaissance” creating a more globally accessible and appreciated category than it ever was prior to Whispering Angel’s first vintage in 2006. An enormously renowned rosé, amongst select consumers, Whispering Angel has the distinction of being among the best known and one of the most thoroughly enjoyable wines throughout the world.

The catch phrase “It all started with a Whisper and now it’s time to Rock” introduces Rock Angel. This rosé bears a more complex and structured taste profile than Whispering Angel bringing it into a more premiumized realm giving particular consumers a wine that is fabulous as an aperitif and one which is food driven. This winning combination broadens Rock Angel’s consumption possibilities amongst well-placed consumers.

As this versatile trio of wines offer different levels of intensity spanning between sublime pleasure, thorough enjoyment, refinement/food driven possibilities, it has the latitude to go with many things that lend themselves to putting wine in the most ideal of consumer environments while evoking Sacha Lichine’s mantra, “Life should be easy to drink”.

THE ROSÉ REVOLUTION
The Palm
BY
Whispering Angel

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@THEPALMROSE
AOC CÔTEAUX D’AIX-EN-PROVENCE
VIN DE PROVENCE ROSE
GRENACHE
CINSAULT
SYRAH

Pale pink with green hues both of which are clear & very expressive. Great aromatic freshness on the nose followed by more subtle, fruity notes on the palate. The freshness is coupled with exceptional length and roundness. Crisp and suave finish.

“A lightly poised and perfumed rosé that is both crisp and ripe”
Roger Voss (The Wine Enthusiast)

“This rosé will have broad appeal for its slippery palate of lemon and fresh flavours and crisp acidity full to the finish”
Anthony Garland On Wine

“Pure Provence, made for the style-conscious, you get gentle fruit flavours and a good dose of minerality to even it all out”
Rachel Fellows (Esquire)

“Shows great aromatic freshness along with subtle fruity notes”
Michael Robinson (The Royal Gazette)
IN THE ESCLANS VALLEY ANGELS WHISPER,
IF YOU DRINK THIS WINE,
YOU MIGHT HEAR THEM...
IF YOU VISIT US YOU MIGHT SEE THEM.

GRENACHE
CINSAULT
VERMENTINO

Grapes grown from some of the most choice land in the surrounding region of La Motte en Provence. The rewarding taste profile is full and lush while being bone dry with a smooth finish.

“Always delicious”
James Suckling

“Delicious, a remarkable effort”
The Wine Spectator

“Chewy and mouthwatering”
Decanter

“The Cool thing you have to drink...also impressively good”
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“Dense and rich with lovely texture”
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IT ALL STARTED WITH A WHISPER...
NOW IT’S TIME TO ROCK

GRENACHE
CINSAULT
ROLLE (VERMENTINO)

A more complex and structured taste profile than Whispering Angel bringing it into a more premium realm giving rosé lovers a bigger and richer wine. If you like the minerality of a Sancerre, you will love this wine.

“A lot of work has gone into this wine and it’s remarkably sophisticated.”
Jonathan Ray (The Spectator)

“Proves every season is rosé season”
The Daily Front Row

“Unaffected freshness, dense and long. Well-crafted and elegant.”
The Wine Spectator

“2019 Rock Angel has found its roots. It possesses more than a little gravitas while still drinking well from the off... the finest vintage to date.” 18/20
Matthew Jukes

“Rounded and rich with flavors that mingle comfortably together. Ripe aftertaste.”
90/100
Roger Voss (Wine Enthusiast)

“It might be young but there’s a power to this wine. It’s crisp and clean on the nose, and the fruit waits until its needed.”
Tony Harries (Winefullness)

“A rosé with substance. Medium to full body and a creamy texture. Flavorful and beautiful.” 93/100
James Suckling

“A little more soft rock than punk thanks to a little time in the barriques giving a slightly more rounded mouthful”
Patrick Schmitt

93 POINTS
HOT OFF THE PRESS

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ELEVEN OUTSTANDING ROSÉS FOR UNDER £20

by Simon Jermyn

If you’re feeling a little spoiled for choice on the rosé wine market right now, and don’t want to risk disappointment, we are here to help. With the heat rising, we’ve curfew £20 from this year’s Global Rosé Masters.

With some rose now on sale, wine drinker’s thoughts inevitably turn to rose, particularly the pale, dry sort that fashionable right now, and we’re on the slopes, it’s necessary to have some form of guidance.

Well, having conducted the Global Rosé Masters this year, which is the largest professional tasting of pink wines in the UK in 2023, we can offer some direction for drinkers.

Then because the samples are assembled blind, meaning that the tasters don’t know the producer or region, we are able to be both fair and unbiased. We have received the same price category, which doesn’t mean that there are many different in their overall price, but it does mean the styles are distinct.

Finally, I should stress that the following recommendations have all been taken from the three years Global Rosé Masters, which have always been manifold and serious. As a pink wine enthusiast, I urge you to try these and see the difference from the competition.

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2020 LEADERS CHOICE AWARDS

BEST NEW PRODUCT AWARDS

THE PALM BY WHISPERING ANGEL

The Palm by Whispering Angel rose debuted in the autumn of 2017 and officially launched at retail a year later. It’s a sister product to Whispering Angel, a dry wine that’s largely conducted with the same care and respect.

Both Whispering Angel and The Palm were founded by Sacha Lichine at Château d’Esclans and are jointly owned by Mass Sippizes, USA, with Whispering Angel accounting for about 90% of the Château’s volume. The Palm is a blend of Grenache, Cinsault, and Syrah selected from vineyards in the Cotes-de-Provence appellation.

The Rose wine drinks with its fresh aroma and crisp fruity notes.

According to Shawn Ray vice president and national fine wine director Paul Callaway, The Palm by Whispering Angel ($11.75 a 750 mL) was created specifically to appeal to millennials and Gen Z consumers. With its pale pink hue, its colorful label with palm tree imagery, and its Stelvin screw cap, the wine is more approachable—and more accessible priced—than other prestige wines on the market that might intimidate younger wine drinkers. If rose is called the entry point into wine, The Palm can surely be called the entry point into rosé.

The Palm by Whispering Angel depleted an impressive 102,900 9-liter cases in 2019, and is expected to approach 200,000 cases this year—and from Importer Hot Bond Imports—in just its third year on the market. The Palm’s success comes at a promising time for rose, which has consistently established itself as a stand-alone category that has expanded into numerous regions and styles.

Jessica Bode

THE DAILY FRONT ROW

ROCK ANGEL PROVES EVERY SEASON IS ROSE SEASON

T he Rock Angel by Whispering Angel rosé is the latest in a long line of successful wines from the iconic Provencal brand. Named after the onetime home of the company’s founder, the Rock Angel is crafted from a blend of Grenache, Cinsault, and Syrah grapes, and is designed to be approachable and enjoyable at any age.

Just like the Palm, Rock Angel has been a hit among consumers, with many touting its versatility and ability to pair well with a variety of foods. The wine’s bright pink color and delicate floral aromas make it a perfect choice for summer entertaining, making it a welcome addition to any rose lover’s collection.

Full bodied yet zesty, Rock Angel is sure to please with its blend of ripe red fruits and lively acidity. It pairs perfectly with lighter dishes such as grilled chicken or seafood, making it an ideal choice for any occasion.

The Rock Angel is available at most retailers and online wine shops, so be sure to check your local liquor store or order it online to experience the taste of Provence in a bottle.

Cherchez la gente:

Cherchez la gente is a new venture in provence offers a contemporary twist to the Provence landscape, pairing vibrant wines with delicious French cuisine.

THE REVEAL: THE WINE WRITER’S CIRCLE OF CANADA'S WINES

OTTAWA - The Ottawa Wine Writers' Circle of Canada has released its annual Wine Tasting and Domestic Wines session, offering the perfect opportunity for wine enthusiasts to sample some of the best wines from across the country.

This year, the event was held at the historic Chateau Laurier, providing guests with a unique setting to enjoy the impressive selection of wines.

As the evening progressed, guests were treated to a variety of wines, including a tour of the winery, a guided tasting session led by industry experts, and a chance to mingle with the winemakers and other wine professionals.

Among the highlights of the evening was the opportunity to try some of the world's finest wines, including a selection of rare and vintage bottles.

The event was a huge success, with guests raving about the selection of wines and the atmosphere.

For more information, visit www.winemakerscircle.ca.

Gothic Epiphany Wines

The Gothic Epiphany Wines' Circle of Canada's Wineries is an annual event held in Ottawa, featuring some of the best wines from across the country.

This year's event, held at the historic Chateau Laurier, was a huge success, with guests enjoying a variety of wines from some of the country's top producers.

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