SUNSTONE

SPARKLING WINES



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# 2019 RAPSODIE



\$65.00

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Rated 91 Points by Wine Enthusiast

**GRAPE BLEND & SOURCE** 

59% Grenache, 29% Syrah, 12% Mourvedre Sunstone Estate vineyard, and Roblar and Coquelicot vineyards

**TECHNICAL SPECS** 

pH: 3.56

Acidity: 5.3g/L

Alcohol: 14.3%

17 months in neutral French oak

**TASTING NOTES** 

An abundance of dark fruit on the nose, including notes of blackberries, black plums, boysenberries

and fresh figs, with underlying hints of chocolate and espresso. On the palate, fruit character is

supplanted by notes of cherry cola, tobacco, and almonds before culminating in a smooth finish.

WINEMAKING

The Syrah, Grenache, and Mourvedre fruit for the 2019 Rapsodie was hand harvested from three

vineyards within a five mile radius of Sunstone, all of which practice organic farming. The fruit was

harvested in the morning and then crushed/de-stemmed into a chilled tank as separate lots. We

blended the components of this wine in June 2020. The blend and its lots were in barrel for 17

months before being bottled to 586 cases in March 2021.

**FOOD PAIRING** 

Italian Beef Braciola (rolled stuffed meat, in sauce), a Southern Italian dish slow rich simmered

tomato sauce with beef, prosciutto, garlic, herbs.

**CELLARING** 

The 2019 Rapsodie can be enjoyed now and for up to an additional 4-8 years if stored in proper

conditions.

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