



P L E I A D E S

*“As I have stated so many times before,
Sean Thackrey’s limited production gems
are among the most original expressions
of winemaking in California.”*

- Robert M. Parker

2023 ROSÉ GIBSON RANCH MENDOCINO COUNTY

Our friend, a true legend and saint, Bob Gibson lent his hand to press these grapes. Not only did he grow them but, when it came to deliver them, he jumped out of the truck and rolled up his sleeves to help finish the job.

This Rosé has seen between 8 and 9 hours of skin contact before being pressed then fermented in stainless steel. It takes a steely eye and a firm hand to gauge the right time to press, although it is better to be lucky than good... but why not be both? Behold, this is indeed a beauty to behold. Delicious and light-hearted but produced with all the serious care and attention to voluptuous detail for which our wines are legendary. The color is simply stunning, reminiscent of a wedding, and beautiful, in a Goldilocks manner: not too pink but just pink enough. And the fruit flavors of watermelon and alpine strawberry are beautifully balanced by bright and tight acidity and a dry and savory aspect that keeps those fruits in line. Serve cool but not cold; after all, the night is still young.

APPELLATION: Mendocino County
WINE-MAKER: Dustin Durfee
VINEYARD: Gibson Ranch
RELEASED: April 2024
CASES: 190
ALC: 13.8%
SUGGESTED RETAIL: \$21.99

