



2007 DRY SYRAH ROSE

In the spirit of Praxis where practice makes perfect, Bill gets to play a little as a winemaker. He had not made a rose for over twenty years, but wanted to expand his craft again. The Syrah grapes are from the heart of the Alexander Valley; the same vineyard where we get our Merlot. The idea was to make a lovely dry rose for summer and *this is it!*

The wine is a beautiful salmon color with a floral, strawberry nose. Flavors of strawberry, watermelon and guava are accented by a little spice and vanilla. The wine is dry and has bright acidity with a medium body.

Varietal:	100% Syrah	Alcohol:	12.5%
% Malolactic:	0	Appellation:	Alexander Valley
TA (g/100 ml):	.72	Brix at Harvest:	23.2
pH:	3.5	Residual Sugar:	.1 gm/100ml
Winemaker:	Bill Arbios	Production:	400 cases

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