



DeLILLE CELLARS

Doyenne 2011 Rosé

Departing from the mourvèdre dominant cuvées of prior vintages, this year's Doyenne Rosé showcases our Grenache fruit offering profound strawberry and raspberry aromas with hints of earth, anise, citrus and watermelon characters.

Showing greater palate weight than a typical rosé, the 2011 vintage expresses complex flavors of wild strawberries and melon wrapped in a supple texture with a refreshing crisp focus.

This combination of juicy acidity and creamy mouthfeel make our rosé a perfectly balanced summertime wine – definitely my top choice for alfresco dining.



Appellation

Red Mountain

Varietal

63% Grenache
37% Mourvèdre

Vineyard Breakdown

32% Boushey Grenache
31% Ciel du Cheval Grenache
37% Ciel du Cheval Mourvèdre

Robert Parker's Wine Advocate
December 2012

90 Points

"Enjoy this fine value over the next 9-12 months, though lay-in lots if you expect it to last that long."