



2002 PINOT NOIR, ROSELLA'S VINEYARD SANTA LUCIA HIGHLANDS



A Shangri-la for the senses. Cardamom, violets, roses, and even pomegranate essence meld into one curvaceous first vintage. Located only short distance from Garys', Rosella's Vineyard yields fruit of the same high caliber but truly is unique unto itself. Expressive and refined, Rosella's ripe red fruit characteristics underlie exotic spices. The finish is nothing less than long and voluptuous. Dare we say... the Siren's song.

APPELLATION	<i>100% Santa Lucia Highlands 100% Pinot Noir</i>	ANALYSIS	<i>Alcohol 14.2% pH 3.78 TA .52</i>
HARVEST	<i>October 1, 2002 Picked 26.5 Brix</i>	PRODUCTION	<i>300 cases</i>
VINEYARD	<i>Rosella's Vineyard Santa Lucia Highlands</i>	BOTTLED	<i>January 16, 2004 Suggested Retail: \$50</i>
BARREL AGING	<i>15 Months French Oak 75% New French Oak</i>	NOTES	
RELEASE	<i>May 2004</i>		

H I S T O R Y

Founded in 1998 by Dave Miner, President of Oakville Ranch Vineyards, along with his wife Emily and his parents, Ed and Norma, Miner Family Vineyards produces small lot, handcrafted wines using fruit from Oakville Ranch, Ed and Norma's vineyard and other carefully selected California vineyards. We produce limited quantities of Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Cabernet Franc, Syrah, Zinfandel, Sangiovese, Pinot Noir, Chardonnay, Viognier and Sauvignon Blanc using a combination of old world winemaking techniques and modern technology. The focus of our label is to produce high-end, reserve style wines that reflect the unique characteristics of individual vineyards or "terroir" where specific varietals grow best.