

## 2018 Pinot Noir Rosé San Luis Obispo

# Tasting Notes:

A beautiful pale peach rose color, this refined wine slowly reveals itself with velvety textures and mouth-filling flavors. It opens with warm aromatics of rose petals and a hint of red strawberry and red cherry fruit. On the palate, flavors of fresh berries are accented by refreshing notes of bright acidity and minerality driven by the vineyard proximity to the ocean in one of the Central Coast premier growing regions.

#### **Laetitia and Spanish Springs Vineyards:**

Laetitia vineyard is located two miles from the ocean, at the base of the Piccochio mountain south of Arroyo Grande. This is always a low yielding vineyard due to influence of ocean winds during bloom.

Spanish Springs Vineyard is located two miles east of Pismo Beach. It is nestled behind a small mountain that shields it from the ocean winds. This is one of the best vineyards for Chardonnay and Pinot Noir in San Luis Obispo County.

#### **About the Winemakers:**

The ultra-premium wines of Lightpost Winery are the result of the hard work and dedication of winemakers Sofia Fedotova and Christian Roguenant. Sofia, a successful entrepreneur, has long been fascinated with wine and started the winery after receiving a winemaker certificate from UC Davis. Christian has won numerous awards for his wines. His Champagne was served in the 1984 Olympic games. He was a judge for over 100 International wine competitions. In 2017, Christian was voted by industry peers as the California Central Coast winemaker of the year.

### **Technical description:**

Blend: 100 % Pinot Noir, 50% Laetitia and 50 % Spanish Springs vineyard.

Oak regimen: 100% Five year old French oak for 7 months.

Alcohol: 14.1%

Cases produced: 56

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