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Krasna Hora



Owner: Vybiral family

Country: Czech Republic

Region: Moravia

Founded: 1960s

Annual Production: 6,500cs

Description: Krasna Hora is a family-run winery boasting 7 hectares of organic vineyards in the historic region of Moravia, near the Austrian border. The region, which sits at the same latitude as Alsace and the Mosel, boasts a winemaking tradition dating to the 13th century when French monks planted the first vines. Today, Krasna Hora boasts a range of award-winning biodynamic wines that merge complexity and elegance.

Wine Notes – 2018 Krasna Hora Pink (Rose)

Krasna Hora's Pink is a delicious, quaffable rose made from two distinct clones of 100% biodynamically-farmed, estate-grown Pinot Noir. The hand-harvested, whole-cluster grapes were picked at the end of September and foot stomped quickly after picking to maintain freshness. This was immediately followed by a quick fermentation using native yeast and nine months of aging on lees in 5-6 year old oak barriques, before being bottled, unfiltered and unfined.

The resulting wine is a brilliant pale rose gold in color with a nose that features lifted red berry aromas and hints of forest fruits. The palate has intense red and black cherry flavors along with mouthwatering freshness and liveliness, followed by a long, clean finish. As a bottling made using methods typically associated with white wines, yet made from red grapes, this wine is versatile and boasts a balanced, crisp acidity that will complement a wide range of foods.

Technical Specifications

Varietal Composition:	100% Pinot Noir
Vineyard Region:	Krasna Hora / Moravia / Czech Republic
Vine Age / Yields:	Gently sloping vineyards, south / southwest exposures
Soil Types:	Loess soils
Wine-Making / Vinification:	Organic and biodynamic agriculture Hand-harvested whole-cluster grapes picked at the end of September then quickly foot stomped. Quick native yeast fermentation followed by nine months of aging on lees in 500L 5-6 year old oak barriques Unfiltered and unfined, 48g total sulfites.
Alcohol / Volume:	11.5%
Acidity:	5.9 g/L
Residual Sugar:	0.9 g/L