



## **2004 DOMAINE ALFRED CHAMISAL VINEYARD ROSE' of SYRAH**

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Domaine Alfred is a young winery, born from a tradition of excellence, merged with innovative approaches and blessed by the wonders of the Central California coast. The winery produces Pinot Noir, Chardonnay and Syrah wines, along with selective specialty wines.

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The 2004 harvest started out as a text book harvest. As we went into September the heat came on reaching 105°F which is highly unusual for our cool valley. It became a race to see how quickly we could get the Pinot Noir in. In 2004 the winter freezing temperatures and rains were absent. Bud break was in February, which is normal for the Edna Valley. Mildew pressure was high but our Compost Tea used as a fungicide the preceding year, was encouraging enough that it became our main weapon against mildew for the 2004 season.

Harvest started on August 28, 2004.

Style:	Rose'
Vineyard Data:	Vertical leaf-pulling, aggressive canopy management
Fermentation Type:	100% French Oak Barrel
Yeast:	Native
Clones:	Various
Cooperage:	3 Year old French oak
Clarification:	Unfiltered, Unfined
Case Production:	180 cases
Release Date:	April 1, 2005
Retail Bottle Price:	\$22.00

### **Wine Maker Notes:**

This is a racy Rose' with bright strawberry and ripe cherry fruit contrasted with a firm, dry, polished finish.