2021 "Mavi" Rosé

Barone Ritter de Zahony Wines, Friuli-Aquileia, Italy



The Wine:

This dry rose is made from a grape native to the Trentino-Alto Adige region of northeast Italy called Rebo. The grape was named after the oenologist who created the grape by cross-breeding Merlot and Terroldego. This rose was made without any skin contact because the varietal has an extremely dark pigment and the juice is naturally pink without any skin contact. "Mavi" is the name of the owner's daughter. There were less than 300 cases made in 2021.

The Estate:

Barone Ritter de Zahony is in Friuli near the town of Aquileia, an area famous for its wine production since 180 BC. The winery itself is located in an ancient Monastery that dates back to the 11th century. The property was purchased in 1850 by the Ritter de Zahony family and today it is managed by Guido Federico Rossignoli along with his wife Roberta and his sister Sabina Rossignoli. Carrying on the traditions of the family and growing the grapes using sustainable agriculture they produce small quantities of wonderful wines.

Tasting Notes:

Color: Pale pink-salmon

Aromas: Fresh flowers, tart berries and red plums.

Flavors & Texture: Tart blueberries, subtle citrus fruit and minerals are delicate and thirst quenching with a clean and dry finish.

Food Pairing: Seared Ahi tuna served over a bed of baby spinach, arugula and jicama slices drizzled with a sesame-soy vinaigrette dressing,

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