

## Caves D'Esclans Identifies Vinevards, Grapes Become The World's Greates

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## Caves D'Esclans 2016 Whispering Angel Rosé

Provence, France



Dry Med Sweet

ALCOHOL 13%

VARIETY

Grenache, Rolle, Cinsault, Syrah, and Mourvedre.

## Colour Notes

A charming coral pink.

## Aroma Notes

Delicate aromas displaying subtle white florals, citrus, and white stone fruit.

## Palate Notes

Signature irresistable silk texture on the palate. Refreshing pink citrus, with a mineral streak reminiscent of river stone. Charming, refreshing, refined, and with plenty of succulent summer berry fruit. Drinkable is certainly an understatement.



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## Wine Spectator

90 POINTS

Alluring, with a creamy feel to the mix of white peach, mango and white cherry fruit flavors that stay nicely defined on the finish, thanks to a subtle mineral edge.

## Matthew Jukes

18 POINTS

The colour is the palest coral pink. The texture is fast becoming a d'Esclans hallmark - gossamer silk with a magical slipperiness offset with tangu citrus pink grapefruit notes and cool, river-stone minerality. This is a perfect Whispering Angel and it will appeal from the moment it is poured into your glass until the last sunset next summer.

## Winederlusting

## 5 STARS - BEST ROSÉ FOR SUMMER 2016

This dry Rosé is a refreshing and crisp summer treat, worthy of a boat appearance. In the glass, the Whispering Angel has a beautiful light colored pale pink rose and salmon hue to it. It packs beautiful perfume-esque fragrances of tropical summer fruit and strawberry. The opening palate is bright, young, crisp and refreshing. There are big hints of ripe red raspberry, strawberry and apricot. Bits of mild citrus become more evident on the midpalate, backed by additional red berry notes. The subtle citrus tart really adds some dimensionality to the wine, increasing complexity and also bringing out some clean mineral notes. Approaching the close, the wine stays refreshing with a perfect balance of light strawberry and citrus fruit over a long finish.