

2023 Monte Christo Winery Pinot Noir

The 2023 Pinot Noir leads with macerated cherries and garden roses, strawberry, pink peppercorn and dried herbs. In the mouth, the wine sends a profusion of pomegranate and cold-tea characters over the palate; it is very fine, very intensely flavored and structured by tannins that are lacy and yet ductile. The fruit is ripe but never once strays "over the line" into overripe. This is a gorgeous wine here and is highly recommended. It is creamy. 13% alcohol, sealed under screw cap.

- Erin Larkin (December, 2024)

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