

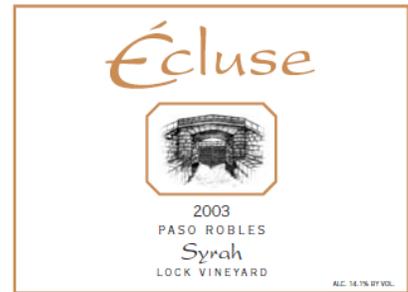
# 2003 Syrah *Library*

*Lock Vineyard*

## *Tasting Notes:*

Our 2003 Lock Vineyard will not disappoint! Typical of great Paso Robles Syrahs, the color is richly dense with deep garnet hues, leading to a wonderful nose of fruit, spice and overtones of chocolate. This wine is extremely well balanced, rich and silky smooth with layers of complexity and a perfectly balanced acidity and tannic structure. Aged to perfection, our Syrah is showing a very rich, smooth mid palate with a luscious, long, lingering finish. Due to the extended bottle aging, we highly recommend decanting this wine for 2 hours before enjoying this wine! Cheers!

*Only 200 cases of this exemplary wine were produced!*



## *About Écluse Wines:*

Écluse Wines may not be familiar to you yet, but stand by! As the home of the San Francisco Chronicle's Sweepstakes winning Best Red Wine, we at Écluse are dedicated to producing limited production, handcrafted, award-winning wines from our very own Lock Vineyard. Nestled in the gently rolling hillside terroir on the desired Westside of the Paso Robles AVA, we feature Bordeaux and Rhone style wines, as well as our fabulous Zinfandel. Our wines are often described as silky, lush, smooth and approachable when first released, becoming even more complex and elegant as they age!

A question almost always asked of us is about our name, Écluse. The explanation is simple – Écluse is French for the locks on the canals that gently carve their way through the remarkable French wine country – since our last name is Lock, the name Écluse for our wines was born.

Our philosophy from the beginning is that great fruit makes great wine. Having our own small winery onsite gives us the added benefit of picking and crushing small lots throughout the vineyard when the fruit has reached its peak flavors. Having the control from the vineyard to the bottle insures that Écluse will remain the truly remarkable wine that it is today!

We invite you to “Savor the Wine that is truly Écluse!”

Cheers!

Steve & Pam Lock  
Proprietors