

2010 Écluse Viognier

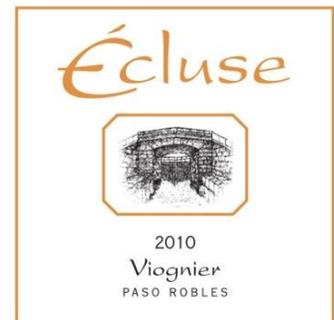
Tasting Notes :

Here at Écluse we get to harvest some of the most exceptional fruit in Paso Robles and this is evident in our inaugural release of our 2010 Viognier. We usually use this varietal for blending in our white Rhone blend, "Prelude", however we found three standout barrels from three premium vineyards in Paso Robles and decided we had to bottle this special wine on its own. We are delighted to introduce to you our first single varietal Viognier! It is a classically structured Paso Robles Viognier with aromas of guava, peaches, coconut, tropical fruit flavors and a hint of creamy butter with an exceptionally full mid-palate and a long, lingering finish. This truly exceptional wine is perfect to enjoy on its own but is also very food friendly! Enjoy!

Only 75 cases of this incredible wine were produced!

Accolades & Awards:

GOLD Medal – 4 hearts, "Love at First Sip!" - Rhone Shootout, Affairs of the Vine



About Écluse Wines:

Écluse Wines may not be familiar to you yet, but stand by! As the home of a San Francisco Chronicles 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 on site 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

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