

Caduceus Cellars & Merkin Vineyards

Caduceus 2013 **Chupacabra Rosa**

Varietals: 29% Sangiovese, 22% Primitivo, 19% Montepulciano
15% Mourvedre, 15% Grenache

Vineyard: Luna Rosa Vineyard, Luna County, NM

Elevation: 4300ft Soil: Alluvial fans with sandy loam

Process: Hand picked. Whole cluster pressed. Barrel fermented. Aged in stainless and oak.

Alcohol: 13.5%

Winemaker: MJ Keenan, J. Bechard

Impressions: Fresh sweetly scented honeysuckle. Vanilla cream.

Kiwi, ruby red grapefruit and strawberry - smooth and balanced.

Like butterhead lettuce, a slight bitterness on the finish complements the flavor.

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