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What To Drink Now: Tasting and Toasting in Sonoma (Part Two)

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Lasseter Family Winery continues to make impressive, approachable, Bordeaux and Rhone style blends from their sustainably farmed Glen Ellen Estate vines. Started in the late 1990's, created out of love for each other and for great French wines, John and Nancy Lasseter started their Sonoma winery to create wines that were classic, Old World style that showed artistry in the glass and stewardship for the vines in the vineyard. There is also a bit of whimsy, as you would expect from the Pixar founder and his creative bride, with a steam train

running through the estate vineyards as a nod to John's love of trains and wooden puzzles, many depicting their beautiful wine labels designed by artist Dennis Zieminski, set throughout the tasting room, a nod to Nancy's passion for puzzles.

enjoyMore than that though, they make beautiful wine with the help of winemaker Julia Iantosca whose blend is like her symphony, each glass creating a concerto. As spring is upon us, the Lasseter Enjoue is a perfect wine for evenings on the front porch at sunset. A Provence style Rose blend of Syrah, Grenache and Mourvedre the dry, delicate and fresh wine is filled with notes of strawberry, tangerine and watermelon...summer in a glass. The Enjoue Rose is available via the Lasseter Winery website for \$24 a bottle.

