



WALLA WALLA VALLEY

2019 Red Wine Blend Walla Walla Valley

VINTAGE NOTES

- 2019 was another stellar vintage in Washington State. Winter temperatures were average preceding the growing season resulting in little to no vine damage and normal bud break.
- Warm spring temperatures created excellent conditions for canopy growth and early fruit development.
- Summertime temperatures were mild followed by cooler fall temperatures which were ideal for maintaining acidity and developing beautiful fruit aromas and flavors.

VINEYARD NOTES

- The fruit for this red blend was sourced 100% from two of Walla Walla's best vineyard sites.
- Spring Valley provided the Merlot and the Cabernet Sauvignon as sourced from Anna Marie.
- This blend provides concentrated flavors, structure and complexity.

WINEMAKING NOTES

- Grapes were destemmed, crushed and inoculated with Premier Cuvée yeast to begin the fermentation.
- The must was punched down daily during fermentation, and was then racked into barrels to undergo malolactic fermentation.
- Racking occurred every three months for clarity during the 20-month aging process. Aged in 100% French oak with 41% new barrels.

RECOMMENDED FOOD PAIRINGS

- roasted lamb, prime rib, aged cheeses, wood fired pizza and street tacos

TASTING NOTES

“Lush, savory, and elegant. This limited production red wine from Walla Walla showcases notes of olive, black cherry, boysenberry, plum, and truffle leading in to a long and satisfying toasted coconut and vanilla finish.” – David Merfeld, Winemaker

TA: 0.56g/100mL

PH: 3.77

ALCOHOL: 14.7%

BLEND: 64% Merlot and 36% Cabernet Sauvignon

CASE PRODUCTION:

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