



2010

MERLOT

WALLA WALLA VALLEY

Dense, dark, and lush but with amazing focus and levity. Loaded with dark blue and black fruits. Gorgeous high tone aromatics are reminiscent of brambleberry reduction compote. Long and plush on the palate, but with a fine grained tannin structure and brilliant acidity from the epic 2010 vintage. This may be the finest Merlot in Leonetti's history. I am completely enamored by the complexity of this wine. The cool vintage gives such restraint to the opulence of the fruit. This wine will drink well upon release but age for many years to come.

TASTING NOTES

VINEYARDS IN THIS WINE
 Mill Creek Upland
 Loess
 Seven Hills

AGING PROFILE
 Aged 15 Months in
 New and Neutral
 French Oak Barrels
 and Neutral French
 Oak Botti

BLENDING DETAIL
 100% Merlot

PRODUCTION
 1500 cases

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