



2013
MERLOT
WALLA WALLA VALLEY

As pure and linear an expression of Walla Walla Merlot that you might imagine. Simply gorgeous red and black fruits, especially blueberries, raspberries, and hints of dried apricot. The mouth feel is so wonderfully plush, delicious, and expansive. This wine just makes me smile with pleasure and is everything I love about Walla Walla Merlot. The addition of 8% Cabernet Franc from old vines at the Leonetti Estate contributes lovely violet aromatics and glycerin to the palette.

TASTING NOTES

VINEYARDS IN THIS WINE
Loess
Mill Creek Upland
Leonetti Old Block

AGING PROFILE
15 months in new
and once filled French
oak barrels, puncheons,
and oval botti

BLENDING DETAIL
92% Merlot
8% Cabernet Franc

PRODUCTION
1898 cases

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