

WATERBROOK

WALLA WALLA, WASHINGTON

• 2015 •

Syrah

COLUMBIA VALLEY

VINTAGE NOTE

The 2015 Washington state harvest will go down in history as the vintage where parts of the state persevered above irrigation restrictions, several 100-degree days, and a few late-season regional wildfires that spared growers from any problems. It will also be noted as the year with a record surge in growing degree days, a harvest that started early and ended by mid-October, and a bounty that surpassed even the 227,000-ton record set during the 2014 Washington harvest. Fruit flavors from this harvest are concentrated and intense, with moderate berry size, excellent phenolic ripeness and balanced acidity.

Grape Source: Canyon Vineyard Ranch, Mirage, Skyfall, Willard

Variety Percentage: 100% Syrah

Harvest Date: August 31 – September 29, 2015

TASTING NOTE

Floral and black fruit aromas make way for blueberry and currant flavors, accented by clove and anise. With a round mouthfeel and a touch of sweetness, this wine finishes with lingering flavors of toasted almonds and coconut. Pairs well with just about any red meat, but especially slow cooked beef dishes.



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Yeast: Andante

ML: 100%

Oak: 21% New AO.

Balance to 2nd–4th use oak

Aged: 14 months

TA: 5.2g/l PH: 3.83

RS: 0.27 g/l

Fining: None

Alcohol: 14.45%

Bottled: Nov. 21–22, 2016

Cases Produced: 3,500