

2019 RED BLEND

Wahluke Slope - Washington State

TASTING NOTES

Aromas of black cherries, black currants and dark chocolate notes. On the palate, flavors of blackberry, cherry, cedar and mocha are followed by smooth elongated tannins and subtle acid to balance out the delicate long finish.

VINEYARD NOTES

The Wahluke slope AVA sits on a large alluvial fan, creating uniform soils over a large area. Deep topsoil and wind-blown sand provide ample drainage and ripening conditions. Warmer site, with proximity to the Columbia River help minimize the risk of frost.

ACCOLADES

v.19 **91pts. 'Gold**' Sunset Int. Wine Competition '24 v.19 **89pts. 'Best Buy**' Wine Enthusiast v.2018 - 90 points "Editor's Choice" Wine Enthusiast

OUR MISSION

Alkí (al-Kai) - Chinook word meaning 'hope for the future' is our State's motto. Alkí exhibits the 'hope for the future' of Washington State wines by delivering extraordinary quality and value.

THE WINERIES

We are a family owned Washington grown business. At RM Wineries we craft our wines with the love for our state first and foremost with the uttermost concentration to create excellent wines at values that are incomparable. With over 3,000 estate acres located on the Wahluke Slope AVA and Ancient Lakes of Columbia Valley AVA, two facilities and 2 bottling lines capable of producing over 5 million cases per year, we have the ability to be Washington State's largest grape to table wine company. All our wines utilize estate grown fruit using sustainable farming methods.



<u>Varietals:</u> 47% Syrah, 37% Malbec, 9% Merlot, 6% Petite Verdot, 1% Cabernet Sauvignon

Alc%: 14.5%

Vineyards: Wahluke Slope

AVA: Washington State

Harvest Date: Mid-Late October 2019

Production: 25% Stainless steel fermentation,12-15 day maceration fermented to dryness.75% Barrel Fermentation to dryness. Blended and put to barrel for 18 months of aging.

Case Production: 2546

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