



2016 RESERVE SYRAH

APPELLATION:

The Rocks District of Milton-Freewater, Walla Walla Valley

VINEYARDS:

Funk Estate Vineyard (60%)
Watermill Estate Vineyard (40%)

TECHNICAL NOTES:

pH 3.92
TA 0.54 g/100mL
Alcohol 14.7% By Volume

FERMENTATION:

Partially whole cluster, partially destemmed and crushed into open top fermenters with cap punched down by hand two-three times per day. Secondary fermentation finished in barrel.

AGING:

17 months in French oak barrels, 16% new

CASES PRODUCED:

248 cases

RELEASE DATE:

October 1, 2018

SENSORY NOTES:

Another gorgeous expression of Rocks fruit, with complex aromas of wet stone, French roast coffee, and nutmeg up front. Notes of sassafras, licorice root, and hazelnut emerge with time in the glass. Minerality dominates the palate, supporting the juicy acidity and flavors of chocolate, blackberry, and anise. A long, raspberry-infused finish invites another sip. Enjoy!

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