

2014 Valery

Right Bank Bordeaux Style Red Blend

The story of this wine. Valery is named for the patron saint of wine in the St.Emilion region that inspired it. We started with old vine Merlot from a stony block in the heart of the Yakima Valley and added complex, aromatic Cabernet Franc from the Horse Heaven Hills. The result is a balanced, complex wine with the elegance and ethereal perfume that this blend of two of Washington's best varietals are known for.

Winemaker's Tasting Note. Leads with aromas of black raspberry, huckleberry, tobacco, crushed rock, and a hint of cherry liqueur. The palate is plush and silky, with elegant notes of red fruits, milk chocolate, freshly turned earth, and spearmint, leading to a clean, mineral-laden finish.

Vintage: 2014

AVA: Columbia Valley

Blend:

60% Merlot
40% Cabernet Franc

Winemaking:

Native yeast fermentation,
30% new French oak,
aged 20 months.
Bottled unfiltered, unfiltered.

pH 3.76
TA 5.5 g/L
VA .80 g/L
Alcohol 14.7%

Vineyards:

60% Boushey Vineyard
Merlot - 1986 planting
40% Champoux Vineyard
Cabernet Franc - 1997 planting

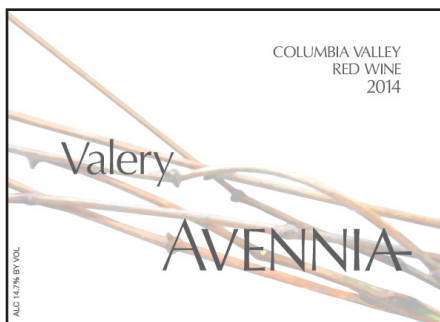
Cases: 241

Release: February 2017



Vintage Scores:

2012: Advocate: 92+, Tanzer - 93, Enthusiast - 91
2013: Advocate - 92, Tanzer - 92+, Enthusiast - 91
2014: Robert Parker's Wine Advocate - 94



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