



POWERS

A·V·A COLLECTION

2014

RED WINE

WAHLUKE SLOPE AVA

TASTING NOTES

Bright and layered aromatics of dried red fruits, red licorice, sweet cigar, cinnamon with nice undertones of lavender on the nose, this wine explodes on the palate for a nice range of flavors. Flavors of dark cherry, dried black fruits, currant, eucalyptus and vanilla with a touch of nutmeg lead to an elegant finish with fine tannins and a nice balance of acidity.

BLEND/VINEYARD INFO

70% Grenache, 20.5% Syrah, 5% Mourvedre, & 4.5% Cinsault

70% Clifton Bluff Vineyard Grenache, Wahluke Slope

20.5% Cougar Vineyard Syrah, Wahluke Slope

5% Goose Ridge Mourvedre, Columbia Valley

4.5% Michaels Vineyard Cinsault, Wahluke Slope

WAHLUKE SLOPE A.V.A NOTES

- Established in 2006 and naturally bounded by the Columbia River to the west and south, the Saddle Mountains on the north, and on the east by the Hanford Reach National Monument, the Wahluke Slope AVA lies entirely within the established Columbia Valley appellation.
- The 81,000 acre region features approximately 8,491 acres of vineyards: nearly 15 percent of the total wine grape acreage in the state with the top grape varieties: Merlot, Syrah, Cabernet Sauvignon, Riesling, Chardonnay, and Chenin Blanc.
- Wahluke Slope has one of the driest, warmest climates in the state, allowing nearly complete control of vine vigor and ripening through irrigation.

TECHNICAL DATA

Release Date: May 2017 Alcohol: 14% Residual Sugar: Dry

Acidity: 0.64 pH 3.82 Cases: 225

Oak: 24 months in 50% 2nd use French oak 30% 3rd use French Oak

20% Neutral % French Oak

