

2020 UPLAND GRENACHE



WINEMAKER NOTES

Our 2020 Upland Vineyard Grenache is a vibrant and elegant expression of this classic Rhône varietal, showcasing the unique terroir of Washington's Upland Vineyard. With a vibrant ruby hue, the wine offers enticing aromas of ripe red berries, floral violet notes, and hints of white pepper and spice. On the palate, flavors of juicy red fruit are complemented by subtle earthy undertones and supple tannins, culminating in a long and satisfying finish. Fermented with native yeasts and aged in a combination of French oak barrels and stainless steel tanks, the wine retains its fruit purity and expresses its full potential with minimal intervention.

VINEYARD

Upland Vineyard epitomizes excellence in grape cultivation. Its diverse microclimates and meticulous vineyard practices yield grapes of exceptional quality. Upland Vineyard's sustainable approach and commitment to innovation continue to shape the region's wine landscape, making it a cornerstone of Washington's viticultural heritage.

VINTAGE

2020 started with a mild spring followed by a warm and dry summer, promoting even ripening and flavor development showcasing excellent fruit quality, balanced acidity, and vibrant flavors across varietals.

PAIRINGS

Grilled and roasted meats like lamb or beef. Wild game such as venison and duck. Hearty stews like beef stew and cassoulet. Aged and smoked cheeses. Vegetarian options such as mushroom risotto or lentil stew.

APPELLATION: Snipes Mountain

COMPOSITION: 100% grenache

ALCOHOL: 14.2%

YEAST: Native yeast

FERMENTATIONS: 100% whole cluster, slow and low

AGING: 50% concrete 50% neutral oak puncheons

CELLARING: Enjoy now through 2032

95 POINTS
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