



SMOKY ROSE
CELLARS



2019 Syrah

Vineyard

E'ritage, although young, has amazing potential and is already producing incredible fruit. Managed by a fellow WWCC alumni, these fertile hills are packed full of the terroir that has earned the Walla Walla Valley a place among the leading wine regions of the world. We loved the 2018 Syrah from Eritage Vineyard so we stuck with it in 2019. Eritage is a warmer site so the fruit can get really ripe. Josh is a big fan of a dark, brooding, reductive Syrah and as you know, we make what we like to drink! He also believes Syrah should be a monster....deep, dark, and meaty.

Winemaker Notes

"With our Syrah quickly becoming a fan favorite in the tasting room I really didn't want to change too many things. I kept the same oak program and stuck with the 10% whole cluster as well to get that inky dark and brooding Syrah. I even kept the same block...Block 10 but I had to watch it closely as it can ripen (and over-ripen) really fast. I think this one is right in line with the 2018 but a touch brighter and will begin to hit its stride in June of 2022."~ Joshua Roznowski

Tasting Notes

The nose is complex with aromas of fresh olives, purple flowers, dark berries, and black plums. With a slightly brighter palate than last year, this vintage boasts super supple tannins with juicy flavors of huckleberry, boysenberry, and a pop of sage. Enjoy this one...savor it...because once you take a sip, it's going to be gone! Decant for an hour while young. Drink 2022-2034.

Technical Data

WINEMAKER: Joshua Roznowski

APPELLATION: Walla Walla Valley

VARIETAL COMPOSITION: 100% Syrah

ALCOHOL: 15.2%

PH: 3.87

TA: 6.6 g/L

BOTTLING DATE: February 2021

CASES BOTTLED: 47 cases

PRICE • \$40