



Autumn 2021

Signature Series

2019 Reserve Merlot

Flavors | Bay Leaf. Milk Chocolate. Black Cherry.
Body + Mouthfeel | Med Plus + Supple
Sweetness | Bone Dry
Pairing | Aged Gouda. Back to School Night.

AVA | Cape May Peninsula
Varietal(s) | Merlot 100%
Aging Method | 18 Mo. French Oak
Production | 49 cases

From the Winemaker

Our Reserve Merlot is a blend of choice grapes from 2 of our vineyard lots of Merlot vines. Once fermented and racked we transfer the wine to a micro-ox tank to develop the tannin profile for a couple weeks before settling her down in french oak for continued aging and fining.

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Vintage: 2019 AVA: Cape May Peninsula Varietal(s): Merlot 100%

Total Production: 598 bottles 49.75 cases

Harvest Date: Sept. 30, 2019

Bottle Date: July 20, 2021

Vineyard Lot: Lot 2 + 3

Aging Method: 18mo. Neutral Fr. Oak

Tonnage: 0.80 Brix: 21.9°

pH: 3.73 ABV: 12.6% RS: 0 g/L

Clarity: Clear

Intensity: Med

Acid | Tannin: Med- | Med

Color: Ruby

Development: Youthful

Finish: Med

Viscosity: Med+

Aromas: Slate. Raspberry.
Plum. Bay Leaf. Coffee.

Flavors: Black Currant.
Black Cherry. Vanilla.

Notes: Drink now or can age up to 7 years.