

HOUSE WINE

2014 MOUNTAIN MERLOT

HOUSE WINE is the wine you drink anytime with anything...
honest, delicious & 100% American.

VINTAGE BACKGROUND

The 2014 Washington State harvest proved to be spectacular with a record crop level and excellent quality. All factors needed for success came together perfectly: cool nights, lots of warm weather in the growing season, and rain limited mostly to the shoulder seasons. Harvest started the third week of August and wrapped up in the second week of November. The crop across the state was heavy, yet bountiful with quality. Our vineyard team enjoyed weather that enabled them to pick at will, affording perfect flavor, acidity and sugar levels.

TASTING NOTE

Aromas of vanilla infused strawberry jam lead to hints of cocoa powder fill the nose with flavors of strawberry, pomegranate, cranberry, raspberry and hibiscus on the palate. Light toasted oak gradually emerges leading to a structured and lingering finish.

GRAPE SOURCE

100% Columbia Valley

VARIETY PERCENTAGE

90% Merlot

10% Cabernet Sauvignon

HARVEST DATE

9/24 - 10/22/2014

BOTTLING

Alc: 13.9%

TA: 5.9 g/L

RS: 5 g/L

YEAST: Andante

ML: 100%

OAK: 55% French Oak,
45% American Oak

AGED: 8 months

FINING: Bentonite

BOTTLED: 10/14/15

CASES PRODUCED: 1912

RELEASE DATE: June 2016



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