



2019 Mosaic

BLEND

56% Cabernet Franc
33% Merlot
11% Petit Verdot
1% Cabernet Sauvignon

VINEYARDS

48% Shenandoah Springs
33% Sherman Ridge
19% Sunset Hills Vineyard

APPELLATION

Virginia

WINEMAKING

Hand-picked fruit was chilled before processing into fermentation bin and stainless steels tanks. 7-10 day fermentation. Complete malolactic fermentation in barrels.

WINE NOTES

Black cherry, currant, raspberry, vanilla, earth, tobacco.

CELLARING

18 months in French oak barrels

TECHNICAL NOTES

Bottled: February 2, 2021

Cases produced: 375

Alcohol: 13.7%

pH: 3.81

SUGGESTED FOOD PAIRINGS

Duck confit over gnocchi, butternut squash, and duck jus

New York strip steak

Hearty vegetable soups

WINEMAKER'S NOTE

2019 will be remembered as one of the finest vintages ever for Virginia red wines. September and October were remarkably dry, allowing the fruit to ripen fully. Harvest decisions are often made with respect to rain events or fungal disease pressure – none of which existed in 2019. This is robust wine in the style of Saint-Émilion – delicate yet pure aromas of black cherry and cassis with a backbone of dusty tannins from the fruit and oak barrels.