

Long Shadows Chester Kidder

Long Shadows Vintners

United States - Washington - Columbia Valley

Allen Shoup named this wine in honor of his grandfather, Charles Chester, and his grandmother, Maggie Kidder. He selected Long Shadows' director of winemaking and viticulture, Gilles Nicault, to craft this New World blend of Cabernet Sauvignon, Syrah and other classic Bordeaux varieties.

Tasting Notes: Deep and dark in color with an intensely aromatic profile of blackberry jam, sweet spice, dark chocolate and hints of earth. Dark cherry and subtle oak flavors integrate nicely to create an enticing layer that adds complexity and depth. Its firm structure, yet refined texture, balances well with a vibrancy that extends throughout a lengthy finish.

Cabernet Sauvignon and Syrah grapes from Candy Mountain give the wine its firm structure and wonderful intensity. Walla Walla Valley vineyards contribute Cabernet that adds depth and rich textures. Petit Verdot sourced from Sagemoor Vineyards provides layers of ripe, fresh flavors and refined tannins.



Specifications

Appellation	Columbia Valley
Varietals	60% Cabernet Sauvignon, 25% Syrah, 15% Petit Verdot (2015)
Vinification	Select Cabernet Sauvignon lots underwent an extended maceration of 40 days to produce supple yet firm tannins that stand up to 30 months of barrel aging in tightgrained French oak barrels (85% new). The extra time in barrel helped to integrate the fruit, enhance the mid-palate with an extra layer of complexity, and provide an appealing earthiness to the finish.
Production	1,995 (9-liter cases)

Codes, Weights and Measures

UPC	7 84585 01067 7
Units/Case	6
Unit Size	750 mL
Container	bottle
SCC	1 07 84585 01067 4
Case Weight	22
Cases/Pallet	56
Layers/Pallet	14
ABV	14.90%
SRP	\$ 62.99 USD 750mL Bottle

Reviews and News

2017 Long Shadows Columbia Valley Chester Kidder - 92+ PTS - VINOUS
2016 Long Shadows Columbia Valley Chester Kidder - 92 PTS - VINOUS

2014 Long Shadows Columbia Valley Chester Kidder - 94 PTS - JD
2013 Long Shadows Columbia Valley Chester Kidder - 94 PTS - IWRep
2013 Long Shadows Columbia Valley Chester Kidder - 93+ PTS - WA
2013 Long Shadows Columbia Valley Chester Kidder - 92 PTS - VINOUS
2012 Long Shadows Columbia Valley Red Chester Kidder - 93 PTS - IWRep
2012 Long Shadows Columbia Valley Chester Kidder - 94 PTS - WA
2012 Long Shadows Columbia Valley Chester Kidder - 92+ PTS - VINOUS
2010 Long Shadows Columbia Valley Chester Kidder - 93 PTS - WA