# TALL SAGE

# 2017 **Red Blend** COLUMBIA VALLEY - ESTATE GROWN

### TASTING NOTE

"This Red Wine Blend expresses enticing fresh red fruit and savory herb aromas with elements of fresh herbs and baking spices. A supple, textured mouthfeel of ripe red plums, cherry, and red currant fruit flavors nicely balance with integrated nuances of spice and minerality. The wine finishes with soft, lingering notes of black plum, huckleberry, and black pepper.." –Andrew Wilson, Winemaker

### VINTAGE NOTE

The 2017 harvest proved to be spectacular with a record crop level and excellent quality. All factors needed for a success came together perfectly. Harvest started the third week of September and wrapped up in the second week of November. The crop across the state was heavy, yet bountiful with quality. Our Goose Ridge vineyard team enjoyed weather that enabled them to pick at will, affording perfect flavor, acidity and sugar levels.

## WINEMAKING

Varietal Blend: 21% Cabernet Sauvignon, 37% Syrah, 42% Merlot Oak: 24% New American Oak TA: 0.58 g/100ml PH: 3.72 Alcohol: 13.8%



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