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2019 SEVENTY FOUR K

FIELD REPORT

The 2019 vintage started with a very warm spring and summer providing excellent growth through veraison. The fall temperatures were cooler allowing for a slower ripening season in the full-bodied red varieties. This resulted in reds that have lower alcohol, ripe red fruit notes and balanced acidity.

WINEMAKER'S NOTES

This blend consistently over-delivers! The fruit is sourced from both the Similkameen and Okanagan Valleys and is a great representation of the diverse selection of grape varieties grown in our vineyards. Merlot being the backbone of the blend gives approachability and more fruit-forward flavours, while the other varieties support and add complexity and structure to this wine. The individual components were separately harvested, fermented and aged in 20% new French oak before final blending. This wine was then aged 10 months in bottle before release to ensure its approachability for your enjoyment.

TASTING NOTES

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PERFECT PAIRINGS

Burgers. Brisket. Après-everything.

BLEND

61% MERLOT, 14% MALBEC
9% SYRAH, 8% PETIT VERDOT
5% CABERNET FRANC,
3% MOURVEDRE

CHEMISTRY

PH 3.66 TA 5.6 G/L
ALC 14.1% RS 5.9 G/L

PRODUCTION

BOTTLED JUN 2020
3800 CASES
SKU 078915