



Alexandria Nicole Cellars

2013 Destiny Red Blend

TASTING NOTES

This Estate red wine is a wonderful blend of all six Bordeaux varietals aged in 20 months in 100% new French oak. This dark ruby color wine shows concentrated aromas of blackberry fruit, cedar, eucalyptus, spice, cigar box, and dried herb aromas; sweet cranberry, ripe cherry, leathery with hints of vanilla, these complex flavors are friendly; medium to full body with a wonderful balance of richness; long finish, with bold tannins and solid grip offering an exciting adventure now but a promise that it will hold for years to come. This wine, delicious now, is just starting to reach drink-ability and should be decanted or opened prior to drinking, under good cellar conditions it will gain complexity, harmony, and soften a bit in another five to 10 years.

ABOUT ALEXANDRIA NICOLE CELLARS

Founders Jarrod and Ali Boyle are dedicated to producing small lots of hand-crafted wine from our own Destiny Ridge Estate Vineyard. Through attentive viticulture management, balanced crop levels, gentle hand-harvesting and processing of grapes, and passionate winemaking, we produce consistent quality in every bottle. Located in the Horse Heaven Hills, our 327-acre estate vineyard is located high on the bluffs overlooking the majestic Columbia River. It is here, high on the dominate ridge, that our grapes thrive in these unique soils. It is here that our winemaker Jarrod nurtures the fruit quality from bud to bottle. Our belief is that quality starts in the vineyard.

JUST THE STATS

Appellation: Horse Heaven Hills
Vineyard: Destiny Ridge Vineyard
Aging: Aged 20 months in 100% French oak
Varietal: 62% Cabernet Sauvignon, 14% Merlot, 12% Cabernet Franc, 8% Malbec, 2% Petit Verdot, 2% Carménère
Alcohol: 14.6%
pH: 3.65 pH
TA: 5.5 g/L
Production: Release limited to 343 cases

\$56 / 750ml. bottle (Retail)

Jarrod L. Boyle ~ Director of Winemaking

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