



Alexandria Nicole Cellars

2015 "JET BLACK" Syrah

In another historically warm year here at our Estate Destiny Ridge Vineyard, four distinct blocks were selected, handpicked and whole berry fermented to create another spectacular vintage of "Jet Black" Syrah. Deep dark purple in color, the liveliness of the wine is unique in its enticing bouquet that overflows with lush aromas of black plum, Rainer cherries, cracked pepper with pleasant notes of herbs and spice. This full-bodied red's palate is generous yet precise, brimming with flavors of blackberry, dark red fruits and black olive, which are framed perfectly by the hints of anise, cedar and clove. Ample acidity keeps the bold finish elegant yet doesn't detract from the illustrious tannins that give the wine its exceptional length and longevity. While the 2015 "Jet Black" is made to drink now, please decant or give it some air in the glass if drinking prior to 2018, as it will develop immaculately over the next 2 – 3 years in the cellar.

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: 100% Destiny Ridge Vineyard
Aging: Aged 19 months in 40% new French oak and 60% 2-year-old French oak barrels
Varietal: 100% Syrah (Block 1, 15, 17 and 43)
Alcohol: 14.4%
pH: 3.82 **TA:** 5.3 g/L
Release limited to: Release Limited to 943 cases

\$28 / 750ml. bottle (Retail)

Winemaking Team
Jarrod L. Boyle ~ Matthew Dodson ~ Ryan Strom

