



Alexandria Nicole Cellars

2011 "WILD ONE" CABERNET FRANC

Uniquely expressive of the terroir of our Estate Vineyard, Destiny Ridge, this Cabernet Franc was hand selected and fermented using native wild yeasts. With a deep, dark ruby color, fragrant aromas of currants and rose petal show balance and complexity with a well-integrated, yet subtle oak accent. Elegantly structured on the palate with restrained but richly textured flavors of black cherries, peppercorn and crushed herbs all wrapped in silky oak. The full-bodied palate has a foundation of polished tannins, backed by a long blackberry, cedar and vanilla spice finish. Voluptuous and satisfying, it's drinking well now but structured to develop over time.

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 22 months in 60% new French Oak barrels & 40% 2 Year old French Oak
Varietal: 95% Cabernet Franc, 3% Cabernet Sauvignon, 2% Petit Verdot
Production: Release Limited to 191 cases

\$42 / 750ml. bottle (Retail)

Jarrod L. Boyle
Winemaker

