



Alexandria Nicole Cellars

2012 "BIG SHOT" TEMPRANILLO

Dark purple in color, this rare Washington Tempranillo's bouquet is filled with rich and smoky aromas of cedar, blackberry, dark cherry, cassis, and earth tones. Medium to full bodied, with excellent concentration throughout the palate, the dark red fruit flavors are distinctly ripe and fleshy and nicely invigorated by bright mineral and floral qualities. The long and juicy finish is an endless display of sweet, lush blackcurrant, vanilla and spice, with fine and dusty tannins adding focus and balance. Give it another year or two in the bottle to soften and unite, but feel free to fully decant and enjoy right now.

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
Barrel-aging: Aged 20 months in 40% new French oak and 60% 2 year old French oak barrels
Varietal: 92% Tempranillo, 4% Cabernet Sauvignon, 2% Malbec, 2% Cabernet Franc
Alcohol %: 14.2

Release limited to 178 cases
\$55 / 750ml. bottle (Retail)

Jarrod L. Boyle
Winemaker

