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# THE DISSIDENT

Red Blend | Columbia Valley | 2020

## Winemaking Notes

Some of Washington State's finest vineyards have provided fruit for the 2020 The Dissident. Red Mountain cabernet sauvignon from Quinn and Quintessence vineyards combine with merlot from Red Willow and Olsen and form the foundation of this blend.

The Dissident is a wine that we create to complement the Dead Horse and Long Haul, the same vineyards, barrels and attention to detail go into crafting The Dissident. While Dead Horse and Long Haul are crafted to be supremely age-worthy The Dissident is built to offer a more approachable wine younger in its development.

## Past Accolades

2019 - 93 Wine Enthusiast

2018 - 91 Wine Enthusiast

2017 - (92-94) Jeb Dunnuck

2016 - #46 on Wine Spectator Top 100, 93 Wine Spectator;

2015 - 94 Wine Advocate, 93 Jeb Dunnuck

#### **BLEND**

72% Cabernet Sauvignon 24% Merlot 3% Malbec 1% Petit Verdot

#### **BARREL**

55% New French Oak 45% Used French Oak 18 months in barrel

#### **PRODUCTION**

5,478 cases

#### RELEASE

April 2022

#### **APPELLATION**

Columbia Valley

## **MATURITY WINDOW**

2022-2032

### **VINEYARDS**

Quintessence, Quinn, Discovery, Henry Earl, Olsen, Red Willow, Klipsun, Obelisco, Ciel du Cheval, Phinny Hill, Stanton

Founded in 1999 by Mark Ryan McNeilly, MARK RYAN WINERY is a small winery located in Woodinville, Washington. Our goal is to produce handcrafted wines that represent the vineyard from which they come, the character of the varietal, and our style. From the vineyards to the winery, our uncompromising commitment to quality and our passion to produce the best wines possible, inspire us to make these wines for you.