



DeLILLE CELLARS

LE COLOSSE

YAKIMA VALLEY

BORDEAUX STYLE

RHÔNE STYLE

GRAND CIEL

WC EXCLUSIVE

2019 The three vineyards that make up the 2019 Le Colosse **VINTAGE** exemplify how delicious Washington State Merlot can be. Boushey Vineyard brings an earthy, brambly character that dominates in the wines' youth. Red currant, bing cherry, and dried sage are offered up by Harrison Hill Vineyard, with chalky structure, blue fruits, and seductive richness present thanks to Dubrul Vineyard. Another perfect example of the whole being greater than the sum of its parts. This charmer exudes freshness on release and will only benefit from the tertiary flavors that time will allow.

VARIETAL



100% Merlot

WINEMAKING

Cold soaked 24-36 hours, fermented for 12-14 days on skin, and aged 18 months in 100% French oak (55% new). 14.2% Alcohol

VINEYARD

56% Boushey Vineyard
27% Dubrul Vineyard
17% Harrison Hill Vineyard



WINE ENTHUSIAST

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“This is a blend of fruit from top sites Boushey, Harrison Hill and DuBrul. The aromas enchant, with notes of fresh and dried herb, orange rind, sage, cedar, plum and bing cherry. The flavors and plush and palate coating while bringing a lot of grace. It's delicious.”

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