

# ABEJA



## 2014 Merlot Columbia Valley

**91 Points - Wine Enthusiast** *“The aromas bring notes of dried herb, vanilla bean, wood spice and black cherry. The flavors are rich and luscious, supported by plump ripe tannins. The finish lingers.”*

**90 Points - The Wine Advocate** *“The 2014 Columbia Valley Merlot is a ripe, black fruit, plum, leafy herbs and mineral-scented effort that has medium to full-bodied richness, moderate mid-palate depth and tons of upfront charm. It's going to drink nicely through 2024.”*

### Varietal Composition

97% Merlot, 3% Cabernet Franc

### Vineyard Sources

Mill Creek Estate, Sagemoor Farms, Celilo, Scootenev Flats

### Appellation

Columbia Valley

### Harvest Date

September 13, 2014 – October 1, 2014

### Oak Composition

100% French – medium toast, 40% new, 60% experienced

### Chemistry

Alc. 14.8%, pH 3.79, TA 5.6 g/L

**Barrel Aging:** 18 months

**Bottling Date:** June 10, 2016

**Release Date:** November 1, 2016

**Cases Produced:** 735

**Winemaker:** Daniel Wampfler & Amy Alvarez-Wampfler