

ABEJA



2021 MERLOT COLUMBIA VALLEY

94 POINTS – WINE ENTHUSIAST CELLAR SELECTION

“If I could mix up a batch of blueberry fruit leather with violets and bits of blood orange, it would smell just like this dazzling Merlot. Flavors of blackcap raspberries, anise, and bone marrow are backed by firm, ripe fine-grained tannins and lively acidity.”

92 POINTS – JAMES SUCKLING

“Generous, plump fruit flavors fill a broad, juicy texture in this full-bodied and gently tannic wine. Difficult not to like the sunny strawberry, cherry and cinnamon flavors. Drink or hold.”

90 POINTS – VINOUS

“The 2021 Merlot lifts from the glass with a delicate blend of crushed wild berries, violets, and white smoke. This is a juicy and energetic effort, with round textures and plum red and blue fruits. Lightly structured, it tapers off with a youthful tension and leaves a pleasantly bitter twang.”

90 POINTS – WINE SPECTATOR

“An elegantly structured version, with precise flavors of red currant and cherry highlighted by coffee bean and toffee hints. Finishes with snappy tannins.”