

Estate Cabernet Franc CAB FRANC | RED MOUNTAIN AVA 2022

WINEMAKING NOTES

Crafted using a concrete tank for whole-berry native fermentation. To enhance tannin structure and complexity, the juice remains on its skins for thirty-two days.

TASTING NOTES

This wine opens with sweet fragrance, ripe cherries and is lifted by floral violet with just a hint of graphite. Earthy and herbaceous, with touches of rosemary and thyme, the finish lingers with a slight sweetness of creme de cassis.

ABOUT THE WINE

In our pursuit of a style reminiscent of the Loire Valley's Chinon, we've crafted this wine using estate-grown grapes from the renowned Red Mountain AVA, with the aim of achieving balance, complexity, and a true expression of the land.

ANGLELA'S VINEYARD

Angela's Vineyard is situated at the very southwest point of Red Mountain. This Cabernet Franc, grown on a north-facing slope, is a fantastic addition to our Estate series.

BLEND

100% Estate Cabernet Franc

BARREL

65% new French oak 35% used French oak 20 months in barrel

PRODUCTION

180 cases

RELEASE

2025

APPELLATION

Red Mountain AVA

VINEYARDS

Angela's Vineyard

PAST ACCOLADES

2021 - 90 PG

2020 - 93 OB

2019 - 93 Vinous

2018 - 94 IWR; 93 OB

ANALYSIS

ALC 14.5%

pH: 3.85

TA: .60

EFESTĒ winery was established in 2005 by Daniel and Helen Ferrelli, along with their son-in-law and daughter, Kevin and Angela Taylor. Since its inception, the EFESTĒ's primary focus has been producing award-winning wines using minimalist techniques, including native fermentation and low oxygenation techniques. EFESTĒ sources its exceptional grapes from the finest regions in Washington, emphasizing single varietals and their Estate vineyards. Experience the culmination of our passion: distinctly Washington, Uniquely EFESTE.



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