



## 2015 Walla Walla Valley Merlot

The attention-getting nose of fig chutney & cedar jump from the glass and draws you into the beginning of Ghirardelli salted dark chocolate, a thick middle of white chocolate covered cherries, then takes you to the toasted Campfire Marshmallow S'mores finish. It is bright and balanced.

<b>Varietal Composition</b>	88% Merlot, 7% Cabernet Sauvignon and 5% Cabernet Franc
<b>Vineyard</b>	Seven Hills, Pepper Bridge, Aria, Dwelley, Kilian, & Lodmell Vineyards
<b>Acid</b>	6.3 g/L
<b>PH</b>	3.74
<b>Aging</b>	15 months in 40% new (25% French, 15% American) oak and 60% neutral oak barrels.
<b>Fermentation</b>	An open top stainless steel tank, the cap was punched down four times a day, pumpovers with selected delestage.
<b>Alcohol</b>	14.2%
<b>Case Production</b>	641 Cases

### Past & Current Acclaim

Wine Spectator – 92 Points

Wine Enthusiast – 91 Points

Wine Press Northwest Platinum Awards – Double Gold

Walla Walla Valley Wine Competition – Best of Class / Double Gold

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