

# Roaming Elk Red Blend 2020

### BACKGROUND

With more than a century of winemaking and farming experience, High Heaven Vintners believes in growing great grapes first to make amazing wine. Located in Eastern Washington State, High Heaven Vintners is inspired by the natural backdrop that surrounds their vines. High Heaven Vintners wines are estate grown and bottled. This means 100% of the grapes are grown or controlled by the winery.

### TERROIR & VINTAGE NOTES

Vineyards are located in the "rain shadow" formed by the Cascade Mountains. This unique cloud and rain barrier protects the vines from harsh element and creates a sunny, dry climate ideal for grape growing.

### WINEMAKING & AGING

A blend of Syrah and Merlot from McNary Vineyard is combined with additional Syrah from Zillah Ranch in Rattlesnake Hills AVA. Grapes are crushed, destemmed and cold soaked for 36 hours before aging in stainless steel for 18 months.

### TASTING NOTES

Purple with ruby red tints. A complex balance between breathy herbs and refined fruits. Lavender, violets, raspberry, and cranberry aromas are balanced with spice, smoke, and cedar. Complex and nuanced, yet well balanced with refined tannins and an uplifting acidity. Blackberry, lavender, and savory flavors with a supple, long finish.





Columbia Valley AVA, Columbia Valley, Washington, United States

### GRAPE VARIETIES

60% Syrah, 40% Merlot

# SIZES

750ml

# TECHNICAL DETAILS

ABV: 14.6%, TA: 5.7, RS: 5, Ph: 3.78, Closure: Screw Cap

# WINEMAKER

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