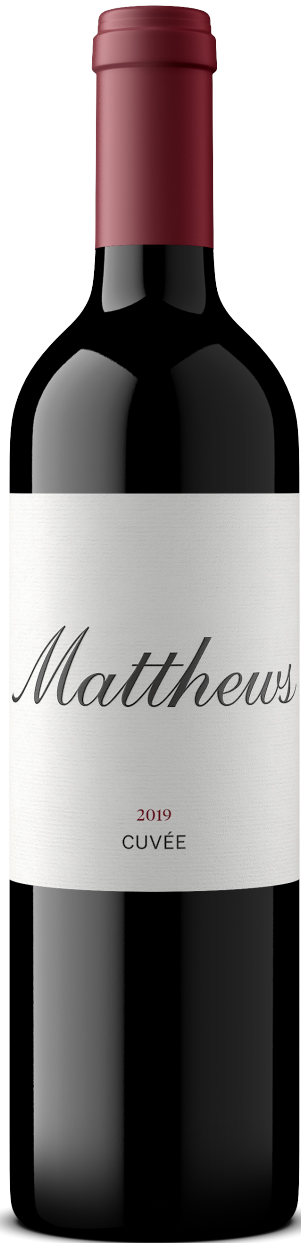


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2019 CUVÉE



The 2019 Cuvée was crafted from several vineyards across the Columbia Valley, Royal Slope and Red Mountain AVAs. Farmed using sustainable practices, they were hand-harvested in the early mornings September 6 - November 2, 2019. Upon arriving in the winery, each cluster was hand-sorted, berry-sorted, and then fermented in either concrete or stainless-steel tanks. Using only the free-run wine, it was then moved to French oak barrels (60% new) for 21 months of cellaring. The resulting 58 barrels were bottled, without fining or filtration, in October 2021, producing only 1,401 cases.

“A lively bouquet of fresh violets and black plum blossoms mingled with fresh red raspberries waft from this medium ruby-colored wine. Secondary aromatics of cedar plank, dates, smoked brisket, and potting soil emerge from the glass, adding to the wine’s complexity. Medium bodied with polished tannin and a broad acidity that adds freshness on the palate, accompanied by a lingering finish of graphite and blueberry.”

-Bryan Otis, Proprietor

SELECT VINEYARDS

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| ① Columbia Valley | Dionysus |
| ② Red Mountain | Canyons, Quintessence, Hedges Family Estate, Red Mountain |
| ③ Royal Slope | Scarline, Solaksen, Stillwater Creek |

Labeled AVA	Columbia Valley
Varietal Composition	64% Merlot, 21% Cabernet Sauvignon, 12% Cabernet Franc, 2% Petit Verdot, 1% Malbec
Fermentation	Combination of concrete and stainless steel tanks
Aging	21 months in 60% new French oak barrels
Alcohol	14.6%
Case Production	1,401
Drinkability	Now - 2029
Retail	\$34

