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2021 ANGELICA

100% ESTATE GROWN

Oregon became a state in 1859, and the vines that produced this wine were planted around the same time. Found in a blackberry patch at Abacela, the vines were recovered and identified as Listan Prieto, aka the Mission grape. Originally from Spain, the vines likely came to Abacela from California during the 1850's. Little did we, the pioneer of Tempranillo wine in America, know that the Spanish grape was already being grown on our property. We have fostered the return of the variety, producing a traditional Angelica wine we think you will enjoy.

Fruit Source: Abacela's Estate Fault Line Vineyards

Appellation: Umpqua Valley, Southern Oregon AVA

Varietal Composition: 100% Listan Prieto

Harvest Date: 14 October 2021

At Harvest: Sugar; 22-22.5° Brix

At Bottling: Sugar; 10.7 pH; 3.58

Cooperage: French Oak (100%), Neutral (100%)

Bottling date: 4 January 2024

Alcohol: 18.5%

Case Production: 54

Awards, Ratings & Reviews:

Cellar Selects, Oregon Wine Press December 2024

TASTING NOTES

Wonderful aroma with floral notes, and a touch of herbs and red fruits. On the palate, pleasant red fruits, well integrated acidity, and smooth almost non-existent tannins. Alcohol is very balanced and almost unnoticeable. This dessert wine is delicious and exciting.