

2011 Ciel du Cheval Vineyard



Like the previous vintage, the Ciel does not possess any Cabernet Sauvignon in the blend. The wine exhibits hints of damson plum skin, smoke, cardamom and cinnamon. As the wine opens up a secondary layer of minerality reminiscent of river stones emerges. There is a light sense of earth combined with a spiciness that lends itself to a very complex mid palate. The bright, yet focused tannins create an approachable wine that will only become more complex with time.

Composition: 52 % Cabernet Franc, 48% Merlot

Vineyard: CIEL DU CHEVAL VINEYARD

Appellation: Red Mountain

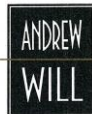
Average Age of Vines: 25 years

Time in barrels: 18 months

Bottling Date: April, 2013

Release Date: April, 2014

Total Production: 790 cases/750ML



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