2017 GORGEOUS GRENACHE



Our Grenache comes from Garnier Vineyard just outside to town of Mosier, Oregon on the banks of the Columbia River in the Columbia Gorge. Wrought by the work of this regions dramatic geologic history, the soils here is a shallow sandy loam with basalt protrusions and produce lively, energetic wines with distinction and personality.

Vineyard: Garnier Vineyard

AVA: Columbia Gorge

Soil: Sandy Loam with Basalt protrusions

Harvest: October 26th, 2017

Winemaking: 25% whole cluster fermentation

17 months in neutral oak

Finish Chemistry: 13.5% alc, 5.2 g/L TA and 3.69pH

TASTING NOTES:

MINERALITY
WITH TRAVEL FROM THE BOTTLE
EXOTIC SPICE TRAIN

The 2017 Gorgeous Grenache is a white pepper, stony, crushed rock mineral version of Grenache with aromas of rose petal, licorice, strawberry and melon as well as leafy tobacco and turmeric. The palate is saline and savory with notes of dried plum powder (Lihing mui), red currants, spruce tips, tamarind and fig. The exotic spice flavors and any variety of dried fish toothsome and salty from above the Arctic Circle.