

2019
Syrah
Grand Klasse Reserve
Royal Slope



Release Date:
October 2022

Blend:
100% Syrah

pH:
3.86

Alcohol:
15.3%

Cases Produced:
225

MSRP:
\$65/bottle



The Wine

Ripe dark cherry, fig paste, dark chocolate, coffee beans, white pepper and oak spice, this 2019 Syrah shows a dark core and lots of spice on the nose. With some time in the glass, currant and ripe red fruit starts to show up, as well as herbal notes of menthol, sage and lavender. The palate is juicy and structured, with fine grain tannins, almost chalky, with a beautiful acid lift. Still young and showing great aging potential, this classic Gård Syrah can be enjoyed now or in the next 10 years.

The Vineyard

Gård Vintners is 100% estate grown sustainably at Lawrence Vineyards, featuring eight distinct vineyard sites in the Royal Slope AVA. With elevations that range 930 feet to 1,675 feet and primarily a south-facing slope, Lawrence Vineyards provides a great framework for grape production, while the diversity of each of the locations delivers a high level of complexity to Gård wines. We also farm vineyards on the Wahluke Slope and Conner Lee in the Columbia Valley. Lawrence Vineyards is certified sustainable by Vinewise.org.

The Grand Klasse Reserve Label

Inspired by the French Grand Cru wines, Gård "Grand Klasse" is our reserve-level program, aptly named in reflection of our Scandinavian heritage. To be designated "Grand Klasse," each wine must meet strict standards of quality and is blended, bottled and aged with the utmost of care to bring you the very best of our grapes and effort in the bottle.

The Winery

Gård, meaning "farm" in many of the Scandinavian languages, is a tribute to our family's Scandinavian heritage and farming tradition. Founded in 2006, Gård Vintners is a family-owned and operated estate winery in the heart of Washington's Royal Slope AVA, with vineyards on the Royal Slope, wine production in Prosser, tasting rooms in Ellensburg, Walla Walla and Woodinville and Gård Public House restaurant in Royal City.