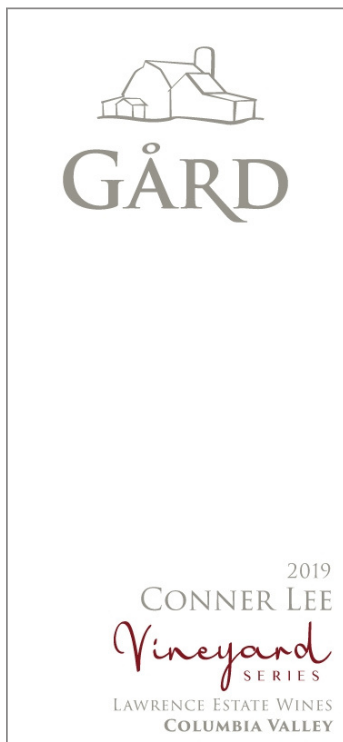


2019
Conner Lee
Vineyard Series
Columbia Valley



Release Date:
October 2022

Blend:
60% Merlot
20% Cabernet Franc
20% Cabernet Sauvignon

pH:
3.82

Alcohol:
14.8%

Cases Produced:
125

MSRP:
\$65/bottle

The Wine

Ripe figs, strawberry confiture, cocoa powder, and espresso beans to begin, this very expressive Bordeaux blend from Conner Lee vineyard opens very intense on the nose. With some time in the glass, the wine shows huckleberry jam, tobacco and tar tones, in addition to mocha, Ceylan tea and dry herbs. The palate is plush and highly concentrated, but yet still angular and with fantastic structure. The wine finishes long, with beautiful texture, and a touch of oak spice and mocha. Enjoy now or in the next 10 years.

Aging

24 months in 40% new 225L French oak.

Vineyard Series

The Vineyard Series wines are meant to be a pure, honest representation of the site from which they were sourced. Conner Lee vineyard (1.085-1.164 ft elevation) has 30 year-old vines, own-rooted over a very fine sandy loam soil. This cooler site produces rich, velvety wines with fantastic texture, roundness and complexity.

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 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.

