2020 Malbec Royal Slope AVA





Release Date: May 2023

Blend: 100% Malbec

Vineyards: Solaksen Scarline

Alcohol: **14.9**%

Cases Produced: 248

2020
MALBEC
LAWRENCE ESTATE WINES
ROYAL SLOPE

MSRP: \$50



Red plums, blackberry, violets, and cocoa powder. The 2020 Malbec begins fresh and floral on the nose. Swirling brings raspberry confiture, red licorice, sweet tobacco, and oak spice. The mouthfeel is juicy and fresh, with well-integrated oak and soft tannins. With some time in the glass, violets, plums, and dried herbs take over the aromatic profile. Extremely rounded and well balanced, the acid presentation here is outstanding. There is an intrinsic sweetness that makes the wine almost crunchy. This beautiful Malbec finishes long, with the perfect amount of grip, and a floral and blue fruit aftertaste. Drink now or in the next 8 years.

The Vineyard

Gård Vintners wines are 100% estate grown sustainably at Lawrence Vineyards, featuring 14 distinct vineyard sites. With elevations that range 870 feet to 1,675 feet and primarily south-facing slopes, Lawrence Vineyards provide a great framework for grape production, while the diversity of each of the locations delivers a high level of complexity to Gård wines. Lawrence Vineyards is certified sustainable.

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.





