

SEVEN OF HEARTS

Seven of Hearts is about exploring different vineyards, appellations, and varietals: cool-climate varietals from the Willamette Valley and warm-weather varietals from the Columbia Valley, Oregon and Washington.

Using traditional winemaking methods, our goal is to produce sincere wines of purity, complexity, and character. We partner with growers who primarily farm organic and sustainably, and who are stewards of their land and vines, providing the attention to details that produce great fruit and capture the best qualities of each vintage.

The label on the bottle, with its neo-classical elements, symbolizes our passion for wines in the old-world tradition that reflect where they are from and the conditions under which they were grown.

LUMINOUS HILLS

Under our estate label, Luminous Hills, we produce Pinot noirs that are specific to a distinct place in the southwest corner of the Yamhill-Carlton AVA with a unique combination of aspects, two diverse and well-delineated soils, dramatic elevation changes, and carefully matched Pinot noir clones and rootstocks to each block of the vineyard. The wines produced from Luminous Hills capture the broad expression of the entire vineyard in the “*silver label*”, the southwest aspect with emphasis on lower elevation sedimentary soil in the *Lux*, and the southeast aspect, higher elevation and volcanic soils in the *Astra*.



2019 PINOT NOIR

Special Reserve

Willamette Valley

Suggested Retail \$45

Cases Produced: 49

Vineyard Sources: Luminous Hills, Yamhill-Carlton

Clones: 777 (50%), 115 (50%)

Soils: Volcanic, Sedimentary

Harvest Dates: October 1st & 2nd, 2019

Cooperage: French Oak (25% New, Marsannay Cooper's Choice)

Alcohol: 13.58%

pH: 3.54

TA: 5.91

2019 marks the first Special Reserve bottling since 2015 and is very small production bottling drawn from half of four select barrels that highlight and marry the diverse characteristics of richness and finesse in this cooler-than-recently-typical vintage as drawn from two distinct parts of Luminous Hills Vineyard in Yamhill-Carlton. The power and darker tones flow from the 115 clone on sedimentary soil at the lower elevations, which is coupled with the higher tones and redder fruit profile projected from the 777 clone on the upper elevation volcanic soils. One quarter new French oak along with a balance of successively older barrels (once filled, twice filled and three times filled) round out the edges of this exceedingly balanced vintage while still allowing the fruit, spice and textures play the prominent role in showcasing the vintage.

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