

Covenant

2024 COVENANT BLACK LABEL MERLOT

ABOUT THE WINE:

The Covenant Black Label was created as a premium mevushal wine for the finest kosher dining establishments. As we refined our flash pasteurization methodology, we discovered the potential to bring this same quality to other classic varietals.

TASTING NOTES:

The 2024 Covenant Black Label Merlot marks a first for our winery, our debut varietal Merlot. Sourced from Dexter Vineyard in Bennett Valley, where volcanic soils and cool marine influence create ideal conditions for Merlot's lush texture and complexity, this wine was originally destined for blending. Yet as we tasted through the barrels, the exceptional quality demanded to be showcased on its own. The wine's remarkable character made it an ideal addition to the Black Label collection, allowing us to present a varietal we had never before released.

Well-structured and focused, it offers vibrant notes of black cherry and cassis, finishing with a bright edge beautifully framed by toasty French oak.

VARIETAL:

Merlot

APPELLATION:

Bennet Valley, Sonoma County

PRODUCTION NOTES:

Native Yeast Fermentation;
Native ML; Unfiltered; Unfined;
Mevushal

AGING:

10 Months in 100%
French Oak (50% New)

CASES PRODUCED:

400

SUGGESTED RETAIL:

\$70



MERLOT

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