

GRAMERCY CELLARS



2021 SYRAH “LOWER EAST”

COLUMBIA VALLEY



BLEND: 100% SYRAH

VINEYARDS: FORGOTTEN HILLS,
HOLY ROLLER, LES COLLINES

AGING: 20 MONTHS IN NEUTRAL FRENCH
OAK BARRELS & PUNCHEONS

WHOLE CLUSTER: 76%

ALCOHOL: 13.5%

WINERY RETAIL: 25

CASE PRODUCTION: 1146 CASES

DRINKING WINDOW: NOW - 2034

WINE SPECTATOR: 92 POINTS

WINE ENTHUSIAST: 92 POINTS

OWEN BARGREEN: 92 POINTS

Walla Walla lies in the Lower East corner of Washington State. We created Lower East as a thank you to our customers and industry friends. Our goal was to make a fantastic Syrah at a fantastic price, ready to enjoy tonight!

The 2021 Lower East Syrah is technically a Walla Walla Valley wine, sourced from three powerhouse vineyards across the valley. Our estate Forgotten Hills and Les Collines vineyards are in the foothills of the Blue Mountains on the eastern side of the Walla Walla Valley. Sitting at higher elevations, these sites receive cooler temperatures and more rainfall, allowing for a perfect balance of structure and flavor while minimizing alcohol levels. Holy Roller Vineyard, located in the Rocks District at 970 feet, is a 100% cobblestone site, contributing power and classic Syrah aromatics.

This wine was fermented 76% whole cluster with native yeasts, then aged 20 months in neutral French oak puncheons and barrels.

TASTING NOTES: OPENING WITH A VIBRANT MOUNTAIN BERRY MEDLEY ON THE NOSE OF HUCKLEBERRY, BLACKBERRY, AND RIPE RASPBERRY. SAVORY AROMAS OF THICK-CUT BACON, GREEN AND KALAMATA OLIVES, TARRAGON, BLACK PEPPER, AND ASIAN SPICES COMPLEMENT THE FRUIT. THE PALATE UNFOLDS WITH DARK BERRY, PEPPER, AND HERBAL NOTES. PLUSH TANNINS AND FIRM ACIDITY BRING FRESHNESS AND VIBRANCY TO THE FINISH.



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