



Cabernet Franc

Grand Valley, 2022

96.4% Cabernet Franc, 3.6% Merlot

Vineyard Details

42.9% Scott's Vineyard Cabernet Franc, Clones 327 & 332,
Planted 2014

41.7% Katie's Vineyard Cabernet Franc, Clone UCD 1,
Planted 1987

11.8% Riverside Vineyard Cabernet Franc, Clone 1, *Planted 1993*

3.6% John's Vineyard Merlot, Clone 181, *Planted 1998*

Production Notes

John's Vineyard Merlot has bright red fruit notes and a great acid profile that does not have too much tannin. Using this Merlot as our blending partner helps take a little edge off the tannin while also driving more red fruit character in the glass. Aged 18 months in 10% new French oak barrels.

Bottled 5/2/2024. 602 cases produced.

Technical Data

RS: 0.0 g/l | ABV: 14.8% | pH: 3.71 | TA: 5.8 g/l

Appellation: Grand Valley AVA

Harvest Dates:

Scott's Vineyard Cabernet Franc, Clones 327 & 332 - 9/24/2022

Katie's Vineyard Cabernet Franc, Clone 1 - 10/7/2022

Riverside Vineyard Cabernet Franc, Clone 1 - 9/27/2022

John's Vineyard Merlot, Clone 181 - 9/20/2022

Winemakers: Bo Felton and Justin Jannusch

Winemaker's Notes

Super fruity notes pour out of the glass, including raspberry jam, berry crumble, and strawberry bubblegum with just a subtle touch of rosemary. On the palate, this Cabernet Franc continues with great fruitful notes complemented by subtle spice and vanilla.

Colterris Winery

Founded in 2010, COLTERRIS is family-owned and operated in the Grand Valley AVA, Palisade, Colorado.

Colterris Estate Wines will always be produced 100% from our family vineyards.

