



2013 Yamhill-Carlton Reserve Pinot Noir

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The Vintage

2013 was an excellent growing season but unprecedented rainfall, the residual from a Pacific typhoon, hit before harvest. While a lot of fruit was lost, what was left made a beautiful, classically Oregon Pinot Noir. The 2013 Yamhill Carlton is characteristic of its terroir—age-worthy and well-structured.

The Source

Over 15 months in French oak has contributed a velvety softness to the mouth feel without masking the lovely red to black fruit characteristics. Sourced from Doe Ridge Estate Vineyard in Oregon's Yamhill-Carlton District, this Pinot Noir benefits from vine age and sustainable farming. The Yamhill Carlton AVA is one of six American Viticultural Areas in the Willamette Valley.

The Wine

Swirl this translucent ruby Pinot Noir and breathe in lovely aromas of red currant, rose petals, lavender and a hint of eucalyptus. Flavors of sweet dark cherry, pomegranate and anise start silky smooth, and thanks to an interesting interplay between tannins and acids, finishes on a pleasingly zesty high note. Pair this reserve beauty with grilled salmon or pork tenderloin with a cherry glaze.

Varietal Composition:	100% Pinot Noir
Appellation:	Yamhill-Carlton
Vineyard Source:	Doe Ridge Vineyards
Aging:	15 months in 100% French Oak Barrels
Alcohol:	13.7%
pH:	3.42
Case Production:	340 Cases



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