

# —THE— *Four Graces*

## 2023 VALLEYVIEW PINOT NOIR ESTATE VINEYARD BLEND WILLAMETTE VALLEY

*Established in 2003, The Four Graces is committed to making rich, complex wines where the fruit may be elegantly expressed. Our Valleyview Pinot Noir is one of four wines in our Graces tier and is our featured icon vineyard blend. “Valleyview” marries the best and finest elements from our estate vineyards into an iconic blend that represents the best of the vintage, our winemaking style and the essence of the greater Willamette Valley AVA. Each “Grace” in this series highlights the climate, land and fruit characteristics of our individual estate vineyards. - Tim Jones, Winemaker*



### VINTAGE

The growing season got off to a slow start in 2023 and there were concerns of a very late vintage. Unusually warm weather in April and May caused rapid vine growth, catching up to previous vintages. Heat spikes in August led to some sunburn and continued the warming trend of the season. 2023 ended up being one of the warmest and earliest seasons on record.

### VINEYARD

The fruit for our 2023 Valleyview Pinot Noir is sourced from our most distinct blocks from three of our estate vineyards: Black Walnut (Dundee Hills, 34%), Doe Ridge (Yamhill-Carlton, 33%), and Weathergage (Van Duzer Corridor, 33%). We execute sustainable winemaking practices on our LIVE certified estate vineyards.

### TASTING NOTES

The 2023 Valleyview is the finest expression of the vintage across our estate vineyards. Vibrant Bing cherry, black cherry, and subtle baking spices weave through the vibrant, refined palate. This wine is the epitome of grace and structure. Elevate your next beef tenderloin, mushroom pizza, or seared tuna with this exceptional wine.

### TECHNICAL DATA

Appellation:	Willamette Valley
Vineyard Source:	Black Walnut (34%), Doe Ridge (33%), Weathergage (33%)
Varietal Composition:	100% Pinot Noir
Clones:	777 and Pommard
Aging:	14 months in French oak, 15% new
Alcohol:	14.2%
pH:	3.74
TA:	4.8