

700 cases
10% Whole Cluster
25% New French oak
3.85 pH
.59 TA
14.7% Alc.

Lewis Vineyard

Harvest date 10/19/2017
7.5 tons
25 brix
3.6pH
.57TA

Les Collines Vineyard

Block 23

Harvest date 9/23/2017
3.24 tons
23.25 brix
3.50pH
.60 TA

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LEVITATION

✦ 2017 ✦

Reserve

SYRAH
COLUMBIA VALLEY

BOTTLE NO.
001

“Levitation”

100% Syrah
Columbia Valley

The 2017 Levitation Syrah is 100% Syrah from Lewis Vineyard, in the Yakima Valley AVA, and Les Collines Vineyard, in the Walla Walla AVA. Aged for 16 months in a combination of concrete tank and large format barrels (27% new French oak), the final blend includes about 10% whole cluster, foot-stomped bunches. The resulting wine is exotic and aromatic. Dark-purple/magenta/neon in color, it is full of ripe raspberry, blackberry, and dark cherry aromas and flavors, buoyed by bright floral notes, and savory herbal and pepper undertones; all of which is backed by perfectly integrated fine-grained tannins and fresh acidity. The finish is persistent and lengthy, and this wine should age beautifully for the next 10-15 years.

Jeb Dunnuck - 93-96 Points

"Coming from Lewis and Les Collines Vineyards and brought up mostly in concrete, the 2017 Syrah Levitation has some smoky, meaty, reductive notes as well as beautiful black fruits, medium to full body, good concentration, and beautiful purity of fruit. It's another brilliant wine that has both richness and freshens, with a kiss of old-school Northern Rhone character."

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