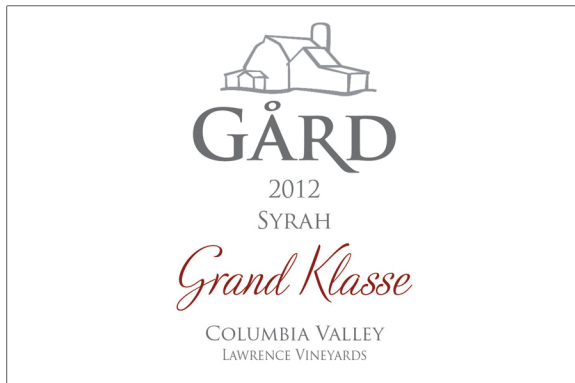


2012
Grand Klasse
Reserve Syrah
Columbia Valley



Release Date:
October 2015

Titrateable Acidity:
5.5 g/L

pH:
4.02

Alcohol:
14.5%

Winemaker:
Aryn Morell

Case Production:
240 cases

Suggested Retail Price:
\$50/bottle

Awards & Accolades:
91 points - Wine Enthusiast

The Wine

Intense and perfumed with blackberry, plum skin, sweet wood resin and a smoky black tea. Dark and brooding with minerals and hot iron. The palate is fresh and fleshy with good concentration and an airy feel, making it feel like its hovering on top of your tongue. Vibrant and graceful with flawless tannins and terrific length, the finish carries on with a floral lift. A beautiful Syrah that will age for a decade or more.

The Winemaking

Sourced from Lawrence Vineyards, harvested October 2012, Block 3 Syrah Joseph Phelps, Block 4 Syrah Tablas Creek and Sara Lee. Aged in 74% new French oak.

The Grand Klasse Reserve Label

Inspired by the French Grand Cru wines, Gård "Grand Klasse" is our reserve-level program, aptly named in reflection of our Scandinavian heritage. It represents the top tier of Gård wines, the best of what our estate vineyard has to offer. Award-winning wines produced by winemaker Aryn Morell to showcase the quality of the Lawrence Vineyards estate. To be designated "Grand Klasse," each wine must meet strict standards of quality and is blended, bottled and aged with the utmost of care to bring you the very best of our grapes and effort in the bottle.

The Vineyard

Lawrence Vineyards is the estate vineyard that produces all of the wine grapes for Gård wines and other premium wineries in Washington state. Lawrence Vineyards is located in the Columbia Valley AVA on the picturesque Frenchman Hills. Vineyard elevation (1,365-1,675 ft.) and a southern-facing slope provide ideal conditions for growing fine wine grapes.

* Lawrence Vineyards is certified sustainable by Vinewise.org.

The Winery

Gård, meaning "farm" in many of the Scandinavian languages, is a tribute to our family's Scandinavian heritage and farming tradition. Founded in 2006, Gård Vintners is a family-owned and operated estate winery in the heart of Washington's Columbia Valley AVA, with vineyards on the Royal Slope, wine production in Walla Walla, and tasting rooms in Woodinville and Ellensburg.