Abacela

2013 OREGON WINERY OF THE YEAR

TEMPRANILLO | ALBARIÑO | GARNACHA | MALBEC | SYRAH

2012 RESERVE SYRAH

ESTATE GROWN

Fruit Source: Abacela's Estate Fault Line Vineyards, Jasper Block

Appellation: Umpqua Valley, Southern Oregon

Harvest Date: 16 October 2012

At harvest: Sugar; 24.4° Brix pH; 3.68 TA; 5.96 grams/liter

At bottling: Sugar; nil

Cooperage: French (100%), 69% new, 34% 2-yr old

Bottling date: 7 august 2014 Alcohol: 14.7% by volume

Case Production: 76 (750 mL) S R P: \$42.00 (750 mL)

TASTING NOTES

The well drained soils of our Jasper Block produced beautifully ripe fruit of uncompromising quality and concentration. This complex Syrah features aromas of blackberries, purple fruits, barrel spice, garrigue, pepper, smoky oak and earth. The fruit driven finish is layered with elegant and expansive tannins. This wine will continue to improve with proper storage for the next eight to twelve years in the cellar. Food pairings include BBQ beef ribs or lamb ragout with olives.