

NOSTALGIA

2019 MERLOT HOME VINEYARD

On the Black Sage Bench in Oliver BC, vintner and family farmer Gina Fernandes Harfman combines her passion for winemaking with her family's four generations of experience farming the South Okanagan terroir, to put forth a small lot lineup of wines that perfectly exemplify their vintage. At her woman-owned and run Nostalgia Wines, Gina invites you to make moments with what she has captured in the bottle, and create tomorrow's memories.

VINTAGE

An overall cooler 2019 vintage compared to recent years, punctuated by sunlight and clear skies resulted in wines with juicy and vibrant fruit, crisp acidity, balanced alcohol levels and all with the freshness synonymous with BC wine.

WINEMAKING

Aged for 15 months in oak barriques. 43% new oak barriques; 71% French oak, 29% American oak. Unfiltered, will contain sediment.

TASTING NOTES

The bold, bright nose of this seductive Merlot is the warmest welcome of our home vineyard, planted in 2006. Dark cherries, ripe plums, cocoa, caramel, baking spices and toasty oak complexity draw you in, and the wine pours over your palate with a round, rich intensity balanced by fresh acidity and firm tannins.

FOOD PAIRING

This well structured Merlot will love hard, aged cheese. It also begs to be paired with a hearty protein dish, such as roast beef, or lamb.

TECHNICAL NOTES

Varietal Composition: 100% Merlot (Home Vineyard, Oliver)

Harvest Date: October 12, 2019

Alc./Vol.: 13.5% | **pH:** 3.43 | **TA:** 6.6 | **RS:** 0.2

Production: 160 cases

Serving Temperature: 16-18° C

Cellaring Potential: Cellar 2027 - 2031

PURCHASE INFORMATION

UPC: 626990085379

Retail: \$32.99 **Club:** \$29.99

