



HIGHTOWER
CELLARS

2015 Murray Red Wine
Columbia Valley AVA

- Co-Winemakers – Tim and Kelly Hightower
- Merlot 83%, Cabernet Franc 17%
- Columbia Valley AVA 100% (Hightower Estate Vineyard 84%, Artz Vineyard 8%, Pepper Bridge Vineyard 8%)
- Neutral Oak 92%, New Oak 8% (French 42%, American 25%, Hungarian 25%, European 8%)
- Alcohol 14.1%
- Residual Sugar <0.1g/L

Nice ruby color with lots of gravel and pie cherry on the nose. Good concentration on nose and palate, although fairly light in body. Juicy palate and clean finish. Fantastic food wine!

As much as possible, we take a non-interventionist approach to winemaking. We place great emphasis on vineyard selection, picking, pressing, and blending so that Hightower wines are naturally beautiful and free from pretense. We let the powerful and concentrated fruit from Red Mountain speak for itself. The result is a collection of well-balanced, nuanced wines that reveal something new and interesting each time you open a bottle. We like to think they're wines with character through and through – in how they were made, how they taste, and in the connections they inspire.

We produced 302 cases.

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