



## Dusted Valley

This year Dusted Valley proudly celebrates their 11th anniversary of growing and crafting spectacular Washington State wine under the Dusted Valley and Boomtown by Dusted Valley labels. With strong roots in agriculture, brothers-in-law Chad Johnson and Corey Braunel focus their wine growing philosophies in the vineyard with sustainable practices, low (or modest) yields and minimalistic winemaking. The resulting wines offer a sense of place and showcase their estate vineyards in the Walla Walla Valley and other premier vineyards throughout the state.



# CABERNET FRANC 2013

COLUMBIA VALLEY

IT'S FANTASTICALLY FRANC-O-LISCOUS.

**Blend:** 75% Cabernet Franc, 20% Merlot, 3% Petit Verdot, 2% Malbec  
**Appellation:** Columbia Valley  
**Vineyards:** Stone Tree, Elephant Mountain, Dionysus, Olsen

**Wine Analysis:**

- 5.71 grams/L Total Acidity,
- 3.81 pH,
- 14.9% Alcohol

**Techniques:** Tank and bin fermented with gentle pump overs and punch downs. 18-29 day maceration. Aged on fine lees and racked once before bottling.

**Oak Program:** 30% new French oak  
**Production:** 3,300 bottles  
**UPC:** 856589001026

**Winemaker's Notes:**

The Cabernet Franc is an expression of what makes Washington State wine so great. Varietal typicity is spot on from the floral aromatics to the dark fruits, slate, and mineral. This generous vino is fabulously food friendly and fantastically franc-o-liscous.

**Current & Past Scores:**

- 2011 - 90 Points, Wine Spectator
- 2010 - 92 Points & Editor's Choice, Wine Enthusiast
- 2010 - 91 Points, Wine Spectator
- 2008 - 90 Points, Wine Enthusiast
- 2008 - 90 Points, Wine & Spirits

**Dusted Valley Named 2013 Wine & Spirits Magazine Winery of the Year**

In 2013, Wine & Spirits' panels and critics tasted 12,500 wines to select the 100 Wineries of the Year.

They highlighted these producers as the top performers in their respective regions, from legendary names in Napa Valley and Burgundy to newcomers in New Zealand and Spain. Dusted Valley made the list for 2013 among some truly amazing producers.



*from left to right...*

**Janet & Chad Johnson  
Corey & Cindy Braunel**

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