

## 2013 True Story Pinot Noir Willamette Valley, Oregon

**Fruit** Sourced from five sustainable vineyards along the Willamette Valley. 100% Pinot Noir

- <u>Vineyards</u> The vineyards vary in age from 12 to 40 years old. Soils include Jory, Willakenzie, and Laurelwood.
- Clones Dijon 777, 114, 115; Pommard; Wadenswil
- **Vintage** The summer of 2013 was full of warm dry days, and cool crisp nights. Come September Tropical Storm Pabuk broke 100-year rainfall records and presented one of the real challenges of working in a cool climate. Labor intensive late season vineyard work helped ensure only the highest quality fruit made it to the sorting table creating a vintage of beautiful elegance. It was a year where our uncompromising old world Burgundian techniques make True Story stand out. Harvest Dates: 9/26/13-10/9/13
- Winemaking Lot sorted, small batch, temperaturecontrolled fermentation. Expertly blended before gentle bottling. Production: 300 Cases ABV: 13.4%
- Aging 18 month in 100% French oak. 33% new, 33% one year old and 33%, 2 year old or neutral barrels. 18 months in bottle.

## Tasting Notes

To the eye the wine presents a bright ruby hue with luminous highlights. The bouquet is composed of violets, with fruit notes from strawberry's and rhubarb while there is an undertone of subtle spice. Unusually bright, with fantastic texture it lines the pallet with silk and lace. Pleasing tart cherry, a hint of pie spice, and dusty tannins lead to a long complex finish.



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