

# 2016 “The Crown” Port Style

## VITICULTURE

**Sub Geographic Indicator:** Okanagan Falls

**Vineyard:** Stony Knoll Vineyard, Okanagan Falls, BC, Canada

**Slopes:** Gentle south slope

**Soil:** Glacial fluvial deposits - sand, gravel and rock

**Clones:** Merlot - clone unknown (planted in 1999), Blocks 1-2

**Viticulture:** Vertical Shoot Position (VSP)

## WINEMAKING

Destemmed and crushed with a 5 day cold soak prior to fermentation. Spirit was added to stop the fermentation about 2/3 to completion. The wine was pressed, allowed to settle then racking into neutral oak barrels. It was barrel aged for 48 months prior to bottling.

## TECHNICAL NOTES

**VARIETAL:** 100% Merlot

**HARVEST DATE:** October 30, 2016

**CASES:** 100    **ALC:** 19%

**pH:** 3.87 | **TA:** 4.5 | **Brix:** 26.7 | **Residual Sugar:** 80 g/L

## TASTING NOTES

Aromas of fig, prunes and blackcurrant. The rich mouthfeel delivers a long and complex finish with flavours of black cherry and a subtle spiciness.



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