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2011 Rosé Walla Walla Valley

Winemaker's Notes:

Alluring aromas of fresh strawberry pie, cherry and pomegranate meld harmoniously with nuances of white flowers and lemonade. Bright fruit flavors and a zingy minerality make this wine the perfect pairing for a summer afternoon.

The 2011 Vintage:

From beginning to end, this was a cool year. The Walla Walla Valley experienced no 100-degree days for the first time in well over a decade. Despite the cooler weather, our vineyards were still able to reach full ripening, with harvest occurring approximately three weeks late. The longer hang time led to layered, nuanced flavors with vibrancy and natural balance.

Viticulture:

100% estate, Sustainably farmed.

Wine Specifics:

Varietal(s): 100% Cabernet Franc

Vineyard: 70% Waliser Vineyard and 30% Summit View

Appellation: Walla Walla Valley

Oak Program: 100% used French Oak

Harvest Date(s): October 20-27, 2011

Finished Alcohol: 13.9%

Total Production: 203 cases

Bottling Date: February 14, 2012

Release Date: May 4, 2012

— *Jean-François Pellet, Winemaker*



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