



milbrandt

VINEYARDS

2016 Cabernet Sauvignon

WINE NOTES

“Blackberries, plums, and savory dried herbs greet the nose. A dense, broad entry with full chewy tannin in the mid-palate evolves into a luscious symphony of dark fruit. A touch of vanilla and toast complete the finish.”

-Butch Milbrandt, Winery Owner

OVERVIEW

Pioneer of the Columbia Valley wine region, Butch Milbrandt saw potential in Eastern Washington. In 1997, this fourth-generation farmer took a risk in planting grapes and soon became recognized for helping establish two of the top AVAs in Washington State: Ancient Lakes and Wahluke Slope.

Never forgetting his farming roots, Butch is a true “Renaissance rancher” who loves to ride his motorcycle, fly his plane, and cook. In the military, he cooked for his company. It was then he honed a talent for pairing food and wine and seasoned his desire to own a winery.

Now a multi-generational brand with Butch taking the lead, Milbrandt Vineyards remains a symbol of perseverance and reward. Once a potato farm, the brand is now producing 40,000+ cases of wine.

A premium wine tier as well as an introductory wine tier is available nationwide, both delivering uncompromising quality. Collectively, the Milbrandts have contributed to more 90-point wines than any other fourth-generation farming family in Washington.

COMPOSITION:
86% CABERNET SAUVIGNON,
7% SYRAH, 4% PETIT VERDOT,
3% CABERNET FRANC

AVA: COLUMBIA VALLEY

ALCOHOL: 13.5%

RS: DRY

TA: 5.50

PH: 3.83

HARVEST: OCT. 2016

18 MONTHS
20% NEW AMERICAN OAK