2014 SOUTHWIND RED BLEND

WALLA WALLA VALLEY

ABOUT THE WINE

The Middleton Family has been working the land in Washington State for five generations. With Cadaretta the family aims to craft wines that stand among Washington’s best. The winery is named for a lumber schooner used by the family company in the first part of the 20th century. The Middleton Estate Southwind Vineyard is located just south of the city of Walla Walla. The winery is in the city of Walla Walla.

This blend of Bordeaux varietals comes from selected blocks at our Southwind Vineyard in the Walla Walla Valley AVA, then from barrel selections we make in the winery.

Our Southwind Red 2014 explodes with a nose of plum, black cherry, black currant, and spice…nutmeg and allspice. The mouthfeel exhibits a roundness with silky tannins, leading to a finish of oak, vanilla, cranberry and pomegranate.

ANALYSIS

**Varietal Composition:** 37% Malbec, 37% Petit Verdot, 26% Cabernet Sauvignon

**Aging:** 22 months in French oak barrels

**Alc:** 14.90% by volume

**pH:** 3.82

**TA:** 6.30g/L