

# WILD HORSE CANYON®

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## Quality wines from the west coast

### 2009 MERLOT

Our winemaker works with the best from British Columbia, Washington and California in order to craft the perfect wines. Each region is selected because of its different and special soils, climate and attributes. The results are balanced, fruit-forward wines: lush robust reds, and clean refreshing whites.

Our winery is named in honour of the wild horses which can still today be found in California, Washington and British Columbia.

Our Merlot has a bouquet of sun ripened berry fruits. Flavours of ripe strawberries and blackberries are accompanied by classic earth notes and soft round tannins.

750ml - 13.0% alc./vol.

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#### British Columbia

With the finest collection of quality grapes, British Columbia has gained international attention for its prime location and ideal growing conditions. The glacial and volcanic histories have created unique soil varieties of sand, gravel, silt, clay, limestone, and sandstone. Home to a moderate overall climate and very hot summer season with extensive sunlight, the Okanagan Valley has emerged as a New World wine region delivering outstanding quality.

#### Washington

The rain shadows in Washington State create ideal conditions for focusing on a few select varietals. Arid summers provide over 17 hours of daily sunlight in the growing season and lead into a temperate fall harvest. The region's volcanic history provides exceptional soil conditions which contribute to perfect maturity and acidity. With the advantageous coastal location, Washington State delivers prime grapes that are a perfect addition to the West Coast appellation.

#### California

With the Mediterranean climate and long growing season, coastal California is a premier location for growing world-class grapes. The hundreds of microclimates and wide variety of soils ensure diversity and contribute to the state's extensive collection of distinct varietals. The unique topography of the Coastal and Sierra Nevada mountain ranges, coupled with the benefits of warm West Coast ocean breezes, and year-round sun, provide a prime growing region distinguished by excellence.

