

BLEND: 92% Grenache | 8% Syrah

AVA/VINEYARD
The Rocks District of Milton Freewater AVA
RiverRock Vineyard

HARVEST DATE Oct. 3, 2016

ABV: 13.8%

pH: 3.96

175 cases produced Retail: \$75

WALLS

2016 CONCRETE MAMA GRENACHE

"The 2016 Grenache Concrete Mama comes all from the RiverRock Vineyard in the Rocks region and was not destemmed, but fermented in concrete, followed by 9 months in neutral barrel and 9 months in concrete tanks. This pretty, elegant, medium-bodied expression of Grenache has wonderful purity and complexity in its kirsch, white pepper, flowers, and spice-driven aromas and flavors. It's a gorgeous Grenache that's capable of evolving for over a decade."

- Jeb Dunnuck 94 Points

"Readers looking for the next superstar in Washington State need to check out these latest wines from winemaker Ali Mayfield. These wines all have singular character yet they share a rare sense of purity and elegance paired with plenty of richness and depth. These are singular, beautiful wines I'd be thrilled to drink."

- Jeb Dunnuck

Vintage Notes: Fermented in concrete with 7% whole cluster Syrah; Aged nine months in neutral French Oak; Final blend racked to and aged in concrete for nine months prior to May 2017