



## 2009 Columbia Valley Cellarmaster's Riesling

### Masterful Wines from Washington State

Columbia Winery was founded in 1962 by ten friends, six of whom were University of Washington professors. Originally known as Associated Vintners, the group was united in the belief that classic European vinifera vines could survive the harsh Washington winters and that fine wine could be made in Washington State.

Today, a team of winemakers, led by Director of Winemaking Kerry Norton, continue to create exceptional Washington State wines.

### Tasting Notes

On the nose are notes of pears, apples, and a hint of nutmeg. The sweetness is balanced by the zing of vibrant acidity that makes this such a food-friendly wine.

### Food Pairing Recommendations

Pairs well with spicy Asian cuisine, as well as lemon chicken. Try it with desserts such as rhubarb apple crisp, lemon bars, crème brûlée and peach cobbler.

### Varietals

Riesling	97%
Gewurztraminer	3%

### Appellation

Columbia Valley

### Technical Notes

Winemaker	Kerry Norton
Alcohol	10%
Total Acidity	9.7g/L
pH	2.85
Residual Sugar	61 g/L
Harvest Date	Sept 2009
Bottling Date	Feb 2010
Release Date	Nov 2010
Cases Produced	80,000