



2020

Freedom Hill Vineyard Pinot Noir

Freedom Hill Vineyard is located in the foothills of the Oregon Coast Range, toward the western edge of the Willamette Valley near the Eola-Amity AVA. The grapes from Freedom Hill make their way into the wine portfolios of some of the most esteemed, artistic wineries in the Willamette Valley.

FREEDOM HILL VINEYARD



Winemaking

Purple Hands is a low input, purity-driven winery. Ferments are a mixture of techniques: Pied de Cuve, native yeasts, and some commercial strains as needed. Whole cluster and skin macerations are vintage-dependent styles. Wines are bottled unfiltered and unfiltered to retain the honesty of the vineyard.

Appellation: Willamette Valley

Farming Practices: Dry Farmed, Organically farmed, not certified.

Grape Varietal: 100% Pinot Noir

Clones: Wädenswil, Coury

Ageing: 11 Months in French Oak Barrels, 40% New.

Soil: Bellpine Loam (Marine Semidment)

Ageability: 10+ years

Elevation: 400 feet

Alcohol: 13.5%

Aspect: Southeast

pH: 3.8

Year Planted: 1982

Production: 218 cases

The 2020 Vintage

2020 is a vintage that you can rely on Oregon winemakers such as Cody Wright as your go-to for high quality, purity focused Pinot Noir. Though the vintage presented its challenges there was an incredible core of quality at the center of the vintage. At Purple Hands Winery we focused on that generous core, embracing the spirit of the vintage, to create wines of depth and quality.

Tasting Notes:

agave, white chocolate, blackberry, boysenberry, cola, anise, strawberry, currant, rhubarb, candied blue fruit, watermelon, spiced honey

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