# 2012

# DIVIDEND SYRAH

**RED MOUNTAIN** 



### MARKET VINEYARDS HISTORY

Market Vineyards is a dream brought to life by five partners, Steve Anderson and Daniel Schulte of Kansas City, and Matt Riesenweber, Bob Bertsch, and Kelly Precechtel Bright of Washington State.

Four of the partners have backgrounds in the financial market's arena and the other in custom construction. Their attention to detail and quality comes second nature. While vacationing, the partners sat on the rooftop of the Beijing Hotel overlooking the Forbidden City sampling a large variety of wines. The rooftop view was no less than world-class. Glass in hand, they decided to create a wine that matched the atmosphere they were enjoying. Their passion for wine led to the creation of the handcrafted wines they share with you today.

## WINEMAKING PHILOSOPHY

Market Vineyards' philosophy is reflected by their choice in having one of Washington State's industry leaders, Charlie Hoppes, as their winemaker.

Market Vineyards takes pride on being able to have access to hand-picked fruit sourced from premier Washington State vineyards located in the Columbia Valley and Red Mountain growing regions. The attention to detail and premium quality is not just noticed in the fruit chosen but also in the artistic abilities in the cellar. Custom French and American barrels are hand-selected so they are properly matched for each vintage that is produced.



# Dividend

We are delighted to introduce to you this amazing Syrah sourced entirely from the highly-acclaimed Ciel du Cheval vineyard of Red Mountain. This tiny production bottling succeeds beyond all measures and is reserved exclusively for our wine club members. A full, rich and rounded wine that brings out the concentration from the low yielding old vines, it demonstrates great texture, depth and richness. Amazingly complex with a dazzlingly polished feel offering notes of mineral, blue-fruit, pomegranate, mocha and white pepper. The wine shows intensity and extraordinary balance, having silky tannins that frame a powerful, yet well-balanced structure. This is an exciting Syrah, and may just be at the beginning of a long journey. Drink now through 2025.

# **VARIETALS**:

Syrah

100%

## **VINEYARDS**:

Ciel du Cheval, Syrah 100%

ALCOHOL: CASES:

15.5%

45

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