

## **2010 MERLOT**

Rattlesnake Hills

**VINEYARD NOTES:** The wine came from our Estate Vineyard in the Rattlesnake Hills. 2011 was a vintage year in the Rattlesnake Hills

## **TECHNICAL DATA:**

Appellation: Rattlesnake Hills

Grapes: 100% Château Puryear Vineyard, Zillah, WA

## **Harvest:**

Dates: 10-4-10

pH: 3.41 Brix: 24.0 T.A.: 6.3 g/l

## **Bottling:**

Date: 10-12-12

pH: 3.63 T.A.: 5.9 g/l Alcohol: 13.7% Sugar: dry

Production: 105 cases

**Cellar Notes**: The wine was aged 22 months in new 225 liter French and American oak Barrels.Predominately Tonnellerie d' Aquitaine and Radoux Cooperages with medium plus toasts and 3 year air dried tight grain wood.

**Tasting Notes:** Brilliant color, red fruit with integrated oak, and lingering notes on the palate.

Accompaniments: Osso Buco
Serving Notes: Serve room temperature 65°