

CADENCE - CIEL DU CHEVAL 2012

38% cabernet franc, 38% cabernet sauvignon, 12% petit verdot and 12% merlot

Ciel du Cheval, n. **a.** French, horse sky, **b.** Red Mountain vineyard named for its sweeping view of the Horse Heaven Hills, **c.** Cadence blend of Bordeaux clonal selections grown on Ciel du Cheval Vineyard.

Subtle herb-garrigue and spice nose. The flavors lead with cherry and blue fruits building into a minerally intensity. The wine's structure is quite firm with perfect acidity and gripping tannins. The length is tremendous and only hints at the wine's real potential. This is a classic expression of Ciel du Cheval and will gracefully age for 15+ years.

— B. Smith

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