

ROYAL SLOPE RED WINE

2021

Vineyard workers are essential to the Washington state wine industry and their contributions often go unsung. Crafted with donated grapes from Stillwater Creek vineyard in the Royal Slope, proceeds from the sale of this 100% Merlot benefit Columbia Valley vineyard workers through a donation to the Columbia Basin Health Association Othello Clinic Mobile Unit.

On Tuesday, December 12, 2023 a team of medical clinicians and dental hygienists provided free health screening for vineyard workers from Stillwater Creek. All told, 35 vineyard workers received vision, hearing and dental screenings, blood pressure and blood glucose checks and free flu vaccinations. And all of it was funded by sales of Orr 2020 Royal Slope Red Wine!

For the label, I commissioned Christie Tirado, a printmaker in Yakima, WA to make a linoleum block print based on a photo I had taken of vineyard workers picking my fruit.



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APPELLATION

Royal Slope

VARIETAL

100% Merlot

VINEYARDS

Stillwater Creek

BARRELS

neutral oak

AGING

18 months in barrel

BOTTLING

Unfined and unfiltered in Spring of 2023 with American made glass and TCA free DIAM corks

ALCOHOL

14.3%

CASES PRODUCED

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