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2021 KINDRED RED BORDEAUX BLEND

2021 Kindred, built with a blend of Cabernet Sauvignon, Malbec, Merlot, Sangiovese, Cabernet Franc, and a touch of Petite Sirah, attacks with aromas of blackberry, cedar, mocha, and black tea, leading to full, ripe flavors of black cherry, mint, crushed rock and roasted herbs. Framed by supple tannins, it is crafted to enjoy today, but will develop gracefully for many years.

Food pairing: Grilled ribeye, sweet onions, Anaheim peppers or shiitake blue cheese walnut ravioli

Movie pairing: *Parenthood*

FOUNDERS' NOTES

Kindred, first produced in 2008, is the gateway label to our reserve tier portfolio. The label features an image of a nearly 280-year-old oak tree in McMinnville, Tennessee, where Frank Sparkman, Chris's Dad, was born. The Birthing Tree, where generations of Original Americans and pioneers gave birth, may be the oldest living tree in Tennessee.

Grapes 40% Cabernet Sauvignon, 30% Malbec, 10% Merlot, 10% Sangiovese, 7% Cabernet Franc, 3% Petite Sirah

Vineyards Oasis, Boushey, Discovery, Olsen, Weinbau, Dionysus, and Red Willow

Appellation Columbia Valley

Aging 14% new Hungarian, French, and American oak, 24 months

Alcohol/TA/pH 14.5%/0.56/3.85

Cases 725

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