

## **HUNDRED SUNS WINE**

## Hundred Suns Wine 2019 Super Moon Syrah

Chehalem Mountain Syrah Alc / Vol: 12.8%

AVA: Chehalem Mountain \* Elevation: 400-500 Ft. \* Exposure: South/Southwest \* Soils: Basalt \* Harvest Date: October 14, 2019 \* Native Yeast Fermentation \* 100% Whole Cluster \* Elevage: 8 months in neutral wood \* Farming Practices: Dry farmed

The Super Moon is a rare and beautiful lunar event that occurs when the full moon coincides with the moon's closest approach to Earth in its orbit, making the moon seem brighter and more close than usual. It felt an appropriate name for a wine that could only have come to being in this particular vintage.

Our Super Moon Syrah was grown on Vidon Vineyard: a warm site for the Willamette Valley during a classic, cool Oregon vintage. It was fermented 100% whole cluster in a sealed tank. On the 12th day we opened the tank and foot-stomped the clusters one time before pressing. The resulting wine is initially shy with savory tones of black pepper and beef bouillon, but after time the wine opens to offer juicy pomegranate & cranberry with a light, refreshing palate surprising for Syrah.