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RED MOUNTAIN

2007

ESTATE GROWN AND BOTTLED

100% RED MOUNTAIN AMERICAN VITICULTURAL AREA RED WINE  
WASHINGTON STATE 750ML 13.6% ALC. BY VOL.

## *2007 Hedges Family Estate Red Mountain*

Viticulture Area:	Red Mountain 100% Estate Grown
Winemaker:	Pete Hedges
Blend:	56% Merlot 30% Cabernet Sauvignon 8% Syrah 6% Cabernet Franc
Release Date:	December 2009
Alcohol:	13.6%
pH	3.68
Titrateable Acid:	7.1 g/L

### *Tasting Notes*

Dark purple in color with aromas of juicy ripe fruit of cherry, blackberry and cassis combined with clove & cocoa. The palate is concentrated with black cherry, cranberry, toast, licorice with hints of smoke, earth and caramel. A full, lush mouth-feel with plenty of structure & a long, slightly earthy finish.

### *Cellaring*

This wine is wonderful to drink now with or without food, but will age well, peaking in 5-10 years, but continue to give pleasure 15-20 years later.

### *Production*

Grapes harvested for this wine are from Red Mountain AVA vineyards within a 2 mile radius of the winery. This wine was aged for an average of 10 months in 50% new oak consisting of 70% American, 25% French and 5% European.

### *Harvest Notes*

2007 was a great vintage in Washington State, with few heat spikes during the summer and the excellent, warm, dry spell lasting into October. This allowed the grapes to develop excellent flavor with great balance.

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