## **Fullerton Bella Vida Pinot Noir**

## **Fullerton Wines**

## **United States - Oregon - Willamette Valley**

Bella Vida Vineyard is perched high in the heart of the Dundee Hills. This picturesque site provides elegant fruit from the storied Jory soils of the AVA. LIVE certified with elevations ranging from 600-880 feet.

The wine offers elegant notes of forest mushroom, strawberry, crushed rock, toffee, and red cedar. Very pretty on the palate with soft red fruits, oolong tea, and smooth, persistent tannins, gently finishing with a hint of candied hazelnuts. A compelling and mesmerizing Pinot Noir from the Dundee Hills.

Specifications	
Appellation	Willamette Valley
Varietals	100% Pinot Noir - 40 years old
Vinification	A co-fermentation of Dijon clones 113, 667, and 777, this wine expresses the volcanic soils of the Dundee Hills elegantly, yet powerfully. Upon arrival, the grapes were immediately de-stemmed into an open-top two-ton fermenter. Following a seven day cold soak, the wine heated up quickly with a peak temperature of 94° F resulting in optimum extraction. We utlized pump overs exclusively to manage the cap. Following two days of setting, the wine was racked to barrel and aged for 16 months in 25% new French oak and one month in tank prior to being bottled unfined and unfiltered.  Aged 25% new French oak, 50% second fill, 25% third fill
Production	100 (9-liter cases)



Codes, Weights and Measures	
UPC	0 40232 24373 8
Units/Case	12
Unit Size	750 mL
Container	bottle
SCC	1 00 40232 24373 5
Case Weight	39
Cases/Pallet	56
Layers/Pallet	14
ABV	13.50%
SRP	\$ 72.50 USD 750mL Bottle

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