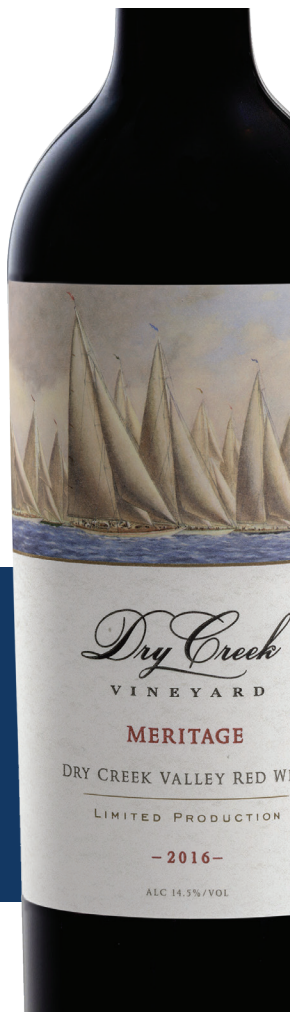




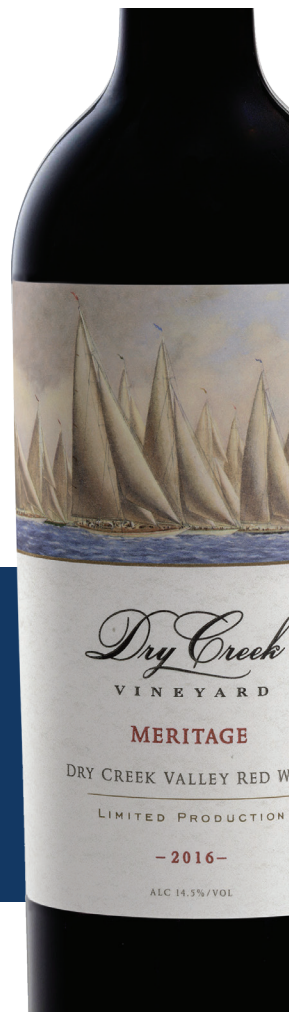
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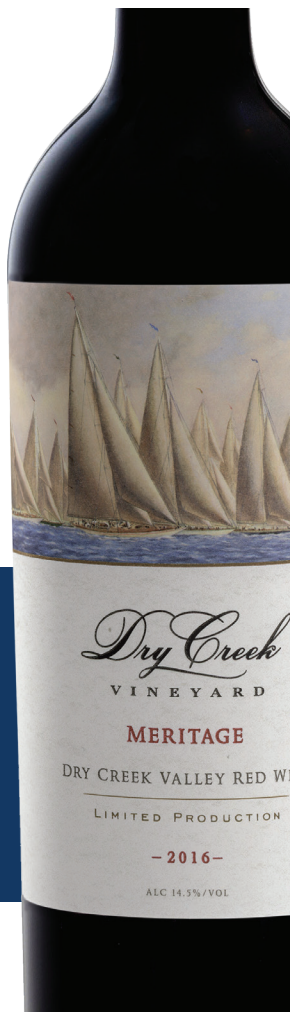
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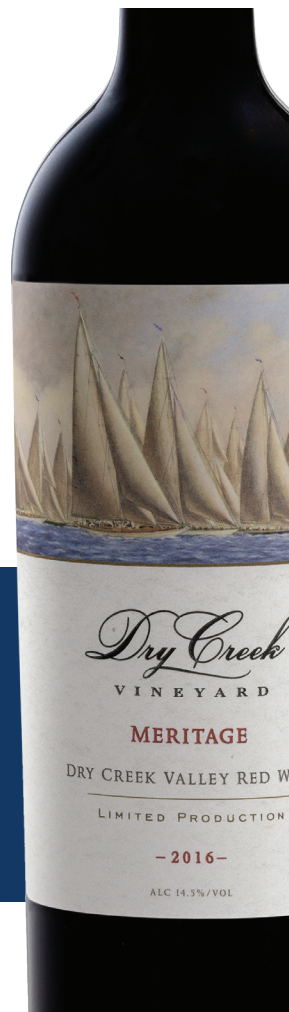
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**FLAVOR PROFILE**



BLACK CHERRY



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SPICED PLUM



ALLSPICE

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- Soft Tannins
- Complex
- Full-Bodied

**FOOD PAIRING**

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