

# Bella Vida 2006 Pinot Noir

## "Jacques Tardy"



### VINEYARD:

While Steven and Allison Whiteside live and work in Tucson, AZ they are also the proprietors of Bella Vida vineyard. The vineyard is located on a hillside near to Dundee in the Willamette valley in Oregon. The vineyard grows Pinot Noir grapes exclusively and works with three different winemakers to impart their individual wine making styles on the fruit and resulting in a winemaker series of Pinot Noirs.

### DESCRIPTION:

Jacques Tardy, winemaker from France, has crafted this wine with a delicate floral nose followed by caramel and spice (and everything nice!). Smooth initial presentation with a building warmth in the mid palate. As this wine finishes you can taste the structure of this Dundee Hills vintage: minerality with a hint of spice.

PICKING STATISTICS: Blend: Dijon clones 114,115

AGING: 11 months in American oak

PRODUCTION: 195 cases

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