

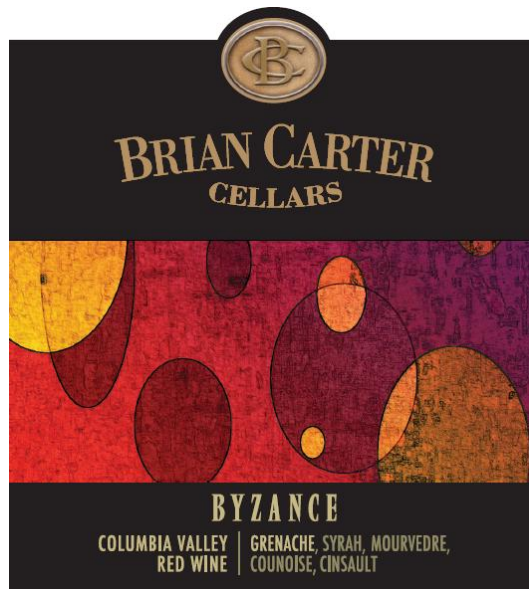
# WINE PRESS NORTHWEST

## Determining the “Best of the Best” in the Pacific Northwest

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### PLATINUM AWARD



### BRIAN CARTER CELLARS 2011 BYZANCE Columbia Valley

Brian Carter has been crafting wine in Washington for 35 years and has access to some of the best grapes in the state. This Rhône-style red leads with Grenache and is simply gorgeous. Aromas and flavors of cranberry, red currant and strawberry jam are backed by cleansing acidity and just enough tannin to provide grip through the memorable finish.

(539 cases; 14.2% alc.)

**Medals: Tri-Cities Wine Festival (Best of show),  
Pacific Rim Wine Competition (Gold), Seattle Wine Awards (Double gold)**

*“A Passion for the Art of Blending”*

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