



**BRIAN CARTER**  
CELLARS

*"A passion for the art of blending"*

**2006 Corrida**  
**Spanish Style Blend**  
*Columbia Valley AVA*

I am excited to bring you another marvelous **Brian Carter Cellars** blend **Corrida**, this time modeled after the noble wines of Spain. The central ingredient of this wine is the Tempranillo grape, widely regarded as the most revered grape in Spain, and only recently available in Washington State. The varieties Merlot and Cabernet Sauvignon were used in smaller quantities as they have been utilized in Spain for over a century. A small amount of Garnacha the most widely planted grape in Spain completes the blend.

A beautiful dark garnet color greets you with aromas of blackberry, rose petals, cedar and spice. Plenty of fruit flavors envelope the mouth along with soft tannins and a long juicy finish. Enjoy this wine with full flavored meats cooked on the grill including sausage and lamb.

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|-----------------------|--------------------------|-----------|-----------------|
| Stone Tree Vineyard   | Tempranillo              | 65        | Columbia Valley |
| Stone Tree Vineyard   | Merlot                   | 19%       | Columbia Valley |
| Solstice Vineyard     | Cabernet Sauvignon       | 5%        | Columbia Valley |
| Red Mountain Vineyard | Cabernet Sauvignon       | <u>5%</u> | Columbia Valley |
|                       | Total Cabernet Sauvignon | 10%       |                 |
| Stone Tree Vineyard   | Garnacha                 | 6%        | Columbia Valley |

**Analysis at Bottling**

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| Residual Sugar | 0.1%  |
| TA             | 0.60% |
| pH             | 3.88  |
| Alcohol        | 13.8% |

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| Bottling Date:   | 08.29.2008 |
| Case Production: | 145 cases  |
| Release Date:    | 02.12.2009 |

**Brian D. Carter**

*Winemaker*