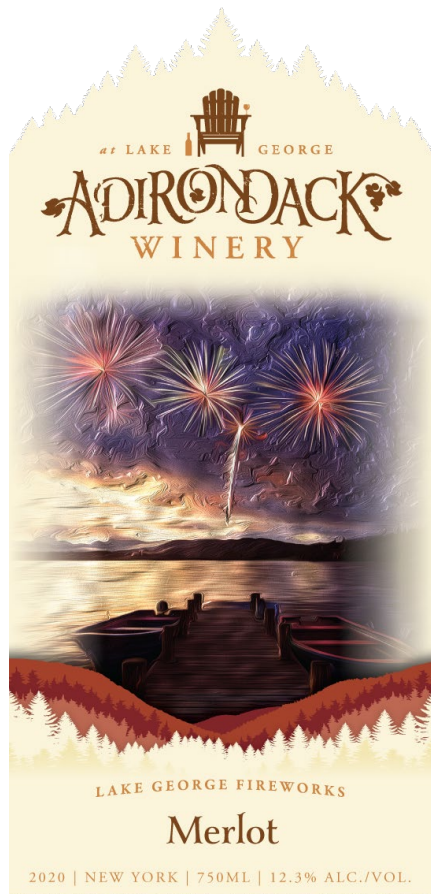


# ADIRONDACK WINERY



## MERLOT NY

*“Lake George Fireworks”* - Merlot

### Appellation:

Finger Lakes, New York

### Vintage: 2020

*Harvest Date: 10/1/20*

### Grape Varietal: Merlot

### Aging: Approx. 10 mos.

American Oak Barrels

**Alc. / Vol.** 12.3%

**Residual Sugar:** 0%

**Acid:** 4.1 g/L

**pH:** 3.56

**Brix:** 18.86

### Production:

*186 Cases produced*

### Serving Temperature:

57° - 62°

### Tasting Notes

The 2020 vintage of Merlot presents itself with strong aromas of blackberry coupled with subtle notes of cocoa and tobacco.

### Food Pairing Notes

We suggest pairing this wine with roasted poultry, beef dishes with rich sauces, roasted vegetables, sharp or smoky cheeses, and dark berry desserts.

### Label Image

The fireworks set over Lake George are a weekly summer tradition.

### Awards

GOLD: 2018 Sommelier Challenge Int'l (2016 vintage)

### Winemaker Notes

Slightly on the heavier side in body and tannin, this year's Merlot has a nice balance of American and French Oak that gives off a pleasant warming sensation. A warm and dry summer, accompanied by generous punch downs of the fruit during harvest provide a rich and dark red hue.

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**TASTING NOTES /** Our Merlot is medium-bodied and dry, boasting earthy tones complemented by ripe black cherry and oaky flavors, easy tannins and a silky finish. We suggest pairing this wine with roasted poultry, beef dishes with rich sauces, roasted vegetables, sharp or smoky cheeses, and dark berry desserts.

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