

TYPE Rye

**ABV** 47.5%

**AVAILABLE SIZES (L)** 

0.750

# Black Maple Hill

## Rye

UNITED STATES, OREGON

#### **DESCRIPTION**

The Rye's mash bill is 75% rye and 25% corn. Upon first taste, spice and caramel flavors weave over the palate with the sip finishing with a distinctive ping.

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## **PRODUCER OVERVIEW**

The Story of Black Maple Hill is as long and twisted as the rumors that surround it. In 2000 PBB, (Pre Bourbon Boom) Paul Joseph of CVI brands partnered with KBD, Kentucky Bourbon Distillers (formally known as Willett distillery, but changed their name back to Willett in 2005/2006) to source aged bourbon and rye whiskeys to create Black Maple Hill.

In 2005 The Bourbon boom was in full force and the cost of obtaining 15-20 year old Bourbon stock was sky high. BMH was forced to end their partnership with KBD due to this and that the family was getting ready to reopen the distillery under the Willett name again. Paul started to source 8 year Bourbon from various Kentucky distilleries but was looking for a long term partner where he could have greater control over the source of his product.

His answer was in Oregon. The Stein family had been living in Joseph for decades and had 35 acers of barley, rye and wheat. They had opened their own distillery in 2008 using their own grain and corn from a friends farm. Paul could finally control everything from grain to glass becoming one of the few distilleries in the world able to do this. Black Maple Hill is now a blend of 4-5 years.

## **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

**Producer:** Stein Distillery

Product: Black Maple Hill Bourbon

Country and Region: USA, Joseph, Oregon

Produced from (Raw base product): 75% Rye, 25% Corn

Type of Still: 7 plate Column

Aged: Blended 4 to 5 years Charred American Oak

**Tasting Notes:** Dried dates, almonds, slight sweet cocoa/nutmeg powder. The oak is gentle but

looming in the background with a gentle Rye finish that lingers.