



**New Riff Winter
Whiskey Bottled in
Bond Kentucky Straight
(2020 Release)**

50%

The nose is vegetal with celery, caraway seeds, and bell pepper while also sweet: confectionery powder, candied orange slices, chocolate fudge, and coffee ice cream. The palate shows wood influence, though fruits—apricots and orange marmalade—emerge with water. The dry, nutty finish has a sweet herbal quality that lingers before a final hint of tobacco smoke. A bit quirky, but the well-structured clean flavors and excellent balance make this worth a taste.



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