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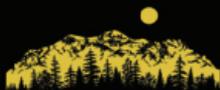
2016

**COLUMBIA VALLEY
CABERNET SAUVIGNON**

“The 2016 Cabernet Sauvignon has a ripe nose with a precise core of generous, healthy and robust red and black fruits. Bursting from the glass, chocolate-covered black cherries with elegant blackberry tones effortlessly strut their stuff next to seductive tones of French oak spices and subtle savory and floral tones. Full-bodied, the wine turns a touch tart in the mouth, with a focused acid structure balanced by lush tannins. The mid-palate is perfectly balanced, with rich dark cherry notes framing the oak expressions. The ripe core of fruit and oak dance vibrantly on the long, elaborate and generous finish, and the aftertaste lingers on for more than a minute after the wine has left the palate. This is a stunning and impressive wine in this vintage, one for collectors to take note of and seek out. Drink 2019-2040.”

Anthony Mueller,

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VARIETAL

100% Cabernet Sauvignon

VINEYARDS

Champoux, Lake Wallula, Palengat and Wallula Vineyards. These four vineyards are located in the Horse Heaven Hills AVA in Columbia Valley, Washington.

AGING

20 months in 100% new Darnajou and Taransaud French Oak barrels followed by 10 months in bottle before release.

TASTING NOTES

Luxurious texture with layer upon layer of rich and concentrated crème de cassis, blackberry and black plum fruit coating the palate with a deep, memorable impact. Nuances of violet, anise, leather, dark chocolate, black truffle and minerals can also be found in this incredibly pure wine of great power and finesse.