



# POWERS

2016

## 3 Liter Cabernet Sauvignon

Washington State

### TASTING NOTES

Diverse layered aromatics of blackberry, cassis, and fresh sage along with a touch of spice, vanilla and earthiness, this wine is distinctly Cabernet Sauvignon on the nose. On the palate there are nice rich layers of flavors ranging from black cherry, blackberry, Crème Brulee, and plum with a slight touch of fennel, slate, and spice. The fruit and spice bursts onto the finish that is finely structured with a nice balance of acidity and well-integrated tannins.

### BLEND/VINEYARD INFO

**89% Cabernet Sauvignon, 6% Carmenere, & 5% Cabernet Franc**

46% River Crest Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon, Columbia Valley

12% Goose Ridge Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon, Columbia Valley

11% Katherine Leone Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon, Wahluke Slope

10% Sheridan Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon, Yakima Valley

10% Champoux Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon, Horse Heaven Hills

6% Kiona Vineyard Carmenere, Red Mountain

5% Nine Canyon Cabernet Franc, Columbia Valley

### WINEMAKER'S NOTES

This classic Washington Cabernet Sauvignon is a very complex wine that has great vineyard sites comprising the blend. With all of the grapes harvested from late September through the first part of November, the perfectly ripe fruit was balanced with near ideal acidity. 83% of this wine was fermented in stainless steel upright tanks with PDM yeast alongside 11% in our rotary fermenter, then the final 6% in the pump-under method. This wine has finished 100% malolactic fermentation then aged for 24 months in a mixture of new, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> fill French Oak barrels.



### TECHNICAL DATA

Release Date: Feb 20, 2019

Alcohol: 13.5%

Residual Sugar: Dry

Acidity: 0.64

pH 3.83

Cases: 2,500

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