

# Wine & Spirits

## Year's Best US Cabernet Sauvignon

### 91 | Kiona

**2017 Red Mountain Cabernet Sauvignon (Best Buy)** Three quarters of this wine comes from Heart of the Hill, and the rest from the original Kiona estate. Heavy at first, as if the wine were carrying weights in its pockets, it becomes wonderfully spicy as it opens with air, showing off carob, mint, Christmas spice and anise, all grounding powerfully dark fruit and firm tannins. Old-school cabernet at its best, for steak. —Reviewed by Patrick J. Comiskey.

