



# REININGER

WALLA WALLA VALLEY

## 2019 Cabernet Sauvignon,

### *Walla Walla Valley*

#### 92 POINTS, JAMES SUCKLING

Fresh coffee, blackberries, brambleberries and roasted herbs on the nose. Full-bodied with chewy tannins. Lush black and red berries mix with cedar and all-spice.

#### TASTING NOTE

Its color is dark purple red. Black currant and bramble fruit, melded with black cherries and plum, are the first scents to leap from the glass. Thin layers of sweet rose petal, herb, aged leather and coffee bean quickly develop between the strata of dark fruit that evolves into a dominating black cherry. The palate has fine, soft tannins with animating acidity to highlight its fruit. Teasing hints of medium roast coffee and vanilla precede a lingering finish of cherry and judicious oak.

#### THE 2019 VINTAGE

- ◆ The REININGER 2019 Cabernet Sauvignon owes its luscious, fruity character to a slightly warmer than average vintage.
- ◆ April appeared donning a blanket of snow, summer responded with warm days, and fall decided to play it cool.

#### THE AVA

Nestled in the foothills of the Blue Mountains in southeastern Washington and northeastern Oregon, the Walla Walla Valley AVA is known for its warm summer days, cooler nights and its diversity of varietals and soil types. Established in 1984, this AVA is home to nearly 3,000 acres of planted vines and over 120 wineries.

#### HISTORY OF CABERNET SAUVIGNON

We've been making Walla Walla Cabernet Sauvignon since our inaugural 1997 vintage. Our REININGER Cabernet Sauvignon is commonly sourced from Pepper Bridge, Seven Hills and XL Vineyards. Highlights of past accolades includes a three-time inclusion in *Wine & Spirit's* "Year's Best USA Cabernet Sauvignon" issues, and over 25 90+ scores.

#### REININGER WINERY

REININGER Winery, located in the heart of the Walla Walla Valley, specializes in crafting elegant and finely structured wines from hand-harvested, ultra premium grapes. From our first release in 1997, REININGER wines have possessed a unique quality derived from the winemaker's awareness of and passion for the natural elements that make great wines.



#### WINE DATA

<i>Composition</i>	97% Cabernet Sauvignon, 3% Malbec
<i>Vineyards</i>	46% Pepper Bridge, 28% XL, 23% Seven Hills, 3% Stone Valley
<i>Cooperage</i>	100% French, (33% new oak)
<i>Alcohol</i>	14.1%
<i>pH</i>	3.69
<i>Total Acidity</i>	6.2 g/L
<i>Bottling Date</i>	July 2021
<i>Release Date</i>	November 2021
<i>Case Production</i>	419

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