

2000 Cabernet Sauvignon

Walla Walla Valley

Vintage Notes:

The weather was quite the opposite in 2000 than 1999, with a very warm summer and quite cool harvest season. The result however, was similar to 1999, with long “hang time”, deep color, balanced acidity and tannin, and intense, concentrated fruit flavors. Those who were patient at harvest time (and we were) were rewarded with exceptional fruit.

Winemaker notes:

Our 2000 Cabernet Sauvignon possesses inky color that is saturated to the rim. The nose is of ripe black fruits, cassis, and balsam fir. The wines abundant tannin hide themselves in the wines excellent balance and long finish.

Vineyards in this Wine

Mill Creek Upland, Seven Hills, Pepper Bridge, Windrow, and Leonetti Estate Vineyard all Walla Walla Valley vineyards.

<u>Aging Profile</u>	<u>Blending Detail</u>	<u>Production</u>	<u>Winery Retail</u>
Aged in new French, American, and Oregon oak barrels for 22 months	Cabernet Sauvignon 86%, Cabernet Franc 10%, Merlot 4%	Two thousand, five hundred and eighteen cases produced	\$65