



# FORGERON CELLARS

Washington Wines Made in Walla Walla

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Since 2001 Forgeron Cellars has been devoted to crafting artisanal, small-lot wines that explore the nuances of several highly respected and diverse vineyard sites throughout Washington's Columbia Valley. Showcasing the unblemished character within each varietal and revealing the unique vintage conditions of the fruit has resulted in a proud tradition of 90+ point award-winning wines.

## 2019 CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Walla Walla Valley

Our Walla Walla Valley Cabernet Sauvignon flows into your glass with a dazzling ruby red color; expanding on your nose with rich dark chocolate, cassis, and sumptuous black cherry. The multifaceted flavor profile evolves with every sip, keeping your palate entranced with each quaff. Fine, fresh tannins lead into a fruit forward mid-palate and rewarding lengthy finish. Take this wine with you to any fine dining meal that includes steak, our favorite is a nice juicy Prime Rib.

### WINEMAKER NOTES

Cabernet Sauvignon flourishes in Walla Walla Valley, especially between Seven Hills Vineyard and Minnick Hills Vineyard. They complement each other so well in the bottle, enhancing the varietal profile and texture of the wine. This vintage opens with a big and full profile and softens out with a pleasing long, lengthy finish.

### VINTAGE NOTES

2019 began with favorable, steady temperatures that suggested harvest would begin earlier than the prior year. However, as we were preparing to begin picking fruit in August temperatures around the state suddenly dropped, causing most of our fruit ripening to slow and bestowing advantageous added hangtime and acidity. We finished harvesting fruit just before an early freeze throughout Walla Walla Valley in October. Given our preference for fresh, vibrant winemaking, this vintage's exceptional, gradual entrance allowed varietals across the state to truly blossom.

### TECHNICAL DATA

Composition: 100% Cabernet Sauvignon  
Vineyard: 35% Seven Hills Vineyard & 65% Minnick Hills Vineyard  
AVA: Walla Walla Valley  
Coopering: 24 months in 20% new French oak, 80% neutral French oak  
pH: 3.83 | TA: 6.43 g/L | Alcohol: 14.7  
Bottled: December 2021  
Production: 407 cases  
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