

TA: 0.51 gm/100mL

PH: 3.78

ALCOHOL: 15.0%

BLEND: Cabernet Sauvignon.

CASE PRODUCTION:

286

## RED MOUNTAIN

# 2018 Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon Heart of the Hill Vineyard

### VINTAGE NOTES

- 2018 was another stellar growing season and vintage in Washington.
- Warm spring temperatures were followed by mild conditions throughout the growing season allowing for extended hang time and flavor development.
- Warm fall days allowed for full ripeness, while cool Washington nights helped maintain crisp natural acidity.

# VINEYARD NOTES

- Red Mountain is a premiere vineyard site known for producing powerful, opulent wines of distinction.
- The area has a desert climate with average yearly rainfall of five inches per year.
- The Hezel loamy fine sand soil is excellent for growing grapes because it allows for superior drainage.

#### WINEMAKING NOTES

- Fruit was handpicked at the peak of ripeness, destemmed, sorted and placed into small fermenters for primary fermentation.
- Secondary fermentation and aging took place in a combination of concrete, oak barrels and small stainless steel tanks.
- The aging combination resulted in a fresh, expressive wine that is deeply layered and nuanced.

#### TASTING NOTES

A concentrated yet silky blend of violets, black currant, black cherry and dark chocolate.