

# CANVASBACK

**2016 RED MOUNTAIN WASHINGTON STATE  
CABERNET SAUVIGNON**

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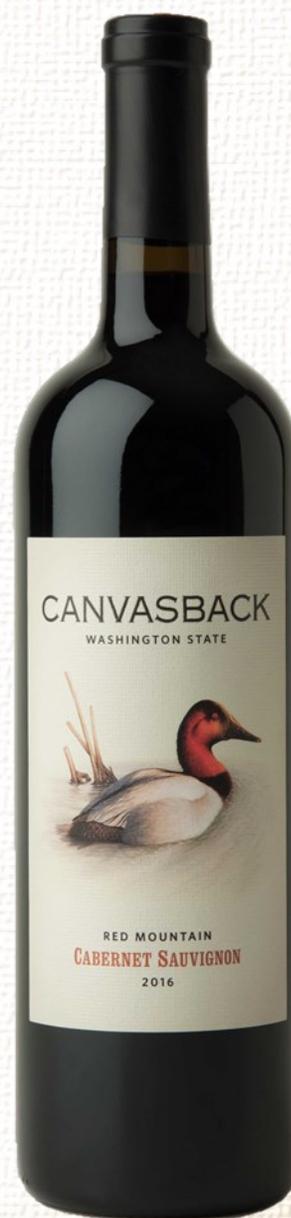
POINTS

**Outstanding**

“Quite complex yet contained aromas of cassis, mulberries, leaves and bracken here, leading to a palate that has a smooth, sleek and softly approachable feel. Fresh dark berries sit in gentle tannins. A blend of 88% cabernet sauvignon, 8% merlot, 2% petit verdot and 2% cabernet franc. Drink over the next six years.”

*-Nick Stock, JamesSuckling.com*

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“Deep ruby/purple-colored, the 2016 Cabernet Sauvignon Red Mountain checks in as 88% Cabernet Sauvignon, 8% Merlot, and 2% each of Petit Verdot and Cabernet Franc, all aged 20 months in 41% new French (and a small amount of American) oak. Blackcurrants, black cherries, spice box, dried herbs, and earthy notes all emerge from the glass, and it’s medium-bodied, elegant, and seamless on the palate, with beautiful fruit. It’s good today but has good underlying tannins, and I suspect it will keep for 10+ years.”

### The 2016s From Washington State

“Another brilliant year for Washington State, the 2016 vintage started out even earlier than 2015 (which was one of the earliest on record) with bud break occurring in the middle of May, upwards of two weeks ahead of average. Scorching temperatures in April and May put the vintage on track to surpass 2015 as the warmest on record. However, the weather pattern shifted in June with cooler, even temperatures for the summer months. A rain shower early in October was the only blip in a cool, even Indian Summer that persisted through November, which allowed a prolonged yet stress-free harvest.”

- *Jeb Dunnuck*

