

# PASSING TIME

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## CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Passing Time is, first and foremost, dedicated to Cabernet Sauvignon. We use fruit from iconic Washington vineyards to create a complex and complete blend that compliments the Discovery Vineyard Cabernet, without taking away from its unique character. Minimal handling in the cellar, and close attention to the choice and use of new oak are designed to create a long-lived, expressive, and complex wine that attains the considerable heights Washington is known for.

Appellation: Horse Heaven Hills

Vineyards: Discovery, Champoux, Klipsun

Cases: 500

Blend: 86% Cabernet sauvignon, 9% Merlot, 5% Cabernet Franc

Aging: 21 months, new French oak

Release: April 18, 2015

## TASTING NOTES

Opaque purple-black out to the rim, with beautiful, complex aromas of black cherry, cassis, vanilla, toast, fresh cut violets, cedar, and hints of bergamot. The mouth feel is palate-coating, yet light on its feet with dark red fruits, vanilla bean, flowers, and balanced acidity to give lift and brightness. The well-structured finish is long and complex, promising a long life in the cellar.

-Winemaker, Chris Peterson