



2020 a² CABERNET SAUVIGNON

\$27 / 750ML. BOTTLE
(RETAIL)

TASTING NOTES

In glass, the 2020 A Squared Cabernet Sauvignon offers aromas of cassis, black currant, graphite, and earth with subtle herbal complexity. A light touch of oak provides notes of cedar, espresso, and toast. The focused palate shows a silky tannin structure and cleansing acidity which provides balance to the richness and vast amount of blackberry, Bing cherry, and plum which show throughout the wine. Try pairing with marinated ribeye or braised short ribs.

VINTAGE

The 2020 vintage started off with relatively mild with unusually warm temperatures creeping into the 100s during June. Heat units rose throughout the early summer providing an optimal window to ripen our cherished white varietals. Although much of Washington, Oregon, and California were plagued by smoke, Destiny Ridge was able to avoid the damaging effects, going on to produce quality wines. With temperatures once again dipping below freezing during October, this is sure to be a vintage to remember.

VINEYARD: Destiny Ridge Vineyard

APPELLATION: Horse Heaven Hills

AGING: Aged 20 months in 20% new French Oak and 80% Neutral Oak

WINE MAKING TEAM: Jarrod L. Boyle & Reid Klei

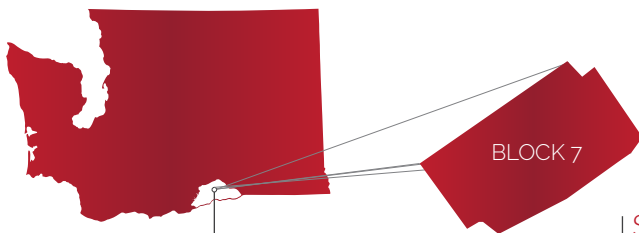
ALCOHOL: 14.0%

pH: 3.87

TA: 6.1 g/L

15%
Merlot

85%
Cab. Sauv.



HORSE HEAVEN HILLS AVA
Located in South Central Washington

SOIL
Sandy Loam
Missoula Flood Sediment
Hill Slope Rubble

ABOUT ALEXANDRIA NICOLE CELLARS

Founders Jarrod and Ali Boyle are dedicated to producing small lots of hand-crafted wine from our own Destiny Ridge Estate Vineyard. Through attentive viticulture management, balanced crop levels, gentle hand-harvesting and processing of grapes, and passionate winemaking, we produce consistent quality in every bottle. Located in the Horse Heaven Hills, our 327-acre estate vineyard is located high on the bluffs overlooking the majestic Columbia River. It is here, high on the dominate ridge, that our grapes thrive in these unique soils. It is here that our winemaker Jarrod nurtures the fruit quality from bud to bottle. Our belief is that quality starts in the vineyard.

