

BROWNE

FAMILY VINEYARDS

A tribute to the greatness of one man, William Bitner Browne, late grandfather of proprietor Andrew Browne, Browne Family Vineyards is a dream that has been many years in the making. His passion, integrity, and hard work ethic set a standard of excellence to inspire generations to follow. Every decision made— from the vineyard to the bottle— reflects out commitment to rich, full-bodied Washington State Cabernet Sauvignon.

“A TRIBUTE TO MY GRANDFATHER.”

- Andrew Browne

2018 CABERNET SAUVIGNON

TASTING NOTE

“Toasty sweet oak aromatics lead to flavors of blackberry preserves, milk chocolate, and black pepper. Medium bodied with balanced acid and integrated tannins, finishing with savory green tea mixed with marionberry.”

John Freeman
- John Freeman, Winemaker

VINTAGE NOTE

2018 represents a very long harvest and a record-breaker for volume and tons crushed. Dryer weather at bloom, resulted in grapes with much less mildew pressure than last year. Two weeks of extremely hot weather towards the end of summer allowed fruit to hang a little longer. White varietals will express a great range of fruit flavors like apple, pineapple and peach, while ripened red varietals will show more fruit-forward characteristics. The levels of acid are coming in higher than in years past, so red varietals, like Merlot, Cabernet and Syrah will be bright and refreshing.

WINEMAKING

BLEND

88% Cabernet Sauvignon,
6% Merlot, 6% Petit Verdot

AGED

12 months

OAK

30% New American Oak

TA	PH	ALC.
5.44 g/l	3.90	13.88%



VINEYARDS

COLUMBIA VALLEY AVA

33% Skyfall, 18% Browne Estate, 13% Shaw, 11% Alder Ridge, 11% Blackrock, 10% Mirage, 5% Canyon Vineyard Ranch

Known for its many and varied microclimates (cool, warm, windy, hilly, flat), Columbia Valley is the umbrella AVA under which many of the state's sub-AVAs fall. While it contains 99% of wine grapes grown in Washington State, 6,851 of its acres are unique to the Columbia Valley and don't overlap another sub-AVA in the state.

