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6 Stellar Bottles of Washington State Cabernet That Rival the Best of Napa

The state can hold its own when producing the king of reds.

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Abeja 2017 Cabernet Sauvignon Columbia Valley



This elegant red from Abeja—one of Walla Walla’s terrific producers, which doubles as a lovely inn—folds in everything you want in a Cabernet. Cassis and dark plum on the nose are layered with cocoa, spice, and touches of cedar and minerality. The palate is beautifully balanced between generous, juicy fruit—plum, berry, and cherry—and elegant structure, with toasted spice coming together with fine tannins on the finish.

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