

2016 Le Corbeau

Discovery Vineyard Syrah

The story of this wine. Named after the French word for Crow, or Raven, this Syrah is certainly as dark as the name implies. Hailing from Discovery Vineyard, perched high above the Columbia River in the heart of the Horse Heaven Hills, these grapes were grown in a very unique terroir. Our approach of old-world style, minimalist winemaking allows for full expression of the fruit, showcasing the elegant and savory side of Syrah.

Winemaker Tasting Note. “This wine leads with aromas of blackberry, blackberry leaf, Aztec chocolate, and black olive. Rich and pliant on the palate, with a pleasant lift of acidity. Notes of leafy berries, savory charcuterie, violets, and tapenade lead through to a finely structured finish.” - Chris Peterson, Winemaker

(93-95) pts, Jeb Dunnuck barrel score:

“All from the Horse Heaven Hills and first made in 2014, the tiny production 2016 Syrah Le Corbeau Discovery Vineyard offers a deep, purple/plum color as well as a smoking bouquet of currants, lavender, tapenade, and classic cool-climate Syrah gaminess. Rich, full-bodied, beautifully polished, elegant and seamless, it’s a smoking Syrah.” - Jeb Dunnuck

Vintage: 2016

AVA: Horse Heaven Hills

100% Syrah

100% Discovery Vineyard

pH 3.76
TA 5.9g/L
VA .64 g/L
Alcohol 14.8%

Winemaking:

Native yeast fermentation,
10% whole cluster.
100% neutral French oak,
aged 16 months.
Bottled unfiltered, unfiltered.

Cases: 150

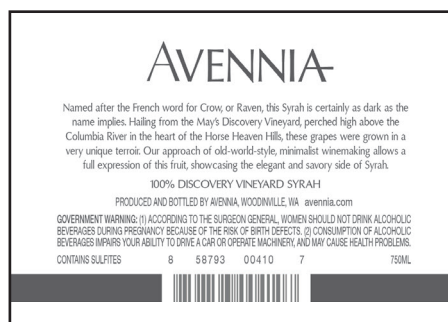
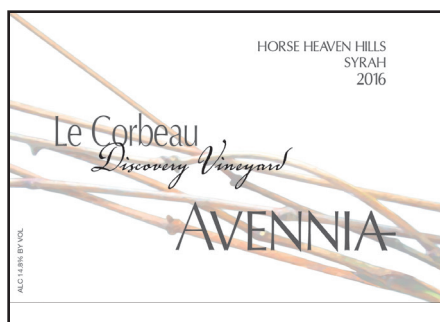
Release: September 2018

Vintage Scores:

2014: Wine Advocate - (93-95)

2015: Wine Enthusiast - 93 & Editors' Choice,
Wine Advocate - (92-94), Vinous - 92

2016: Jeb Dunnuck Barrel Score - (93-95)



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