

SUBSTANCE

VINEYARD
COLLECTION

ABOUT

Owned by winemaker Charles Smith, **Substance Vineyard Collection** wines are an extension of our Substance brand (most known for Substance 'Cs' Cabernet Sauvignon). Substance Vineyard Collection wines are small lot, single vineyard wines, made from Bordeaux varietals.

The brand consist of seven single vineyard wines: two Merlots (Northridge Vineyard and Stoneridge Vineyard), three Cabernet Sauvignons (Powerline Estate, Jack's Vineyard and Stoneridge Vineyard), one Bordeaux blend (Klein Vineyard) and one Sauvignon Blanc (Sunset Vineyard).

Like our Substance wines, the fruit for the Vineyard Collection is sourced from growers throughout Washington State who work with us to ensure the grapes are grown to our high standards and signature style. The wines are made in a modern winery, using traditional techniques: natural fermentations, barrel aging on lees, bottled unfined.

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THE WINES



ME STONERIDGE VINEYARD MERLOT

Cedar, black raspberry, vanilla and forest floor with a silky and complex finish.

APPELLATION:
Royal Slope

ACCLAIM:
93 PTS, James Suckling (v2019)
93 PTS, Jeb Dunnuck, Vinous (v2018)



ME NORTHRIDGE VINEYARD MERLOT

Black cherry, black cassis and fresh thyme with a full-bodied and lush finish.

APPELLATION:
Wahluke Slope

ACCLAIM:
93 PTS, James Suckling (v2019/v2018)
94 PTS, Jeb Dunnuck (v2018/v2017)



CS POWERLINE ESTATE VINEYARD CAB. SAUVIGNON

Dark in color but silky and mouth-filling on the palate. Notes of black fruit, baking spice and cool earth with seamless tannins.

APPELLATION:
Walla Walla Valley

ACCLAIM:
94 PTS, James Suckling (v2019)
94 PTS, Jeb Dunnuck (v2018)
90 PTS, Wine Advocate (v2017)



CS JACK'S VINEYARD CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Full-bodied with notes of black plum, cold stone, ripe cherry and dried rose petals. Elevated and fascinating as it is complex and satisfying.

APPELLATION:
Walla Walla Valley

ACCLAIM:
90 PTS, James Suckling (v2019)
91+ PTS, Wine Advocate (v2018)



CS STONERIDGE VINEYARD CAB. SAUVIGNON

A gorgeous and brilliant ruby-red wine with complex aromas and flavors of baking chocolate, spice box, tapenade and toasted herbs.

APPELLATION:
Columbia Valley

ACCLAIM:
94 PTS, Jeb Dunnuck (v2018)
92 PTS, James Suckling (v2018)
92 PTS, Wine Advocate (v2017)



BX KLEIN BORDEAUX BLEND

A wine that oozes with flavor and personality. Notes of red and black fruits, leafy herbs and black tea undertones.

APPELLATION:
Walla Walla Valley

ACCLAIM:
94 PTS, James Suckling (v2018/v2017)
95+ PTS, Jeb Dunnuck (v2017)
92 PTS, Wine Advocate (v2017)



SB SUNSET VINEYARD SAUVIGNON BLANC

Honeycomb, grapefruit ring, peach and green apple with a nicely textured palate and great acidity.

APPELLATION:
Columbia Valley

ACCLAIM:
92 PTS, James Suckling (v2020/v2019)
91 PTS, Jeb Dunnuck (v2019)

VINEYARDS

The vineyards we work with are farmed using the most up to date sustainable practices.

Stoneridge Vineyard: The vineyard has an alluvial fan gravel bed and rests above the flood plain of the Columbia River. Under the topsoil is a layer of caliche and basalt 6-12” deep, creating a calcium and iron rich media that forces roots to struggle. The fruit grown is thick skinned and produces nearly black juice and robust yet supple tannins, adding to the aging potential of the wines.

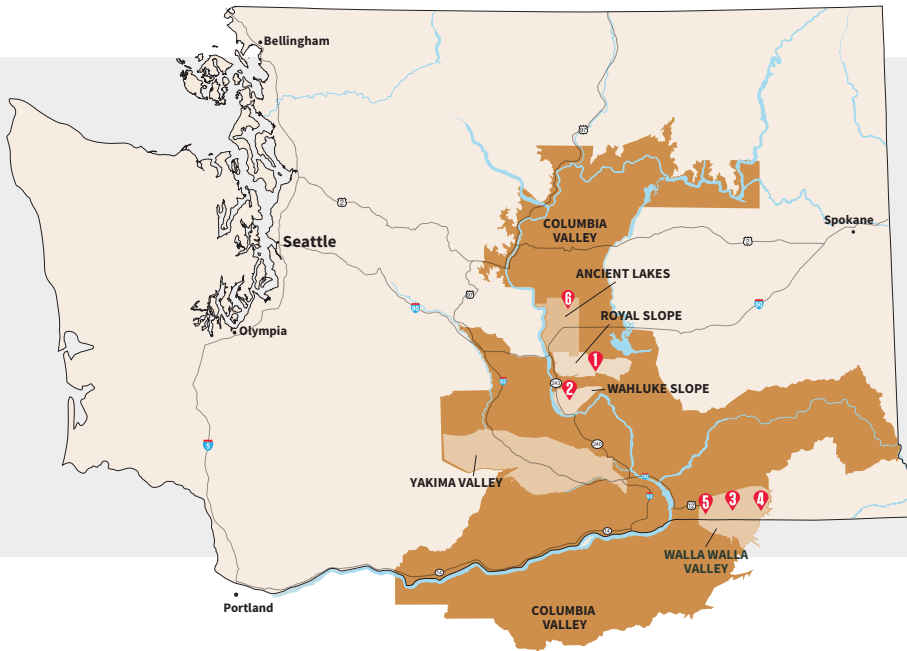
Northridge Vineyard: Planted in 2003, this vineyard is a very unique 92 acre site in the Wahluke Slope. An alluvial fan gravel bed, the site rests above the flood plain of the Columbia River. Under the topsoil is a layer of caliche and basalt, 6-12 inches deep, creating a calcium and iron rich media that forces roots to struggle.

Jack’s Vineyard: Planted in 1999, Jack’s Vineyard is a stony, ancient riverbed located on the floor of the Walla Walla Valley. The vineyard features loam-cobbles over gravel over sand. Low vigor keeps flavors concentrated in the rocky soils of this part of the valley.

Powerline Estate Vineyard: Charles planted the 38-acre estate vineyard in the heart of the Walla Walla Valley, located over 1200 feet elevation. The soils are well-drained with cobblestone river rocks and underlying layers of sand and gravel deposits, allowing vines to develop very deep and strong roots. The deep sand and silt below the stones bring a great purity to the grapes, while high elevations keep acids high, producing very well-balanced wines with remarkable complex characters.

Klein Vineyard: The vineyard is located at the Southwestern end of the Walla Walla Valley. The soil is volcanic rock, with thin, wind-blown loess over basalt. At 850 feet elevation, the vineyard is very windy yet is resistant to frost. This vineyard produces low yields and powerful, unique wines. .

Sunset Vineyard: Situated on one of the land’s many coulees (a canyon formed by the draining of the Missoula flood waters). Thin limestone soils with an elevation above 1200 feet provide Sunset the classic terroir of the Ancient Lakes AVA that have helped define the style of white grapes grown in the region.



- 1. STONERIDGE VINEYARD**
Royal Slope, AVA
- 2. NORTHRIDGE VINEYARD**
Wahluke Slope, AVA
- 3. JACK’S VINEYARD**
Walla Walla Valley, AVA
- 4. POWERLINE ESTATE VINEYARD**
Walla Walla Valley, AVA
- 5. KLEIN VINEYARD**
Walla Walla, AVA
- 6. SUNSET VINEYARD**
Ancient Lakes, AVA

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