



# 2018 Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon



## TASTING NOTES

A beautiful wine from a near-perfect vintage, this robust Cabernet Sauvignon shows balance and complexity - a blend of dark berry, generous oak notes, clove, and nutmeg. This is a supple and complex wine, full-bodied in style, with a punch of power, ripeness, and elegance from start to finish.

## WINEMAKER NOTES

Our goal is to make a complete, balanced wine. Cabernet Sauvignon is a great grape, it's the king of Napa Valley after-all. But it can benefit from the addition of other grapes, like Merlot which adds some softness. Together you get the whole package.

## SOURCING

Sourced primarily from our family-owned S&J Vineyard in Napa's Capell Valley and our Benjamin Vineyard located on the valley floor in the heart of Rutherford. Additional vineyard sources include neighboring Quarry Vineyard and Round Pond Estate both in Rutherford as well as Delouise and Shooting Star Vineyard located in Napa Valley.

## AGING

20 months in 33% new and 67% once and twice-filled French oak barrels

Varietal Composition	96% Cabernet Sauvignon, 2% Petit Verdot, 2% Merlot
Harvest Date	October 17 - November 6, 2018
Bottled	July 2020
Acid	0.60 g/100ml
pH	3.64
Alcohol	14.5%

**91** Points, Wine Advocate

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