

CABERNET SAUVIGNON

NAPA VALLEY

2016

THE 2016 IS OUR THIRD VINTAGE OF 100% CABERNET SAUVIGNON FROM MID ELEVATION VINEYARDS RANGING FROM 1200 FT TO 1600 FEET.

MUCH LIKE THE 2014 VINTAGE, THE 2016 SHOWS ELEGANCE BEFORE POWER, WITH A THREAD OF FRESHNESS IN STRUCTURE. THE VINTAGE ALLOWED THIS FRESHNESS BY NOT HAVING HEAT SPIKES CLOSE TO HARVEST, ALONG WITH COOL NIGHTS AS TO MAINTAIN ACID LEVELS AND KEEP THE CHEMISTRY OF THE WINE IN BALANCE.

THE WINE IS DRINKING WONDERFULLY WITH A NICE DECANT AND WILL CONTINUE TO SOFTEN AND REVEAL SOME EARTHIER TONES AS IT AGES. WE RECOMMEND DECANTING FOR TWO HOURS IF ENJOYED IN THE NEXT TWO TO THREE YEARS, BUT IF POSSIBLE, TO HOLD ON TO THIS WINE FOR EIGHT TO TEN YEARS TO START ENJOYING.

WE TREATED THIS WINE WITH 100% NEW FRENCH OAK, FROM THE EXCELLENT FRENCH COOPERAGE, SEGUIN MOREAU, AND BOTTLED IN MAY OF 2018.

ALCOHOL 14.5%.



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