



TECHNICAL NOTES

APPELLATION:
Calistoga, Napa Valley

ALCOHOL: 13.5%

PH: 3.65

TA: 6.4

AGING:
20 months in 20% new French oak

VARIETY: 40% Valdigie, 36% Charbono,
20% Petit Verdot, 4% Cabernet Sauvignon

HARVEST DATE:
September 29 - October 9, 2018

CALIFORNIA'S FIRST PREMIUM WINERY
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Buena Vista Winery

THE ARISTOCRAT

RED WINE

CALISTOGA, NAPA VALLEY

VINTAGE 2018

The Aristocrat Red Wine from Buena Vista Winery celebrates and honors Buena Vista's founder, Count Agoston Haraszthy, and the pioneering role he played in creating the California wine world. The Aristocrat, true to his legend, is a noble wine with a regal shield adorning the bottle bearing the Haraszthy family crest.

The Count of Buena Vista, Agoston Haraszthy, was a vivacious pioneer whose love affair with grape-growing started in his homeland of Hungary. Surrounded by tales of intrigue and political exile, the Count emigrated from Europe in 1840 in pursuit of opportunity and freedom in the burgeoning American West. He ultimately settled in Sonoma where he founded Buena Vista Winery in 1857.

WINEMAKER'S NOTES

The Aristocrat is a red wine whose grapes were harvested primarily from vineyards in Napa Valley's Calistoga AVA. It unites Valdigie, Charbono, Petit Verdot and Cabernet Sauvignon in a harmonious, elegant blend.

TASTING NOTES

This 2018 The Aristocrat opens with a beautiful bouquet of licorice, black cherry, crème de cassis and a hint of violet. Full-bodied with an impressive texture, juicy blackberry, plum and blueberry flavors are highlighted by earthy notes and toasted almonds. This is a big red wine with sweet tannins and a lingering finish.

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