



NAPA VALLEY

Raymond

ESTATE COLLECTION

NAPA VALLEY CABERNET SAUVIGNON

2018

THE ESTATE COLLECTION

The Estate Collection is a series of limited-production wines available only at the Raymond Estate. Sourced from our finest estate vineyards and longtime vineyard partners, each wine represents our winemaking team's commitment to crafting wines worthy of our five generation winemaking legacy in Napa Valley.

IN THE VINEYARD

The grapes for our Estate Collection Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon are grown in four vineyards within the Rutherford and Oakville AVAs. The grapes from Oakville provide the plush texture while the fruit from Rutherford adds structure and density to the wine.

CONVERSATIONS WITH THE WINEMAKER

After the grapes were hand-picked and sorted, they went through extended maceration before being aged for 18 months in 39% new French oak barrels from Seguin Moreau and Demptos. The tightly grained barrels provide textural complexity, added depth and a plush, full body.

WINE PROFILE

This 2018 Estate Collection Cabernet Sauvignon greets the nose with aromas of ripe black fruits, toasted oak and a touch of cigar box. Concentrated flavors of raspberry, blackberry and plum are layered with notes of bay leaf and bakers chocolate. Full-bodied with structured tannins and a supple mouthfeel, the finish is long and satisfying.

TECHNICAL NOTES

APPELLATION: Napa Valley

VARIETALS:

90% Cabernet Sauvignon,
10% Petit Verdot

ALCOHOL: 14.5% by vol.

PH: 3.68

TA: 6.1 g/L

AGING: 18 months in 39%
new French oak

BOTTLED: July 24, 2020
unfined and unfiltered

