



DISTRICT COLLECTION

ATLAS PEAK CABERNET SAUVIGNON

2019

IN THE VINEYARD

Our Atlas Peak Cabernet Sauvignon is harvested from a single vineyard in Napa Valley that reaches 1,483 feet in elevation. The higher elevation means cooler daytime temperatures and warmer nighttime temperatures so these grapes have prolonged hours of growth during the day as compared to the valley floor. The vineyard is planted in Hambright soil that was weathered from igneous rock and sits above the fog line.

ABOUT THE VINTAGE

Heavy spring rains enriched the soils and delayed bud break by a few weeks. A heat spike in June, followed by warm weather, brought even veraison throughout the vineyards. A cooling trend and touch of rain in mid-September created ideal conditions for the 2019 harvest which is considered a near-perfect vintage.

CONVERSATIONS WITH THE WINEMAKER

The grapes were fermented on the skins for an average of 46 days with pump overs twice daily. After native fermentation, the wine was gently pressed, racked and aged for 19 months in 49% new Taransaud oak barrels. Tightly grained French oak barrels impart their oak to wines slowly for a consistent, well-rounded aging process while yielding subtle oak influences to the Cabernet Sauvignon.

WINE PROFILE

Wild sage and bay leaf accents spring from the glass in this 2019 Cabernet Sauvignon from Atlas Peak. Blackberry fruit flavors are mixed with black currant, pencil shavings and coffee on the savory palate. Powerful tannins lead to a bold and lingering finish.

TECHNICAL NOTES

APPELLATION: Atlas Peak,
Napa Valley

VARIETALS:
100% Cabernet Sauvignon

ALCOHOL: 15% by vol.

PH: 3.89

TA: 6.5 g/L

AGING: 19 months in 49%
new French oak

