



Elizabeth Spencer
BONDED WINERY EST. 1998

CLASSIC CUVEE
CABERNET SAUVIGNON
NAPA VALLEY

VINTAGE 2017

IN THE VINEYARD

Harvest began early at a normal pace in many regions, and then progressed rapidly during a heat wave in late August and early September. Temperatures cooled mid-September, slowing the harvest pace and allowing red grapes to ripen gradually. While yields were reduced, the highly concentrated.

WINEMAKING

Our Cabernet Sauvignon grapes were all harvested and fermented separately, then blended based on desired profile. This blend reflects the most lush barrels from the vintage, blended to exacting expressions of Napa Valley.

TASTING NOTES

This wine displays a rich garnet color in the glass, with aromas of cocoa and hints of ripe plum and Bing cherries. The palate is well-balanced with raspberry, blackberry, and a touch of black pepper. The mouth feel is lush and velvety with well-integrated and refined tannins. The finish is long and lengthy. Drinkable now, this wine is complex enough to mature beautifully over time.

TECHNICAL NOTES

WINEMAKER: Sarah Vandendriessche

APPELLATION: Napa Valley

ALCOHOL: 14.5%

PH: 3.6

BARRELS/AGING: 20% New French Oak

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