



2019 CABERNET SAUVIGNON
MOOSE VALLEY VINEYARD
SAINT HELENA, NAPA VALLEY

<i>Release Date</i>	Fall 2022
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<i>Winemaking Team</i>	Justin and Seana Stephens, Proprietors Mike Hirby, Winemaker David Robbins, Director of Sales Pina Vineyard Management, Vineyard Manager Annie Corona, Director of Operations
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<i>Varietal Composition</i>	100% Estate Grown Cabernet Sauvignon
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<i>Cooperage</i>	100% new French oak
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<i>Vinification</i>	The grapes for this wine were harvested from our <i>Moose Valley Vineyard</i> , east of St. Helena, between October 3 rd and October 18 th , 2019. The vineyard blocks were fermented in separate lots, and macerated on their skins for 14 days, then gently pressed and aged for 21 months in French oak barrels. The wine was bottled in 2021 and aged for one year in bottle before release.
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<i>Tasting Notes</i>	<i>The 2019 vintage in Napa Valley may prove to be one of the finest ever. Defined by a generosity of fruit with beautifully expressive aromatics, yielding wines with intensity finishing with integration of ripe and polished tannins. Our 2019 Cabernet Sauvignon Moose Valley Vineyard releases a provocative combination of Crème de Cassis, blueberry compote, Luxardo cherry, lavender oil, tilled soil, and roasted coffee bean. The palate exudes fresh red and black berries, mocha, incense, sandalwood and forest floor. The purity of fruit balanced seamlessly with the vineyard terroir, creamy oak, a lively freshness and super-smooth tannins merits early drinkability but the integrated structural core ensures a decade plus of enjoyment.</i>
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