PRIDE MOUNTAIN VINEYARDS

2019 RESERVE CABERNET SAUVIGNON

This dark and mysterious beauty introduces itself with a massive, forward black fruit profile supported by black tea, sweet pipe tobacco, sandalwood and diverse savory notes. On the palate there is an active interplay between the wine's fruit, acid and structure, with each element taking a turn as the star.

A great vintage yielded a spectacular wine worthy of superlatives. While every year we can count on the oldest vineyard block on our property, our Rock Arch cabernet, to produce a concentrated wine with big tannins and great acidity, this wine shines most brightly when it is able to achieve balance through the ripening and attenuation of the tannins during an extended hang time. This was certainly the case in 2019, where cool fall weather allowed us to delay harvesting this block until well into November. The result is an intense, structured, blue-black wine loaded with complexity that has decades of life ahead of it.



PROFILE

Appellation: 78% Sonoma

22% Napa

Vintage: 2019

Harvest: November 2019

Fermentation: Stainless Steel

Cooperage: French Oak

Blend: 92% Cabernet Sauvignon

8% Petit Verdot

Alcohol: 14.4%

Bottling: August 2021

Production: 1338 cases

Release Date: March 2022

Retail Price: \$165.00