



2021

CABERNET SAUVIGNON
NAPA VALLEY

VINTAGE

The winter of 2021-2022 produced little rainfall in Napa Valley which carried into a warm, dry spring with bud break occurring three weeks earlier than average. Temperatures during the summer were moderate with few heat spikes. A lighter canopy growth resulted in concentrated, intensely flavored fruit. The 2021 Cabernet Sauvignon harvest began September 14th and commenced October 17. All grapes came in before the rain storms in late October.

VINEYARDS & WINEMAKING

The Foley Johnson 2021 Napa Valley Cabernet is sourced from our own estate vineyards in the heart of Rutherford as well as many other high-quality vineyards throughout St. Helena and Napa Valley. After 18 months in 35% new French and American oak, the wine was bottled in June 2023.

TASTING

Our Napa Valley Cabernet is a wonderful expression of the classic Bordeaux varietal as well as the terroir of the Napa Valley. The nose exhibits complex fruit aromas of plum, blackberry and a hint of strawberry, combined with brown sugar and forest floor. The aromas carry through to the palate of blackberry, dark chocolate and cocoa powder. Medium rich tannins are present with a long velvety finish.

STATISTICS

APPELLATION	Napa Valley	ALCOHOL	15.1%
COMPOSITION	83% Cabernet Sauvignon, 15% Petit Verdot, 1% Cabernet Franc, 1% Malbec	TA	6.5 g/L
AGING	18 months in French and American oak, 40% new	pH	3.65
PRODUCTION	3,000 cases	BOTTLING DATE	June 7, 2023