



MARKHAM  
NAPA VALLEY  
VINEYARDS

DISTRICT SERIES | 2017

# CABERNET SAUVIGNON

YOUNTVILLE DISTRICT, NAPA VALLEY

Our Yountville District Cabernet brings to mind freshly picked wild blackberries—a combination of dark, concentrated jammy fruit complimented by a briary peppery character. Powerful, yet beautifully polished. Enjoy this Cabernet with brisket and corn-bread or Beef Wellington if you're feeling decadent.

*“The Yountville district is close to my heart. Sitting centered in the heart of Napa Valley, it is where the very first grapevines were planted by George Yount and enjoys ideal growing conditions vintage after vintage.”*

WINEMAKER KIMBERLEE NICHOLLS



VINEYARD NOTES

- 100% Estate Grown: *Yountville Ranch*
- 100% GREEN LAND & GREEN WINERY certified
- Clone selection: 15, 43, 169 & 338
- Harvested September 25-October 02, 2017
- 26.4° Brix at Harvest
- Small berry size & low yields made for dense, powerful Cabernet Sauvignon quality

HARVEST NOTES

- 2017 brought floods, chill, heat and wildfire
- Budbreak and bloom were on time after a late January chill
- Summer heat dried the soils quickly
- Our 40th vintage saw perfect harvest weather and incredible fruit quality
- Fruit was safely cellared when the Oct. 2017 wildfires brought Napa Valley to a standstill

VARIETAL COMPOSITION

95% Cabernet Sauvignon  
5% Merlot

ALCOHOL

14.8%

ACID / pH

Acid: 0.65 g/100 mls  
pH: 3.61

BARRELS PRODUCED

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FERMENTATION

70% Stainless Steel  
30% Barrel Fermented

AGING

31 Months in French Oak  
92% New

BOTTLING DATE

July 2020

RELEASE DATE

May 2021

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