

CELEBRATING  
45 YEARS  
MARKHAM  
NAPA VALLEY  
VINEYARDS

MARKED PARCELS | 2020

## MALBEC

YOUNTVILLE RANCH VINEYARD  
YOUNTVILLE DISTRICT, NAPA VALLEY

This lush and jammy Malbec opens with aromas of raspberry and blackberry. A soft entry with rich notes of boysenberry is kissed by sweet fruit tones that meld with dense, chewy youthful tannins on a luxurious back palate. A hint of brightness on the finish is a testament to this wine's age-ability.

*"This wine is crafted from a single parcel of Malbec at the entrance of our Yountville Ranch, one of Markham's original and oldest estate vineyards."*

WINEMAKER KIMBERLEE NICHOLLS



### VINEYARD NOTES

- Yountville District, Napa Valley
- 100% Estate Grown:  
*Yountville Ranch Vineyard*
- Certification:  
100% NAPA GREEN LAND  
100% NAPA GREEN WINERY
- Clonal Selection: Clone 9
- Soil Type: Bale Loam
- Harvest Date:  
October 2, 2020

### HARVEST NOTES

- Here in the valley, it was a warm, dry winter, with rain and cold weather arriving at the end of March
- The mild spring season gave the fruit a great early start
- Summer brought very cool mornings and very warm days
- Care was taken to fine tune crop loads in each vineyard block, helping to maintain intensity in the fruit

### VARIETAL COMPOSITION

95% Malbec, 5% Merlot

### ALCOHOL

14.4%

### BARRELS PRODUCED

7

### FERMENTATION

100% Stainless Steel  
28 Days Skin Contact

### AGING

27 Months in French Oak  
43% New

### BOTTLING DATE

March 2023

### RELEASE DATE

June 2023

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