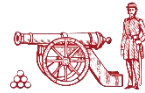


MARKHAM NAPA VALLEY VINEYARDS

DISTRICT SERIES

BLUE BOOTS RED BLEND 2022

CALISTOGA AVA, NAPA VALLEY



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It's not uncommon to see our winemaker Kim Nicholls rocking her iconic blue boots and kicking around new ideas. This unique Blue Boots bottling celebrates Kim's creative spirit; always a blend from one singular Napa Valley AVA, but never the same year to year. For the 2022 Calistoga vintage, a blend of Cabernet Sauvignon and Merlot yields a nose of briary black raspberry and cherry jam, which jive with warm spice, toasty oak and distinct minerality.

"It seems I am always watching the sunrise while sampling this piece of heaven. Rocky soils dictate frequent visits to ensure the winds that drive through the canyon are kind, it is a balance of weather watching and constant tasting."

WINEMAKER KIMBERLEE NICHOLLS

CALISTOGA AVA

- At the northern edge of the valley, Calistoga is one of the warmest and driest of Napa's sub-AVAs
- Bordered by mountains on three sides, soils are primarily volcanic
- Daytime temps of 95-100°F are moderated by tempering wind and fog that flow through the Chalk Hill gap, falling to low 40s at night



VARIETAL COMPOSITION

63% Cabernet Sauvignon, 37% Merlot

ALCOHOL

14.8%

pH

3.70

TA

5.8 g/L

FERMENTATION

100% Stainless Steel, 18 Days Skin Contact

AGING

18 Months in French Oak, 54% New

BARRELS PRODUCED

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BOTTLING DATE

July 2024

RELEASE DATE

March 2025

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