

CELEBRATING
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MARKHAM
NAPA VALLEY
VINEYARDS

DISTRICT SERIES | 2019

BLUE BOOTS RED BLEND

YOUNTVILLE RANCH VINEYARD
YOUNTVILLE DISTRICT, NAPA VALLEY

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 2019 Yountville blend, a nose of raspberry, cocoa powder and nutmeg jive with wild blackberry, anise flavors and dense tannins.

"Yountville Ranch's benchland site in the heart of Napa Valley is such an ideal location for Cabernet Sauvignon & Merlot it's hard to pick a favorite. With this iconic Yountville Red Blend, we let them both shine in the glass."

WINEMAKER KIMBERLEE NICHOLLS



VINEYARD NOTES

- Yountville District, Napa Valley
- 100% Estate Grown:
Yountville Ranch Vineyard
- Certification:
100% NAPA GREEN LAND
100% NAPA GREEN WINERY
- Soils: Bale Loam
- Harvest Dates:
September 28 - October 3, 2019

HARVEST NOTES

- Foggy mornings yielded conditions for vibrant and expressive wines
- Long, warm summer with few heat spikes and mild weather at harvest preserved freshness and finesse
- With the extended hang time and mild weather, 2019's exceptional fruit development offers dazzling color, structure and tannin maturity

VARIETAL COMPOSITION

56% Cabernet Sauvignon,
44% Merlot

ALCOHOL

14.9%

FERMENTATION

100% Stainless Steel
33 Days Skin Contact

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AGING

28 Months in French Oak
45% New

BARRELS PRODUCED

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BOTTLING DATE

March 2022

RELEASE DATE

May 2023

