



CROWN POINT

Cabernet Sauvignon 2022

100% ESTATE GROWN & BOTTLED

100% Cabernet Sauvignon

Harvest date:
September 12 –
October 3, 2022

The 2022 growing season began with a mild winter, bringing 10 inches of rain. Spring and summer temperatures adhered to historical, coastal-influenced norms, setting the stage for a promising harvest. A twist occurred as Labor Day approached, as the forecast signaled an imminent heatwave. After enduring seven days above 100°, relief abounded as the vineyard demonstrated remarkable resilience, affirming the site's pedigree.

The 2022 Cabernet Sauvignon reveals vibrant aromas of fresh raspberries on the nose. The palate is richly layered, offering an enticing balance of tension and complexity. Fine-grained tannins lend impressive length and structure, while savory undertones add depth and character. This wine displays exceptional nuance and elegance and is poised to age gracefully over the next 15 years.

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A selection of 100% Cabernet Sauvignon from the volcanic hillside of their estate vineyard, the 2022 Cabernet Sauvignon was aged in equal parts new and used French oak barrels. Crème de cassis, graphite, scorched earth, and violets emerge from the glass, and it has an undeniable chalky minerality that shows on both the nose and palate. It's medium to full-bodied, pure, seamless, and flawlessly balanced on the palate, with ripe tannins, a multi-dimensional mouthfeel, and a gorgeous finish. It's one of those wines that needs to be tasted to be believed. Give bottles 2-4 years and enjoy over the following 20-30 years. Drink 2027-2057. - Jeb Dunnuck

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The 2022 Cabernet Sauvignon is a serious wine. Fine-grained tannins coat the palate, lending structure to a very mineral-driven, almost marine-like wine that impresses with bright freshness. Its salty, bloody edge is especially interesting. Polished cherry fruit, iodine, cedar box, tobacco leaf, and nori abound. Volcanic soils convey an air of real textural heft and gravitas. The 2022 is a very young wine today, but it's poised for a beautiful evolution. - Billy Norris

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