



2011 Estate Cabernet Sauvignon

Vintage Notes:

A damp and cool spring moved into a cooler than average summer. The low spring temperatures produced a late bloom and delayed summer ripening, ultimately leading to a late harvest. Daily attention in the vineyard, thinning substandard fruit and extremely careful cluster selection produced a low yield harvest of outstanding fruit and concentrated flavors.

Winemaker's Notes:

Vibrant aromas of candied cherry, brambleberry, sweet mint and black licorice intertwine seamlessly with aromas of toasted almond, cinnamon spice, and tobacco box. The palate shows a juicy core of red plum and cherry, perfumed by the distinct savory herb and floral notes that characterize our property. The bright, juicy nature of this wine is balanced by soft, velvety tannins that both coat the palate and support the refined, mineral finish.

Grape Source: Kelly Fleming Estate Vineyard

Appellation: Calistoga

Winemaking Team: Celia Welch and Rebecca George

Vineyard Manager: FARM Napa Valley

Blend: 100% Cabernet Sauvignon

Alcohol: 14.7%

Oak Profile: 70% new French oak, 30% neutral French oak

Aging: 20 months

Cases Produced: 1020

Harvested: October 14th - October 25th, 2011

Bottled: June 2013



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