



## 2020 CABERNET SAUVIGNON NAPA VALLEY

VARIETAL COMPOSITION: 95% Cabernet Sauvignon, 5% Merlot

**ALCOHOL:** 14.5%

MATURATION: 16 months in neutral French oak

FOOD AFFINITIES: Grass-fed beef, lamb, or roasted game

## WINEMAKER'S COMMENTS:

"Black cherry and plum with spiced almonds and a hint of tobacco leaf on the nose. The palate is bright with red cherry and spice notes. The wine is soft and juicy on the entry, has a supple midpalate and soft long tannins on the finish that lingers with berry notes."

Lisanne Leask

## **GROWING SEASON:**

Ideal condition at the beginning of the growing season with mild temperatures led to an early budbreak. The below average rainfall resulted in smaller, evenly developed clusters with more concentrated flavors. The warm summer gave an early August harvest kickoff, where we had normal yields and exceptional fruit quality.

## LONG MEADOW RANCH:

Owned by Ted, Laddie, and Christopher Hall, LMR employs an integrated, organic farming system, using simple, sustainable methods. Each part of the Ranch contributes to the health of the whole. Vineyards and wine making, olive orchards and olive oil making, cattle and horse breeding all work together in complementary fashion, as do the egg-laying poultry flock and the organic vegetable gardens. All crops are certified organic by California Certified Organic Farmers (CCOF) and are grown without the use of herbicides, pesticides, or chemical fertilizers.

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