ESTABLISHED 1977

LAKE SONOMA

2021 Alexander Valley CABERNET SAUVIGNON

2021 began with a dry spring followed by a hot summer which led to an early harvest. The sugars in the fruit developed quickly and the tannins matured nicely. As a result of the summer heat and low water accessibility by the vine, the berries were medium sized with concentrated flavor and a certain freshness which helped create deeply flavored and balanced wines.

WINEMAKER NOTES

For the 2021 vintage we harvested grapes from several sites in the Alexander Valley of Sonoma using hillside fruit from Brunner Vineyard along with grapes from Stone Valley Ranch to add a plush and deep quality to the wine.

TASTING NOTES

The 2021 vintage opens with aromas of mocha, toasted marshmallow and ripe blackberry. On the palate, boysenberry and a kiss of honey. A wine that loves comfort foods and rich flavor profiles. This wine would be best enjoyed alongside a brisket and grilled vegetables.

TECHNICAL NOTES Alcohol: 14.2% pH: 3.77 TA: 5.7 g/l

RS: 0.7 g/l



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