



2011 Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon



The Silenus 2011 Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon is a blend of our estate vineyard as well as vineyards throughout the Napa Valley including the famed Beckstoffer George III vineyard in Rutherford. The wine is aged in 40% new French oak, 10% new American oak, and 50% neutral oak barrels.

Tasting Notes:

The wine has a deep ruby red color and on the nose are aromas of blueberry torte, toasted oak and black olive. The wine fills the palate with flavors of currants, ripe blackberry, cherry and fresh figs. The finish includes notes of hazelnut and vanilla.

Blend:

77% Cabernet Sauvignon

- ❖ 50% Silenus Estate Vineyard, Oak Knoll District
- ❖ 12% Amber Knolls Vineyard, Red Hills
- ❖ 8% Arger Vineyard, Atlas Peak
- ❖ 7% George III Vineyard, Rutherford

19% Merlot: Ozegna Vineyard, Oak Knoll District

2% Petit Verdot: Silenus Estate, Oak Knoll District

1% Cabernet Franc: Silenus Estate, Oak Knoll District

1% Petite Sirah: California

Specs:

Harvest date: October 11 - October 24, 2011

Bottling date: August 5, 2013

Cases produced: 565

Bottle size: 750 mL

Titrateable Acidity: 5.89 g/L

pH: 3.76

Residual sugar: 0.2 g/L

Alcohol: 14.5%

Winemaker: Bradley Smith

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