

BURGESS

2018 SORENSON'S RESERVE CABERNET SAUVIGNON

NAPA VALLEY, CALIFORNIA



VINEYARD SOURCE

SORENSON ESTATE VINEYARD: CABERNET SAUVIGNON

First planted in 1872 by Swiss-Italian immigrants, Sorenson Vineyard has served as the beating heart of Burgess for more than 150 years. Climbing 800-1000 feet above sea level, this vineyard is carved into the western-facing slopes of Howell Mountain, overlooking the Napa Valley below. The landscape is dotted with large boulders on the "Konocti Series Volcanics" soil, a very densely compacted volcanic ash, as pines and redwoods surround the vineyard, becoming immersed in morning fog during the harvest months.

VINTAGE INFORMATION

The 2018 Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon vintage was one of the finest in a decade. A near perfect growing season saw a cool spring, mild summer temperatures, and a warm autumn, which resulted in long ripening on the vine. Cool nighttime temperatures allowed complex flavors to develop and natural acidity to be preserved. Our Sorenson's Vineyard produced exceptional single-vineyard wine that will age beautifully for the next 15 years.

TASTING NOTES

Flavors of caramelized blackberry and dried black plums are complemented by earthy aromas of cedar, baking spices, and savory aromatics of rosemary, thyme, and a subtle dash of mint.

TECHNICAL CHARACTERISTICS

AGING REGIMEN

Aged 30 months in 30% new French oak
barrique, 70% neutral French oak barrique

AVA

Napa Valley

ALCOHOL

14.7%