

2019

TAMBER BEY

Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon

100%

CABERNET SAUVIGNON

THE VINTAGE

The 2019 vintage began with a wet spring bringing three inches of rain in May. In response to the late rains, our vineyards received diligent attention to control vigorous vine growth. A long Indian summer followed with mild weather, allowing the fruit to ripen. The long picking windows bore fruit with beautiful freshness at optimal ripeness. The resulting wines are exceptionally elegant.

TASTING NOTES

The 2019 *Tamber Bey* Cabernet Sauvignon is from our Oakville Estate Vineyard. Characteristic of this site, it leads with bursting aromatics of crushed blackberry, gravel, lavender, licorice, and mint. The palate is dense and pliant, dominated by a dark core of blackberry and black cherry jam. Mocha, graphite, clove, and espresso add layers of depth and complexity, and are nicely balanced by the wine's natural freshness and energy.

BARREL AGING 19 months in 70% new French oak **ALCOHOL** 14.7%