SAINT HELENA WINERY

2023 Grand Reserve Estate Cabernet Sauvignon

Winemaker – Lindsey Wallingford Consulting Winemaker – Aaron Pott

Winemaker Notes: *Grand Reserve is a barrel selection crafted by winemakers Lindsey Wallingford and Aaron Pott to showcase the most complex, structured, and age-worthy expression of Cabernet Sauvignon from our Estate Vineyard.*

The 2023 Grand Reserve opens with a deep, brooding bouquet of wild blueberry, ripe raspberry, and freshly roasted coffee beans, layered with notes of worn leather and a distinctive minerality. Rich and expansive on the palate, the wine possesses a lush, rounded texture supported by supple, finely polished tannins. Despite its generosity, the freshness of the Estate carries the wine through a long, seamless finish that lingers with grace and quiet power. Enjoy from 2026 through 2040.

Vintage Notes: The 2023 growing season in Napa Valley brought a refreshing return to cooler, more moderate conditions after several years of heat and drought stress. A long, even ripening window allowed fruit to develop gradually, enhancing freshness, aromatics, and phenolic complexity. The result is a vintage defined by finesse, vibrancy, and structural elegance.

Blend: 97% Cabernet Sauvignon, 3% Petit Verdot

Barrel Aging: 18 months in French Oak: Bossuet, Atelier Centre France, Taransaud, Darnajou, Sylvain

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