



Moffett Vineyards 2008 Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon Napa Valley

WINEMAKER NOTES

The 2008 Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon comes from two different vineyards in the Napa Valley. The first is a great little spot high up on Howell Mountain. This little 2 acre vineyard is located at 2100 feet and produces fabulous small cluster cabernet.

The second vineyard is in Yountville on State Lane, this 100% organic vineyard I share with three other vineyards. My portion is only 4 rows which produce about 3 tons. This fruit is always big in structure and serves great as a blending wine.

Fabulous deep aromas of dark fruit, spice, earth and vanilla. The wine is big and juicy with lots of blackberry, bright cherries, cinnamon and vanilla. The balance allows for a nice long finish of spice, oak, and fruit flavors.

PERFECT PAIRINGS

Because of the structured Howell Mountain fruit and the bright acidity of the State Lane vineyards, this truly lends itself to red meat. I think it's best with just a good salt and peppered steak, not a strong marinade.

WINE PROFILE

Blend:
100% Cabernet Sauvignon

Barrels:
*All French Oak,
Fifty five % New*

Production:
148 Cases

Vineyards:
Howell Mountain and State Lane, Yountville

Release Date:
September 01, 2011

TECHNICAL STATS

Wine ph:
3.56

Alcohol:
14.2 %