



TRUE MYTH

CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Pasa Robles

Coming from hand-selected vineyard sites, this wine showcases the power and lushness of Cabernets from Paso Robles. Beloved for its rolling hills East of the Salinas River and steeper hillsides, cut by small canyons, West of the Salinas River, the Paso Robles AVA is a large, diverse appellation that begins six miles away from the deep, blue Pacific Ocean. While the hot days allow Cabernet Sauvignon to fully ripen, the Ocean influence and higher elevations of the hillsides bring cool nighttime temperatures that maintain high acidity in the grapes. Sourced from old vines, which bring the bold, powerful and opulent notes of black cherry, cassis and pepper associated with high-quality Cabernet Sauvignon. Cool-climate Syrah from our home in Edna Valley is an important part of this blend, as it imparts blue fruit and red cherry notes, as well as a noteworthy juiciness and memorably silky texture. A touch of Petite Sirah adds subtle notes of plum and structured tannins.

2020 VINTAGE

The 2020 vintage in Paso Robles was met with many challenges, as was most of California, yet the wines proved resilient and without negative effect from natural events. The heat of the season created good phenolic ripening with supple tannins, and powerful dark fruit notes in the glass. Due to a cool spring, the grapes had longer than average hang time, allowing for high acid development.

The combination of high acidity and full tannins make for a beautiful wine to enjoy now, or age and enjoy in the years to come.

VARIETAL

85% Cabernet Sauvignon, 10% Syrah, 5% Petite Sirah

STYLE

Rich, fruity, full-bodied and smooth

APPELLATION
Paso Robles

AVERAGE VINE AGE

Cabernet vines are over 20 years

HARVEST DATES 9/29/20 - 10/30/20

FERMENTATION

Fermented from 12 to 16 days at 78° – $82^{\circ}F$

OAK

Aged on new French and American oak for 18mo.

AGING

15-18 months

ALC. 14.5%

PH: 3.75

TA: 5.7 g/l

UPC 7-30429-95002-9

SRP \$24

TASTING NOTES

This Cabernet Sauvignon is pure Paso Robles, full of polished aromas of blueberry, cherry and vanilla, leading to flavors of dark red fruits, black currants and hints of pepper, mocha and caramelized oak. Rich yet smooth, this wine is very approachable now, and will continue to mature for years to come.

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