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*Connoisseur's Guide to
California Wines*



PATLAND

ESTATE VINEYARDS

OUR STORY:

As young children born in the Soviet Union, the life Henry and Olga would once have together was unimaginable. They traveled halfway across the world to find each other, and here in the states they started a family. For years, they would come to the Napa Valley with the best of friends and family, celebrating all the wonder that life had to offer. Slowly, the allure of wine country overtook them. They had a dream...

In 2007, Henry and Olga stumbled upon a place called Terra Del Cuore, and they knew that it would be the home for their vineyard. Together with their three sons, they founded Patland Estate Vineyards. Combining their estate fruit with that of renown Stagecoach Vineyard, Patland is producing some of the finest wine to come out of the Napa Valley today.

CABERNET SAUVIGNON

2018

430 Cases Produced

VARIETY:

91% Cabernet Sauvignon 8% Malbec
1% Petit Verdot

VINEYARDS:

Stagecoach Vineyard

APPELLATION:

Napa Valley

ALCOHOL:

14.8%

pH:

3.78

TA:

6.1 g/L

AGING:

18 Months in 88% New French Oak

WINEMAKER:

Jay Buoncristiani

WINEMAKERS'S NOTES:

The 2018 Cabernet Sauvignon is determined to stand out and make a name for itself against a slew of intense, classically "Napa Cabernet" predecessors. From start to finish, everything about this wine is notably lifted. The aromas strike a high tone of rainier cherry, purple plum, and cola. Trailing just behind are subtle, warm tones of toffee and caramel. On the palate, the wine is bright and tart with flavors of cherry juice, cranberry rhubarb, and underripe plum. Everything about this wine points to a long, cool ripening season. The flavors are fully developed with hardly a shred of pyrazine character, and yet the acid is beautifully maintained. The combination of acid and well-integrated, fine grain tannin implies this will be one of the longest-lived Cabernets we've ever produced. Truly exciting!



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