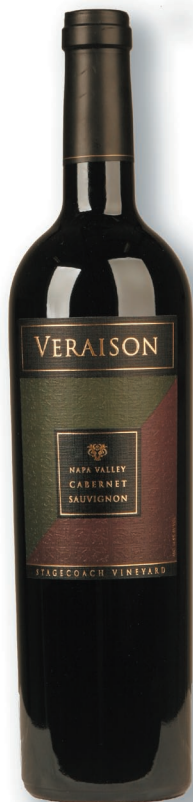


VERAISON

2002 Cabernet Sauvignon Stagecoach Vineyard

<i>Vineyards</i>	Stagecoach Vineyard overlooks the Oakville appellation at its westernmost slopes. Climbing up the south face of Pritchard Hill the vines ascend to almost 1800 feet. The grapes for our Cabernet Sauvignon come from about 1500 feet up.
<i>Vintage 2002</i>	The 2002 vintage was filled with warm temperatures and plenty of sunshine. There were only 2 days where the morning fog had not rolled off Stagecoach Vineyards by 7:00 a.m. The intense flavors and dark fruit found in our 2002 Cabernet Sauvignon are the best ever to be plucked from our south western facing slopes.
<i>Varietal Composition</i>	86% Cabernet Sauvignon, 5% Cabernet Franc, 5% Merlot, 4% Malbec
<i>Harvested</i>	October 17th
<i>Soil Series</i>	Hambright & Basalt, dynamited granite
<i>Yield</i>	3.7 tons/acre
<i>Brix/pH</i>	25.9/3.82
<i>Cold Soak</i>	4 days
<i>Time on Skin</i>	27 days



WINEMAKER'S COMMENTS

Deep red-black hue with great legs; powerful aromas of currants, cassis, black cherry and a hint of anise give way to silky mountain tannins, with dark, rich spices and intense black fruits. An immensely full mid-palate matches a lengthy finish. Great with a Porterhouse, New York Steak or Rack of lamb! Enjoy now through 2016. 2829 cases produced.

KRUPP BROTHERS ESTATES

Owned by Dr. Jan Krupp and his brother Bart. The Estates are comprised of three different vineyards: Stagecoach, Krupp, and Krupp Brothers. These vineyards are the sources for their three brands: Veraison, Black Bart and the Krupp Brothers Estates Gold Series.