

KRUPP BROTHERS



2016 KRUPP BROTHERS CABERNET FRANC NAPA VALLEY

WINEMAKER'S TASTING NOTES

The 2016 Cabernet Franc opens with aromatic blackberry and cinnamon along with savory white pepper and sage. Expressive black currant and ripe blackberry dominate the palate with nuances of wild mushroom and clove followed by white pepper and cinnamon. Beautifully textured and lush with bright acidity on the finish. Pair with braised rabbit in a sherry cinnamon sauce with caramelized onions or balsamic glazed pork tenderloin and mushrooms with creamed spinach. Drink now through 2035.

WINE INFORMATION

Harvested	Early October
Blend	92% Cabernet Franc, 4% Syrah, 3% Sangiovese, 1% Petit Verdot
Fermentation	3-day cold soak, 3 weeks on skins
Cooperage	Taransaud and Bossuet
Barrel Aging	27 months in 42% new French oak
Release Date	June 1, 2019
Vineyard	Stagecoach Vineyard: Blocks N9B, T3, L8, N10D
Soil	Hambright reddish brown rocky loam
Clones	CF-214/327, SY-383, SG-Pepi/Rodeno, PV-400
Exposure	West and south
Elevation	1,500 – 1,800 ft
Production	270 cases

