

COURTNEY BENHAM

2019 CABERNET SAUVIGNON DIAMOND MOUNTAIN DISTRICT, NAPA VALLEY

Courtney Benham, a leader in quality wine for nearly 30 years, brings you top bottlings from the Napa Valley. From high elevation mountain appellations, to benchland vineyards and sun-drenched valley sites, he seeks locations of distinction, offering wines that are expressive, terroir driven, and exceed expectations.

VINEYARD NOTES

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TERROIR EXPRESSION SERIES

2019

NAPA VALLEY

Harvest Date: Oct. 23rd, 2019 Production: 15 Barrels

Brix: 26.5AVG TA: 6.1 g/100ml. pH: 3.78

DISTRICT

DIAMOND

High above the fogline, this highly sought after vineyard experiences superier exposure to sunlight and drastic diurnal shifts in the evening.

—Ancient volcanic glass and deposits

WINEMAKING NOTES

Small lot, four-day cold soak in open top with extended 14-day maceration. Maintained moderate temperature during fermentation until dry, then basket pressed.

— 45% new French and American oak, 18 months

TASTING NOTES

Classic Diamond Mountain, this Cabernet is complex and powerful, highly structured with dark fruit and fervent tannins.

-Kirsch, Raspberry, Dust

- Dried Currants, Cocolate Covered Cherry, Green Peppercorn

BRIX	25.6	ALC.	14.8%
pН	3.69	BLEND	100% Cabernet Sauvignon
TA	5.3 g/L		

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