Robert Foley



2019 HOWELL MOUNTAIN CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Black cherry jubilee! Perfectly ripe mountain fruit in a beautifully extracted and structured mid-palate balance seamlessly with natural mountain acidity. Very full and expressive, the finish resolves with gentle yet ample tannins, again, wonderfully balanced. Enjoyable in its youth, this one will go for decades!

The best of the best, Howell Mountain Cabernet Sauvignon is a true Cabernet-lover's treasure that will continue to bottle age gracefully for many years.

The late ripening and longer hang-time of Mountain fruit produces fully ripe wines with balanced acidity, soft tannins and a rich mid-palate that are associated with thoroughly ripe black-cherry Cabernet.

This estate wine is single-vineyard fruit grown at 2,000 foot elevation on our property near the summit of Howell Mountain – mostly Clone 7 and Clone 4 Cabernet Sauvignon vines planted in the 1990s and some planted in the 2010s. Vineyard Manager Hector Lopez's exceptional skills consistently produce the best fruit I have ever worked with. Though production of our Howell Mountain Cabernet is limited, it is my favorite wine, bar none.

SPECIFICATIONS

Wine: 2019 Howell Mountain Cabernet Sauvignon Appellation: Howell Mountain, Napa Valley Vineyard: Robert Foley Estate Harvest: Hand-picked mid-October 2019 Vinification: Ten-day fermentation, French Oak barrels Alcohol: 14.9% Bottled: May 2021 Production: 98 cases Winemaker: Bob Foley