

wines by Darcie Kent

CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2020, LIVERMORE VALLEY SAN FRANCISCO BAY

92 POINTS - Wine Enthusiast

The Kent family's estate vineyards surround an old, flagstone firepit hidden away in the Crane Ridge foothills of Livermore Valley.

Cabernet Sauvignon grows exquisitely in Livermore Valley, particularly the "Silverado," or Clone 30 clone, which thrives on the clay-gravel, southern aspect slopes on which the Kent family planted it. The vineyards' micro-climate experiences a dramatic diurnal temperature swing: thick blankets of coastal fog in the morning, sunshine and high winds in the afternoon, and chilly temperatures at night.

The Kent family's gentle attention to detail in the vineyard, combined with Julian Halasz's masterful winemaking, creates a wine that reflects our true-to-terroir winemaking philosophy, only enhanced by nineteen months in French oak cooperage.

Darcie Kent donates proceeds of each bottle sold to the East Bay Regional Parks District.

WINEMAKER'S NOTE BY JULIAN HALASZ

Rich aromas ranging from fresh blackberry to chocolate brownie and barbequed peach. Flavors deepen into mulberry and mocha with oak, bold tannins, and a cocoa husk finish.

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

FROM OLD GUM TREE VINEYARD: 98% SILVERADO CLONE 30 CABERNET SAUVIGNON

FROM CROWN BLOCK VINEYARD: 2% CABERNET SAUVIGNON PORT

CABERNET

ALC PH	14.5% 3.55	401 CASES PRODUCED
TA	7.1 g/L	AGED 21 MONTHS IN
RS	3.4 g/L	FRENCH OAK COOPERAGE

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