

CORLEY FAMILY NAPA VALLEY

VINTAGE 2000 CORLEY RESERVE Cabernet Jaurignon

Small winery; Big reputation. The CORLEY FAMILY grows and produces 15,000 cases of exclusively Napa Valley wines designated as MONTICELLO VINEYARDS, CORLEY RESERVE and our CORLEY Proprietary Red Wine. We grow Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc, Merlot, Chardonnay and Pinot Noir on the five small vineyard sites in the Oak Knoll, Yountville, Rutherford and St. Helena appellations of Napa Valley.

Tasting Notes Already luscious, richly textured and elegant, our 2000 CORLEY RESERVE Cabernet Sauvignon is a dense wine with concentrated red berry and chocolate flavors and spice tones supported be structured tannins. A classic example of Cabernet Sauvignon and VINTAGE 2000.

22 Barrels - 492 case equivalents produced

| Varietals | Vineyard Locations |
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| Cabernet Sauvignon | <i>Tietjen Vineyard on Niebaum Lane</i> - Rutherford, Napa Valley This 7 ½ acre vineyard on Niebaum Lane is a consistent favorite. The Cabernet Sauvignon from this vineyard shows a great core of berry fruit with tremendous brightness. It also adds an elegance and suppleness to the texture of the wine. |
| Cabernet Sauvignon | <i>Ehlers Lane Vineyard</i> - St. Helena, Napa Valley This small vineyard on Ehlers Lane was planted in the early 1970's and produces cabernet sauvignon of great power and intensity that gives black-fruit character and rich texture to the wine. |
| | 100% Cabernet Sauvignon |
| Harvest Dates / Brix | September 30 - October 4 |
| Vintage | Vintage 2000 will be a classic year for many red wines, thanks to an ideal Napa Valley growing season - hot days and cool nights were only interrupted twice: once in June with a heat spike and once in September with a little rain. The slightly cooler days in September gave the grapes extra time to hang and reach a greater physiological ripeness. The wines immediately exhibited fully developed flavors and excellent color. |
| Barrel Aging | 24 Months French Oak |
| Alcohol | 14.1% |