# FRANK FAMILY

## 2022 BENJAMIN RANCH CABERNET SAUVIGNON

#### **TASTING NOTES**

Now in its third vintage, this single-vineyard wine embodies elegance and depth in equal measure. Layers of sophistication unfold from the first swirl, where refined aromas of cassis and dusty black plum rise gracefully from the glass. On the palate, a sumptuous medley of flavors emerges – rich espresso, velvety dark chocolate, and subtle undertones of warm spice—creating a luxurious, lingering finish that speaks to both the vineyard's character and the artistry of its craft.

#### WINEMAKER NOTES

Recently undergoing a decade-long replanting journey to promote vine and soil health, Benjamin Vineyard is quickly becoming our Cabernet darling. The nearly 60 acres of plated vines that encompass Benjamin Vineyard have some the most ideal soils to produce Napa Valley's best Cabernet Sauvignons.

#### **SOURCING**

Nestled in the Rutherford Bench, sits Frank Family's Benjamin Vineyard, named for Rich and Leslie Frank's youngest grandson. Composed of gravelly, sandy loam soils, this perfect spot is rich in minerals to allow for healthy, balanced vines. While fertile, the soils are also incredibly well-draining, ensuring that there is enough stress throughout the growing season to reduce yields and, in turn, produce concentrated, complex, and balanced wines.

#### **AGING**

20 months in 50% new French oak barrels and 50% once-filled French oak barrels.



#### VARIETAL COMPOSITION:

96% Cabernet Sauvignon, 4% Petit Verdot

#### HARVEST DATES:

September 21-22, 2022

#### BOTTLED:

July 23, 2024

### ACID:

6.0 g/L

#### pH:

3.70

#### ALCOHOL:

14.5%