

# 2019 Memoir

APPELLATION	
Napa Valley	

TOTAL ACIDITY 6.0

#### VARIETAL COMPOSITION

Cabernet Sauvignon: 70% Petit Verdot: 6% Malbec: 8% Merlot: 8% Cabernet Franc: 8%

BRIX AT HARVEST 24-25

FINISHED ALCOHOL 14.5%

3.61 WINEMAKER Leo Tellez RELEASE DATE February 2023

SRP \$50

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#### ACKERMAN FAMILY VINEYARDS

Vintner and Philanthropist, Lauren Ackerman, helped found AFV in 1994 after purchasing the 15.5 acre "Stonehaven" property in Napa's up-and-coming Coombsville district. The following year, the first experimental wine was produced, and, in 2003, the company produced its first commercial wine, a Cabernet Sauvignon from the Stonehaven Estate. In 2009, AFV became the first certified organic vineyard in the Coombsville AVA. Today, Ackerman Family Vineyards produces an estate-grown 100% Cabernet Sauvignon, in addition to Memoir, a Bordeaux style blend, Alavigna Tosca, a Cabernet Sauvignon and Sangiovese blend and Sauvignon Blanc.

### VINTAGE & VINIFICATION

The 2019 growing season consisted of copious rainfall and late soil moisture. The long, warm summer saw few extreme heat events with foggy mornings setting the stage for vibrant and expressive wines. The long, relatively mild finish to the season, preserved the freshness and

finesse in the fruit.

The 2019 Memoir is predominantly Cabernet based with an additional portion of 4 Bordeaux varieties aged in 65% new French Oak barrels.

## TASTING NOTES

The 2019 vintage is a medium to full-bodied wine, bold but elegant. It jumps out of the glass with fresh blueberries, plum preserves, and blackberry compote plus hints of dark chocolate, toasted vanilla, and spices. Velvety tannins and tons of freshness.

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