



MONTICELLO VINEYARDS

CORLEY RESERVE

Cabernet Sauvignon

ESTATE GROWN IN THE NAPA VALLEY

VINTAGE 2006

TASTING NOTES

This 100% Cabernet Sauvignon is a blend of our three Napa Valley vineyards, all of which reside in a different sub-appellation and contribute their own characteristics to the blend. This wine exhibits nice rich aromas of chocolate, coffee, mocha, dark berries, caramel and toasty vanillin oak. The flavors follow through with rich and toasty dark berry fruit, dusty, mocha tones and dark bittersweet chocolate. The tannins are firm and chewy in its youth, but this wine has enough deep dark fruit to show great aging potential. This wine should be decanted for an hour or so prior to enjoying to get the most out of it.

- Chris Corley, Winemaker

VINEYARDS, VINTAGE AND VINIFICATION

State Lane Vineyard Yountville, Napa Valley (43%)

This Cabernet Sauvignon shows a great core of deep, dark black fruits with big, rich, chewy tannins - Blockbuster Napa Cabernet Sauvignon.

Yewell Vineyard Ehlers Lane - St Helena, Napa Valley (19%)

The Cabernet Sauvignon from this vineyard is of great depth, character, and intensity and gives our wine a deep black-fruit character and rich texture.

Tietjen Vineyard Niebaum Lane - Rutherford, Napa Valley (38%)

The Cabernet Sauvignon from this vineyard is classic Rutherford, "Elegance in a Glass".

Oak - 22 Months in French Oak, 50% New

Alcohol - 14.2%

VINTAGE

2006 was another great year for our Bordeaux varieties, much like the 2005 vintage. Due to the moderate weather late in the season, we were able to let the grapes hang on the vines and continue to develop, without worrying about the sugars increasing. It's a great situation that doesn't happen every year. I think it allowed us to naturally achieve some great flavors in the vineyard.

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, Pinot Noir and Syrah on five small vineyard sites in the Oak Knoll, Yountville, Rutherford and St. Helena appellations of Napa Valley.