

# MONTICELLO

## CORLEY FAMILY VINEYARDS

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### 1982 Monticello Vineyards “Jefferson Cuvee” Cabernet Sauvignon

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The Jefferson Cuvee highlight’s Monticello Vineyards’ ability to combine vineyard lots from the finest regions within Napa Valley to produce full, rich and complex Cabernet Sauvignon wine. In order to produce quality grapes that yield wines consistent with our style we take great care in selecting the varieties, the clone, the vineyard spacing and the trellis system to match the soil and microclimate of our vineyards and in managing our vineyards for low yields.

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**Vineyard Locations** Cabernet Sauvignon – Napa Valley: Rutherford and Yountville

**Harvest Dates / Brix** Late September, 1982 / 23.5 Brix

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**Barrel Aging** 18 Months in Nevers French Oak

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**Cuvee** 80% Cabernet Sauvignon / 20% Merlot

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**Alcohol** 13%

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**Tasting Notes** The 1982 shows the rich, black cherry and cassis character of ripe Cabernet the lush structure of Merlot and the moderate tannins of an oak-aged, medium-bodied wine. Suitable for a wide range of traditional “red-wine” foods, this wine should continue to develop nicely as it ages in the bottle.