

Hertelendy Vineyards Cabernet Sauvignon Napa Valley

THE FACTS

COUNTRY: USA - CA

REGION: Napa County

APPELLATION: Napa Valley

CEPAGE: 90% Cabernet Sauvignon, 8% Petit Verdot, 1% Malbec, 1% Merlot

AGING: 23 months in 90% new French & Hungarian oak

THE STORY

Hertelendy wines represent our Old-World family winemaking traditions that began over 300 years ago. We specialize in producing Bordeaux varietals from volcanic terroir, including Pritchard Hill, Atlas Peak, and our very own 4+ acre, 1365 ft elevation "Rockwell Ridge" estate vineyard (35 ft below the Howell Mountain AVA) planted in 1993.

PHILOSOPHY: Vintner Ralph Hertelendy and consultant Phillip Corallo-Titus (from Chappellet & Titus), collaborate to craft these beautiful wines. They push the envelope with their winemaking techniques in the pursuit of elegance, purity, and complexity. Hertelendy's red wines barrel age in 90% new French and Hungarian oak for 23 months, whites barrel age for 19 months, and all wines are then bottle-aged another year before release.

THE ADJECTIVES

OVERALL: Deeply expressive at every turn

AROMAS / FLAVORS: Sweet berries, red currants, savory herbs, licorice and graphite

MOUTHFEEL: Rich, layered and polished

THE SELLING POINTS

PAIRINGS: Steak Diane, Persian Beef Stew, Braised Short Ribs

