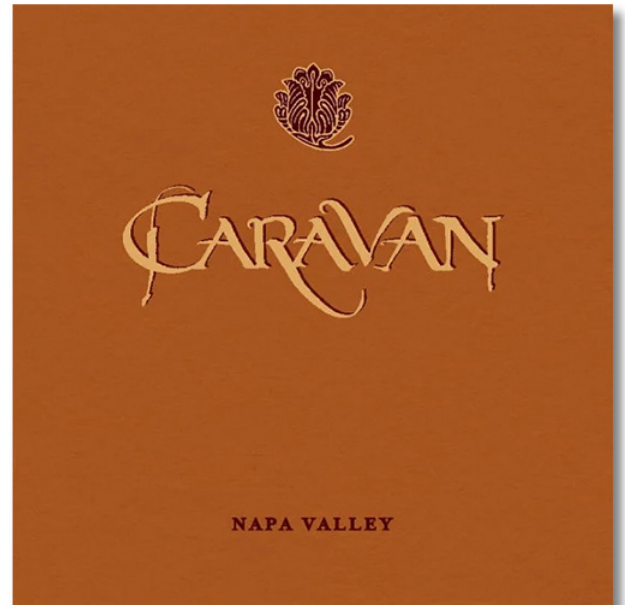


DARIOUSH 2019 CARAVAN CABERNET SAUVIGNON NAPA VALLEY

TASTING NOTES:

Drawing inspiration from a refined Left-Bank Bordeaux blend, 2019 Caravan commands attention with a core of mouthwatering raspberry and black plum fruit while baking spices of cinnamon and nutmeg swirl on the palate. Cabernet Sauvignon leads the way with its plush, velvety texture while Merlot and Cabernet Franc add savory top notes of bay leaf, hawthorn, and sandalwood. A flourish of rich, round fruits sweep across the midpalate, then culminate in an aromatic finish accentuated by dark chocolate reminiscent of a fine dusting of cocoa powder.



WINERY INFO:

Darioush is synonymous with fine wines and hospitality experiences worthy of the world stage. Founded in 1997 by Iranian-immigrant Darioush Khaledi-- an avid collector of Bordeaux— the eponymous winery focuses intently on blending vineyard sites and varietals to achieve balance, concentration and refinement. While fine wines reflect great vineyards, Darioush believes they also express the individualism and character of the people behind them. Acclaimed for producing Bordeaux-inspired wines with deep character, concentration and finesse, Darioush is also known for their unique, small-lot offerings of Viognier, Cabernet Franc, Merlot and Shiraz.

Caravan shares the pedigree of Darioush's Signature wines, but displays more ripe, saturated fruit with an elegantly textured finish. Caravan is anchored in Cabernet Sauvignon with lesser amounts of Merlot, Cabernet Franc and/or Malbec and Petit Verdot added for depth and complexity of flavor.

WINE STATS:

Blend: 76% Cabernet Sauvignon, 16% Merlot, 6% Cabernet Franc, 2% Petit Verdot

Barrel Aging: 20 months in 70% new French oak & European barrels

Alcohol: 15.8%

Production: n/a

Regular Price. . . . \$59.99 CLUB CRUSH PRICE. . . . \$53.99

APERTURE CELLARS 2021 CABERNET SAUVIGNON ALEXANDER VALLEY, SONOMA

TASTING NOTES:

Aperture's estate vineyard in Healdsburg and their newest vineyard acquisition, Farrow Ranch in Alexander Valley, plus some of the original single vineyards in the Aperture program like Oliver Ranch. It has vibrant, layered aromas of blueberry compote, lavender, aniseed, milk chocolate and nutmeg with undertones of cast iron and tobacco leaves. The medium-bodied palate is elegantly styled, pairing deep flavors with a weightless feel due to its bright acidity and velvety tannins. *96pts - Wine Advocate*

WINERY INFO:

Never mind the six million album covers around the world that feature Andy Katz's photographs, or his dozen books of gorgeous photos that grace countless coffee tables around the country, or the many awards on his mantel earned from five decades of work around the world. It was all an excuse. An excuse to drink world class wine. To learn what it takes to make world class wine. And to spend time with his young son Jesse. Andy brought Jesse to the the most famous vineyards on earth, from the heart of Burgundy to the hills of Tuscany. He may not have admitted it at the time, but Andy's gambit worked. Barely a decade later, Jesse is now one of the most exciting — and accomplished — winemakers in the world, recently gracing the cover of Wine Enthusiast as a rising young star who is doing nothing less than "changing the way the world drinks." The son of a man who, through his photographs, changes the way the world sees wine. It's a perfect combination. Jesse supplies the grapes, Andy supplies the images. And together they make wines worthy of their travels. Aperture. World class wines. Katz and Katz. A world class pairing.

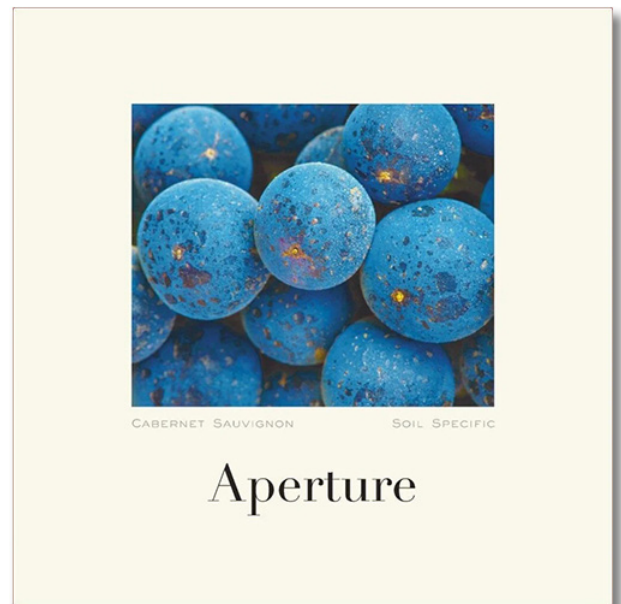
WINE STATS:

Blend: 85% Cabernet Sauvignon, 6% Petit Verdot, 5% Merlot, 3% Malbec, 1% Cabernet Franc

Barrel Aging: 18 months in 55% new French oak (60-70 gallon barrels)

Alcohol: 14.6%

Production: n/a



Regular Price. . . . \$72.99 CLUB CRUSH PRICE. . . . \$65.69