



RUTHERFORD *Ranch*

2006

CABERNET SAUVIGNON

NAPA VALLEY

NAPA VALLEY'S *Best Value*

WINE DESCRIPTION

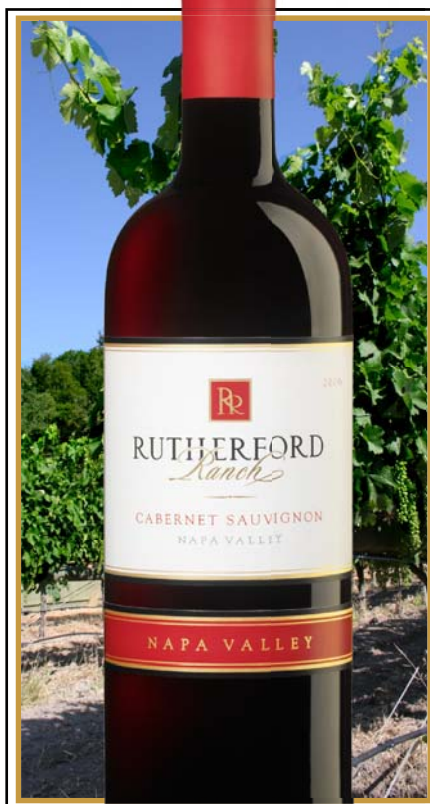
Our 2006 Cabernet Sauvignon has complex layers of black currant, anise, and ripe Bing cherry intertwined with subtle nuances of toasty oak. This wine is full bodied and with a deep ruby red color. Full fruit flavors of black currant and pomegranate, with soft undertones of vanilla, fill your mouth on the very first sip. Enjoy the ripe fruit, rich and creamy palate and just the right amount of tannins that lead to a long, satisfying finish.

FOOD RECOMMENDATIONS

Our 2006 Napa Valley Cabernet is an excellent choice to serve with all grilled or roasted red meats. Full-flavored, marinated Hanger steak, Kobe beef burgers with bleu cheese or rack of lamb are perfect companions to this wine. Barbecued prime rib, sauteed veal or duck stuffed with fresh fruit, sun-dried tomatoes and pesto are a true culinary treat!

TOTAL ACID/pH

.58 / 3.72



RELEASE DATE June 2008

WINEMAKER'S NOTES

Sometimes we just have to pay tribute to the weather gods, who provided us with some spectacular conditions and made this one of the shortest growing seasons on record for the past 20 years. Although being one of the shortest growing seasons, it managed to produce the third largest harvest in history. September arrived with its usual heat and the chaos of harvest went into full swing. Our vineyards were harvested at an average of just over 25 Brix, leading to bright fruit aromas and flavors with a moderate alcohol level.

BLEND

83% Cabernet Sauvignon, 10% Merlot, 4% Zinfandel, 2% Petite Sirah and 1% Petite Verdot

GRAPE SOURCE

Select vineyards throughout the Napa Valley.

ALCOHOL

13.5%

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