

# THE VOICE

CABERNET FRANC,  
SINGLE VINEYARD— OAK KNOLL DISTRICT,  
2018

Batch #45 “The O.G.”

Cabernet Franc is the parent grape of 3 red Bordeaux varietals: Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot and Carménère. It remains mainly grown in France and rarely found on its own in Napa.

“The O.G.” Batch #45 is our first 100% Cabernet Franc release. Born in a single vineyard in the Oak Knoll district of Napa and raised in French Oak barrels for 24 months. “The O.G.” was bottled unfiltered and un-fined to best express the potential of the varietal, from America’s favorite wine region. Napa Valley.

## 2018 VINTAGE

A winemaker’s dream vintage. Consistent growing conditions and cooler temperatures allowed the grapes to slowly mature in 2018. Harvest across Napa Valley was generous with above average yields and excellent quality fruit. In Oak Knoll District, this immensely successful 2018 harvest gifted us the best Cabernet Franc grapes we could wish for.

## VINEYARD

The Oak Knoll District is of a close proximity to the San Pablo Bay. The climate in our vineyard is cooler and more moderate than other regions in Napa Valley. Clay soil with a high-water table, temperate climate and warm Californian sun allow the fruit to gradually develop, producing a Right Bank Bordeaux style of Cabernet Franc in Napa Valley.

## TASTING NOTES

The dream vintage of 2018 offers you an example of what true physiological ripeness means to Cabernet Franc.

Red and black berry fruit aromas leap from the glass accented with a trace of chili pepper.

On the palate, the texture is at once “light” and dense. Bittersweet chocolate and cola interplay with a kiss of French Oak making a second taste irresistible.

The finish lasts for several minutes so you can slow down a little if you must!

- 100% Unfiltered and Un-fined Cabernet Franc
- 24 months of aging in French Oak barrels
- Sustainably grown fruit with minimal winemaking intervention
- 302 cases crafted

