

Morgado Cellars

Morgado Cellars is a boutique winery crafting stunningly exquisite wines from special vineyards reaching from Santa Barbara to Napa. We believe in growers who have passion and personal pride in what they do; from the dirt to the wine. The grapes we buy are grown and farmed by people who believe in quality above all else. All of the vineyards that we purchase our grapes from are sustainably farmed.

Kimberly Hatcher has worked as a firefighter in San Francisco for the past 22 years. Her flexible schedule allows her to put boots on the ground in all of the vineyards she works with as the canopy develops during the summer months. She then uses all of her vacation time during harvest to make her artisanal wines. Morgado Cellars is made at the Elyse Winery in Napa.



2018 CABERNET SAUVIGNON
SAGE RIDGE VINEYARD
NAPA VALLEY

VINEYARD:

Perched high above lake Hennessey in the Napa Valley where Cabernet Sauvignon dominates this mountainous site. Aerial views of this vineyard give an insider's look into the intricate patchwork of blocks on steep hillsides and terraces. Some vines are so close to the edge, you wonder, how will this survive? And yet, they thrive. A good part of that success is the soil, the dynamic climate, and the meticulous farming at this high elevation mountain vineyard.

TASTING NOTES:

Dark as the night of a lunar eclipse, this wine quickly reveals the mountain nature of this amazing site. Dark chocolate, muddled blackberries, and fresh asphalt leads down a path to mouth coating flavors of black plum galette, acai, clove, and allspice. Tightly woven, the silky satin nature of this Cabernet will slowly unravel if one can resist the youthful exuberance this wine displays as soon as the cork is pulled.

VINTAGE:

2018

APPELLATION:

Napa Valley

VARIETALS:

100% Cabernet Sauvignon
Clone 337

VINEYARD

Sage Ridge Vineyard

BARREL AGING:

22 months in

100% new French oak

Darnajou

PROPRIETOR & WINEMAKER

Kimberly Hatcher

PRODUCTION:

150 cases

ALCOHOL:

15.8%