

Bougetz Cellars

2019 BOUGETZ CELLARS SAUVAGE MOUNT VEEDER SYRAH

WINEMAKER NOTES

The 2019 Sauvage Mount Veeder Syrah is 100% Syrah sourced from a single block off the Yates Family Vineyard. The wine exhibits a dark, meaty nose, full of black fruits and spice. Showing mountain fruit characteristics, this Syrah has a brooding ruby in color, full-bodied, with scores of blackberries, and black cherry flavors. Very approachable right from the bottle, aging will harness the wildness this wine.

HARVEST NOTES

The 2019 growing season was seeded with some Spring rain that helped keep everything green until Memorial Day. We had a heat spike in June, and one more in August, but other than that we were treated to relatively nice weather, with cool mornings, leading to warm afternoons. Harvest was completed early in the morning on October 16th.



Harvest date: October 16th, 2019

- Appellation: Mount Veeder
- Brix at harvest: 26.3
- Crush: De-stemmed, 100% whole berry, with 20% stem inclusion
- Fermentation: 14-day ferment
- Aging: 20 months, with 50% new French oak, 50% once used
- Alcohol: 14.9%
- pH: 3.64
- TA: 6.30 g/L
- Bottled: July 2021
- Case production: 25 cases
- Winemaker: Thomas Bougetz
- Suggested retail: \$49



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