



BOICH FAMILY CELLAR

2016 CABERNET SAUVIGNON

AVA: Mount Veeder

Vineyard: Wall Road Vineyard

Winemaker: Jeff Ames

Cooperage: 22 Months French Oak, Taransaud and Darnajou

Wall Road Vineyard – This three-acre gem is located at the northern tip of the Mount Veeder AVA, due west of Oakville and the To Kalon vineyard. True to the Veeder AVA, this site delivers both the power and elegance we strive to achieve in our Mountain Cabernets. The elevation, slope orientation and well-drained soils yield fully ripened small berries with concentrated flavor.

Mount Veeder AVA – Known for its acclaimed Cabernet Sauvignon, this illustrious appellation produces graceful, varietally expressive and world-renowned wine. Limited by nature, Mount Veeder's rugged mountain terrain, high elevation and cooling influence from the San Pablo Bay allows for a long growing season that returns low, sought after yields. This results in powerful fruit with distinct berry flavors.

Vintage Notes – An outstanding vintage for red wines, the 2016 growing season was a beautiful one— with moderate conditions and a lack of the valley's quintessential heat spikes. This temperate summer weather allowed the fruit much needed time to naturally mature on the vine, resulting in a near perfect vintage with concentrated, inviting wines with ideal aromatic and phenolic ripeness.

Wine Maker Notes – The 2016 Wall Road Cabernet may be our most powerful yet elegant wine yet from this esteemed site. Pure dark mountain fruit balanced with ripe tannins make this vintage a real stand out. Black current, dried blueberry notes and sweet dark herbs define this mountain gem. Mouth coating viscosity leads to a long-lasting finish with layers of fruit. This wine is fully approachable in its youth and will surely age like a world class cabernet sauvignon.