



CARAVAN

2012 ESTATE CARAVAN CABERNET SAUVIGNON

CARAVAN STORY

Caravan shares the pedigree of Darioush's Signature wines, but displays more ripe, saturated fruit with an elegantly textured finish. Caravan Cabernet Sauvignon is anchored in Cabernet Sauvignon with lesser amounts of Merlot, Cabernet Franc and/or Malbec added for depth and complexity of flavor.

TASTING NOTES

A fabulous vintage produced a stylish and substantial 2012 Caravan with a firm, structured palate and sleek, polished tannins. Offering saturated flavors of dark cherry and blueberry as well as notes of chocolate and white truffle; this is a round, supple and thoroughly approachable wine ready to be open and enjoyed.

VINIFICATION

- Meticulous attention to detail in vineyard and cellar
- Hand-harvested into small 28 LB. baskets
- Hand-sorted twice, before and after de-stemming
- Cold soaked for 72 hours in small fermenters

COMPOSITION 76% Cabernet Sauvignon,
14% Merlot, 6% Cabernet Franc, 4% Malbec

APPELLATION Napa Valley

COOPERAGE Aged 22 months in 70%
new French & European oak, medium toast
Bordeaux barrels

WINEMAKER Steve Devitt

AVAILABILITY 12,200 cases

RELEASE PRICE \$48.00

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