

Spottswode Estate Cabernet Sauvignon

THE FACTS

COUNTRY: USA - CA

REGION: Napa County

APPELLATION: St. Helena

CEPAGE: 90% Cabernet Sauvignon, 6% Cabernet Franc, 4%
Petit Verdot

ALCOHOL BY VOLUME: 13.9%

AGING: Aged 20mo in 90% French oak, 67% new

THE STORY

Established in 1882, Spottswode Estate is distinguished by the pre-Prohibition Victorian home depicted on the wine label. Spottswode was christened by Mrs. Albert Spotts in 1910 and later acquired by Mary and Jack Novak in 1972. Mary released Spottswode's first Cabernet Sauvignon in 1982, exactly one hundred years after the estate's founding. Today, Mary's daughter Beth Novak Milliken manages the winery, and daughter Lindy Novak serves as the winery's Marketing Ambassador. Committed to producing wines with integrity that faithfully reflect their grape origins, Spottswode wines are especially known for their refined elegance, balance, and classic structure.

THE ADJECTIVES

OVERALL: Elegant & Finessed

AROMAS / FLAVORS: Black cherry, currants,
pomegranate, pine, earth, sandalwood

MOUTHFEEL: Structured yet Velvety

THE SELLING POINTS

ONE OF NAPA VALLEY'S FIRST-GROWTH WINES AND
VINEYARDS

SUSTAINABILITY: Certified Biodynamic, Certified
Organic, Certified Sustainable

PAIRINGS: Enjoy with steak au poivre, roasted
mushrooms, aged cheese

