



## 2017 Cabernet Sauvignon

### York Vineyard

### Napa Valley

This classic Cabernet site is certified Organic, dry farmed and untilled and lives in the very center of the Rutherford AVA, world renowned for some of Napa Valley's best Cabernet Sauvignons. The York vineyard is set in a gravelly benchland that runs between the Silverado Trail and the cool Napa River. The cool nights of this region balance out the warm days and bring a lifted acidity to balance the dark fruit of this varietal. We took our time in aging this wine before release, but still recommend further time in bottle before it truly sings.

Appellation: Napa Valley

Vineyard: York

Varietal: Cabernet Sauvignon

Age: Planted 2001

Elevation: 175 feet

Soil: Rocky fluvial

Harvested: Sept 29, 2017

Pressed: October 17, 2017

Maceration: 18 days open top wood vats

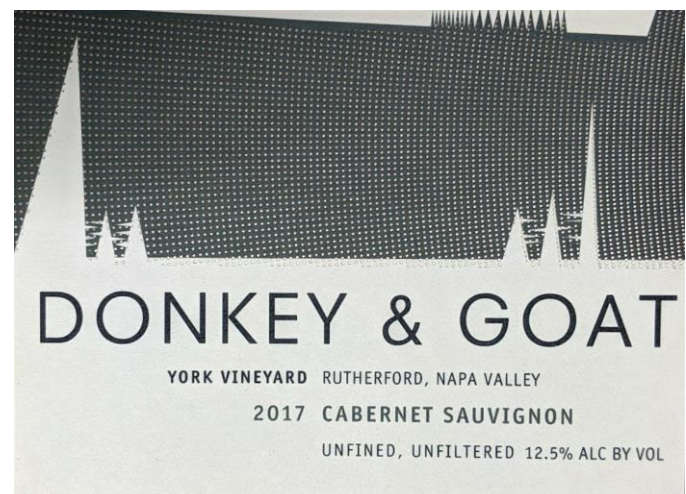
Fermentation: Wild yeast and bacteria

Barrel aging: 16 months in once used French Oak barrels

Bottled: February 2018

Production: 52 cases

Release date: Winter 2019



### Tasting Note:

*This is a wine for dark December nights. Notes of raw almonds and barely-ripe blackberries sets the stage for your first taste. As the wine aerates, you'll catch the scent of crackling sap, sassafras, and dewy moss. If you are patient, you may allow this wine to age elegantly over time. But if you simply can't wait, curl up by the fireplace with a Hemingway novel and a bottle by your side when the next chilly night strikes the mood.*