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# NORTH COAST WINE CO.

GEYSERVILLE - CALIFORNIA

## OUTERBOUND RESERVE CABERNET SAUVIGNON

2019 | ALEXANDER VALLEY

### TASTING NOTE

"This is a big, dark, sturdy wine packed with black fruit and dark chocolate. A firm texture of fine-grained tannins gives it a good structure to frame the opulent black cherries, dried blueberries and subtle oak notes of char, anise and cinnamon. Best from 2026." -Jim Gordon

# 92 POINTS

WINE ENTHUSIAST

NOVEMBER 2022

### VINEYARD INFO

#### Smith Ranch

Planted in 1998, the Smith Ranch grows Cabernet Sauvignon, Clone 337, at around 600 feet. This Alexander Valley hilltop vineyard slopes both to the west and to the east, with aromatic, intense fruitiness in the glass.

#### Wessel

Located not far from the winery, Wessel is a well-managed hilltop vineyard located on the Dry Creek Ridge of the Alexander Valley. Growing Cabernet Sauvignon, Clone 337, this block produces a prominent tannin structure in the glass. Grower Dennis Wessel is often found tinkering around his vineyard making sure every vine is well manicured and to his high-quality standard.

#### Estate

For only stretching 12 acres, our Estate Cabernet Sauvignon vineyard offers quite a variation in terroir. With the main block sloping both to the southwest and the northeast, our yields produce drastically different fruit. The smaller block has terraced rows that curve from the south to the east.

#### TECHNICAL DATA

T.A.: 0.65G/100ML

PH: 3.65

ALC.: 14.5%

#### AGING

19 MONTHS FRENCH OAK (55% NEW)

#### BOTTLING DATE

JULY 1, 2021

#### PRODUCTION

400 CASES

