



2007

RUTHERFORD HILLSIDE RESERVE CABERNET SAUVIGNON

95+ Points Robert Parker's The Wine Advocate "A classic Rutherford Bench wine with exceptional concentration as well as depth. Brambleberry, cassis, full-bodied flavors, exceptionally polished, refined tannins, and a finish that lasts nearly 45 seconds."

Winemaker Notes

Following its debut in 1989, our Rutherford Hillside Reserve quickly became a Napa Valley Cabernet icon. By 1991, this young wine was named the #3 wine in the Wine Spectator Top 100 Wines of the World, which solidified the iconic status. The Rutherford Hillside Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon has continued to be one of our most elegant single-vineyard Cabernets, exhibiting wonderful complexity and flavors entirely unique to this hillside vineyard on the Flora Springs estate. The combination of mild temperatures during the 2007 growing season led to even ripening, low yields, as well as small berry size – a winemaker's dream come true!

All The Facts

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| Appellation: | Rutherford, Napa Valley |
| Varietal: | 100% Cabernet Sauvignon |
| Case Production: | 361 |
| Aging: | 21 months, 100% new French oak |
| Suggested Retail Price: | Suggested Retail Price: \$100 |
| Enjoyability: | Drink now or cellar. Pull the cork between 2015 and 2025 for optimum enjoyment. |

On the Vine

Flora Springs Winery & Vineyards holds a unique card in the Napa Valley vineyard and winemaking landscape. The boundary between the Rutherford and St. Helena appellations runs through the middle of the Flora Springs Winery estate - along the creek on the valley floor and up through the hillside of the renown Rutherford bench at the base of the Mayacamas. This gives the winery the opportunity to produce two appellation-specific wines from the same home ranch. Our St. Helena Rennie Reserve Cabernet comes from Block C on the valley floor. And the fruit for this Rutherford Hillside Reserve Cabernet comes from Block J, right next to Flora and Jerry's house, on the famous Rutherford bench. The dramatic nature of this hillside vineyard is further enhanced by its location in the far Northwest corner of the Rutherford appellation.



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