LITHOLOGY



2018 LITHOLOGY "BECKSTOFFER DR. CRANE VINEYARD" CABERNET FRANC

Dense, saturated, and incredibly deep purple to the rim, and black at the core, the color is mesmerizing. The nose is a heady blueberry compote, blueberry/black raspberry pie with a sweet graham cracker, floral, plum, and cherry liqueur bouquet. Mouth-filling and full-bodied, yet somehow light on its feet, with remarkably balanced tannins, and a long, sweet, chocolate, blue and black fruity finish.

APPELLATION: St. Helena

BLEND: 92% Cabernet Franc, 8% Cabernet Sauvignon

FERMENTATION: 79% Stainless, 21% Puncheon

AGING: 20 months in 68% new French Oak

WINEMAKERS: Philippe Melka, Michel Rolland, Matt Sands

HARVESTED: 10/1/2018 - 10/25/2018

BOTTLING DATE: 6/10/2020

