



## 2023 Cabernet Franc Bonny's Vineyard, Oakville

### Harvest Notes

2023 has a strong chance of going down as one of the best vintages across the board in the last 20 years in the North Coast of California. Our first wet winter in four years saturated the soils and put us two weeks behind right from the start. As a result, many wines were picked late in the season with the worry of rain, which never came, and instead we had grapes with beautiful flavor development via extended hang time.

### Tasting Notes

2023 was widely considered the best vintage in 20 years and certainly our best Cabernet Franc to date. The nose leans into classic Cabernet Franc aromas of fresh raspberry, rhubarb, rose petals, black pepper, with a hint of cassis and bell pepper. This was a late harvest year but with balanced acidity and restrained alcohol. Two years in French Oak adds telltale tobacco and softens the palate. Silky in body but intense in aromatics this wine can be paired with an array of dishes such as salmon, truffle risotto, osso buco, or an onion galette.

### 2023 Cabernet Franc Tech

Harvest Date: October 9  
Varietal: Cabernet Franc  
Barrel Age: 25 months  
Appellation: 40% new French oak, 60% neutral oak  
Bottled: Oakville, Napa  
December 9, 2025  
Bottle Size: 750ml  
Production: 119 cases  
Alcohol: 13.9% by vol  
Total Acidity: 6.2 g/L  
pH: 3.70