



HIGHWAYMAN.



**Highwayman
Cabernet Sauvignon
Reserve**

Vintage:
2021

Varietal:
95% Cabernet Sauvignon
5% Cabernet Franc

Appellation:
Sonoma County

Barrel Aging:
14 months French Oak

Alcohol:
14.8%

PH Level:
3.77

Titratable Acidity:
5.09 g/L

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Who is the Highwayman?

Highwayman Wines are small production, site specific wines that represent the top lots from selected vineyards in Sonoma Valley. The name represents the historical "Highwayman" that preyed on travelers traveling the roads in the 1800's and frequented rustic highways in California and throughout Europe.

Where the Highwayman Roam

From the beginning we have sourced fruit from iconic vineyards in Sonoma Valley's southern region, commonly known as the "Banana Belt". Due to the warm climate and warm soils caused by geothermal activity in the area, the results are powerfully elegant wines that are big in concentrated fruit with softer, round tannins.

The Blend

Called "The Ultimate Cab" at the winery and by our most devout customers, our Highwayman Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon exhibits the rich, powerful elegance of the bordeaux varietals grown in this unique section of Sonoma Valley. Normally 100% Cabernet Sauvignon the 2021 vintage has a smidgen of Cabernet Franc to add a bit of richness and complexity to the wine.

Tasting Notes:

Dense violet/ruby color with notes of rich black currant and cassis with hints of mineral gravel and faint lead pencil notes. Rich blackberry and vanilla overtones on the finish with a firm tannin structure. A luscious lingering finish leaves you desiring the next sip.

