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2021 HUNDRED ACRE ARK CABERNET SAUVIGNON

This 100% Cabernet Sauvignon from Jayson Woodbridge is dynamic, complex, and downright pleasure-packed and one of the stars of the show from his lineup of 2021 wines I tasted in September of 2024. It bursts out of the glass with pure ruby fruit, white truffle, white pepper, black cherry liqueur, and spiced plums layered with delicate cedarwood notes. Full-bodied with the purest of raspberry and blackberry fruit, the wine is framed by a foundation of ultrafine-grained tannins and profound depth on the mid-palate. Nuances of cigar box, saddle leather, and vanilla weave a lattice work around the fruit character, complemented by umami-rich saline minerals. Incredibly precise and pure, it's further enhanced by blood orange acidity and a zesty, smoky quality, finishing with a hint of salted pink Himalayan sea salt. Just 4.8 hectares of Cabernet Sauvignon vines are planted on this 18.21-hectare property, located on the steep southeast-facing slopes of Glass Mountain in St. Helena. It was purchased in 1999 and's also home to Woodbridge's underground Ring winery and caves.

— Jonathan Cristaldi, *Decanter*, November 6, 2024

2021 HUNDRED ACRE ARK CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Deep garnet-purple colored, the 2021 The Ark Vineyard needs a shake or two to wake up intense scents of crème de cassis, red currant jelly, and blackberry pie, leading to a complex undercurrent of mint tea, sandalwood, and fallen leaves. The full-bodied palate sparkles with energetic black and red berry flavors, supported by firm, grainy tannins and bold freshness, finishing long and minerally.

— Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *The Wine Independent*, December 18, 2024

2021 HUNDRED ACRE DARK ARK CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Deep garnet-purple colored, the 2021 Dark Ark Cabernet Sauvignon gallops out with notes of menthol, crème de cassis, and plum preserves, leading to an undercurrent of clove oil, licorice, tapenade, and incense with a waft of rose oil. Full-bodied and fabulously intense, it has a rock-solid structure of ripe, grainy tannins and laser-like freshness, finishing with epic length. "This is the darkest threads of Ark," said Jayson Woodbridge. "The super structure of the universe."

— Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *The Wine Independent*, December 18, 2024

2021 HUNDRED ACRE DARK ARK CABERNET SAUVIGNON

A brooding and powerful wine, like the most delicious hurricane you've ever been caught in. It's packed with super dark fruit, with a wild herb character reminiscent of rain-soaked herbs during a downpour. Rich layers of brandied cassis, dark chocolate, and spiced black cherry liqueur unfold alongside deep blackberry fruit infused with saddle leather and hints of rum-raisin and dry currants. The tannins are finely sculpted, bold, and refined, weaving through dark tobacco notes, new cedarwood, and more of that seductive black cherry and blackberry compote. This wine is for after dinner, the perfect pairing with a fine cigar. A barrel selection of the densest, most powerful wines from the Hundred Acre Ark vineyard, it's a wine that embodies both strength and elegance—rich, intense, and undeniably bold.

— Jonathan Cristaldi, *Decanter*, November 6, 2024

2021 HUNDRED ACRE FEW AND FAR BETWEEN CABERNET SAUVIGNON

The 2021 Few and Far Between Cabernet Sauvignon includes 10% Cabernet Franc. Deep garnet-purple colored, it comes barreling out of the glass with notes of blueberry compote, juicy black plums, and warm cassis, giving way to hints of candied violets, cinnamon stick, and iron ore. The full-bodied palate is decadently rich yet with remarkable energy, framed by velvety tannins and seamless acidity, finishing long and opulent.

— Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *The Wine Independent*, December 18, 2024

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2021 HUNDRED ACRE MORGAN'S WAY CABERNET SAUVIGNON

One of the more perfumed, elegant wines, the 2021 cabernet sauvignon morgan's way reveals a deep ruby/plum hue as well as incredible red and black fruit, new leather, pressed flowers, graphite, and loamy earth. It's full-bodied and powerful, yet also ethereal and weightless. As with all of woodbridge's wines, it's going to age gracefully.

—Jeb Dunnuck, *jebdunnuck.com*, January 8, 2025

2021 HUNDRED ACRE MORGAN'S WAY CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Deep garnet-purple colored, the 2021 Morgan's Way Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon needs a lot of shaking to wake up savory scents of beef drippings, black olives, and Indian spices, leading to a core of blackcurrant cordial, boysenberries, and mulberries. Full-bodied, the palate is densely laden with energetic, muscular black and blue fruit flavors, supported by firm, granular tannins and perfectly balanced freshness, finishing on a lingering ferrous note.

—Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *The Wine Independent*, December 18, 2024

2021 HUNDRED ACRE WRAITH CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Deep garnet-purple colored, the 2021 Wraith is a touch subdued to start, needing a bit of patient swirling to bring out the complex perfume of iris, dark chocolate, anise, and cassis, opening out to a profound core of juicy plums and a myriad of earthy/loamy scents. The full-bodied palate is built like a skyscraper with a solid structure of firm, fine-grained tannins and with a refreshing backbone lifting the intricate perfume to an epically long finish. A wine that is as breathtakingly beautiful as it is cerebral.

—Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *The Wine Independent*, December 18, 2024

2021 HUNDRED ACRE WRAITH CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Hundred Acre owner-winemaker Jayson Woodbridge describes Wraith as the perfect snapshot of a vintage, defined by a blend of all three of his estate single vineyards—Ark, Few and Far Between, and Morgan's Way. Aged for 40 months in extremely fine, centre-cut French oak barriques with ultra-tight graining, this wine captures the essence of each vineyard while forming a cohesive whole. 'Every vintage of Hundred Acre has a thread that connects it to the first', Woodbridge tells me as I taste this wine, 'Weaving the fabric of each new vintage, Wraith is like a time machine, revealing each vineyard's unique characteristics in a singular expression. You can sense all three vineyards merging into one entity, creating the masterpiece that is Wraith.' If you were to taste all three Hundred Acre wines, then Wraith, you might pick out the umami-rich character of Few and Far Between, the red-toned, zesty mineral character of Ark, or the brooding muscularity of Morgan's Way. Still, above all, that unmistakable complex fabric of Hundred Acre is evident in each sip. The 2021 Wraith is coiled up, seductive, and red berry-driven, with loads of black truffle and earthy notes. It's like the Burning Man of wine—rip-roaringly insane, full of energy, magic, and mystery. Yes, there's plenty of red and blackberry fruit, laced with currants and sweet spices, but the floral nuances and dried perfumed aromatics elevate this wine to something otherworldly.

—Jonathan Cristaldi, *Decanter*, November 6, 2024

2021 HUNDRED ACRE WRAITH HOLY QUEST CABERNET SAUVIGNON

The 2021 Cabernet Sauvignon WRAITH Holy Quest is pure gold, and napa valley doesn't get any better. Classic Woodbridge opulence, richness, and depth all emerge from this full-bodied effort, which has incredible overall balance and purity. Cassis, darker berries, graphite, chocolate, and smoky, tobacco notes are some of its nuances, and this beauty has perfectly integrated oak, a deep, layered, multi-dimensional mouthfeel, velvety tannins, and one hell of a great finish. As with the other 2021s from woodbridge, it already offers incredible pleasure, yet it has the density, depth, and balance to age for 30 years if well stored.

—Jeb Dunnuck, *jebdunnuck.com*, January 8, 2025

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2021 HUNDRED ACRE WRAITH HOLY QUEST CABERNET SAUVIGNON

This 2021 Wraith Holy Quest is the first vintage for this label. Deep garnet-purple colored, the nose is packed with powerful black fruit notes: blackcurrants, black cherries, and blackberries. Much swirling and coaxing releases nuances of crushed rocks, Chinese five spice, mint tea, and mossy tree bark. The full-bodied palate is a nuclear reactor of concentrated, highly charged black fruits and savory sparks, supported by a thick wall of wonderfully velvety tannins and incredible TENSION, finishing with long lingering mineral and exotic spice notes. Atomic.

– Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *The Wine Independent*, December 18, 2024

2019 HUNDRED ACRE ARK CABERNET SAUVIGNON

An outstanding and profoundly layered 100% Cabernet Sauvignon from Jayson Woodbridge. I had hoped to include his Hundred Acre wines in my 2019 Napa Cabernet vintage report, but they weren't available at the time. Had they been, they would have swept in for top honours. The reasons are many, and here, exhibited in this medium- to full-bodied Ark vineyard Cabernet are several exceptional reasons, which begin with complex aromatics of pure black cherry, blackberry, and blueberry skin, layered with nuances of cigar box, sandalwood, and vanillin. Finely-knit firm tannins build exemplary structure, balanced by crisp, blood-orange acid tension. It is a wine of very real intention to showcase the remarkable mineral superstructure beneath the ground of Ark, which is like a vertical layer cake of ancient beachfronts of red soils, black obsidian rock, and volcanic pebbles. 'It's a hundred million years of time sequences', says Woodbridge, and the wine displays itself in equally complex layers of minerality, and *the lingering effect is mesmerising and just draws you into the glass*. Just 4.8 hectares of Cabernet Sauvignon vines are planted on this 18.2 hectare property. The vines are on the steep southeast-facing slopes of Glass Mountain in St. Helena. Purchased in 1999, it's also the site of Woodbridge's underground Ring winery and caves.

– Jonathan Cristaldi, *Decanter*, February 7, 2024

2019 HUNDRED ACRE ARK CABERNET SAUVIGNON

The 2019 Cabernet Sauvignon Ark Vineyard comes from a steeper, diverse site, and it's a perfect wine in this reviewer's opinion. Deep ruby/plum-hued, with incredible aromatics of red and black plums, new leather, lead pencil, and smoked tobacco, it has remarkable complexity, full-bodied richness, a deep, layered mouthfeel, and velvety tannins. *It's a wine that delivers everything: richness, depth, elegance, and complexity*. As with all the 2019s from Woodbridge, it's drinking spectacularly well today yet has two decades of life ahead of it.

– Jeb Dunnuck, *JebDunnuck.com*, December 26, 2023

2019 HUNDRED ACRE ARK CABERNET SAUVIGNON

The 2019 The Ark Vineyard is deep garnet-purple in color. It needs a swirl or two before it strolls out with notes of creme de cassis, black cherries, and mulberries leading to hints of crushed rocks, iron ore, and underbrush plus tapenade and lavender. The full-bodied palate is concentrated, with minerals, earth, and bags of black fruits, perfectly ripe, grainy tannins and seamless freshness, finishing long and earthy.

– Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *The Wine Independent*, November 30, 2023

2019 HUNDRED ACRE DARK ARK CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Lastly, the 2019 Cabernet Sauvignon Dark Ark is another perfect wine from this estate that delivers everything you could want from a wine. Beautiful aromatics of red and black currants, graphite, darker chocolate, smoked tobacco, and God knows what else all emerge from the glass, and this beauty hits the palate with full-bodied richness, a layered, ultra-fine mouthfeel, perfect tannins (*this could be a masterclass in tannins*), and just this multi-dimensional, complex, hard to describe style that sets it apart. This magical Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon can be drunk any time over the coming 20-30 years.

– Jeb Dunnuck, *JebDunnuck.com*, December 26, 2023

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2019 HUNDRED ACRE DARK ARK CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Deep garnet-purple in color, the 2019 Dark Ark Cabernet Sauvignon soars from the glass with super-intense, complex, red and black fruit scents with hints of exotic spices, red soil, menthol, roses, and tar. The full-bodied palate is rich, lively, and energetic, with tons of spices and minerals leading to a long, long, long finish.

— Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *The Wine Independent*, November 30, 2023

2019 HUNDRED ACRE FEW AND FAR BETWEEN CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Pure, lively, and lifted, with an infusion of creamy blackberry, blueberry, and black cherry fruit on both the nose and palate. gorgeously subtle whispers of cedar spices, white truffle, and sagebrush layer in harmonic nuances. At 16.1% alcohol, there isn't even a hint of heat, and owner-winemaker Jayson Woodbridge explains that no matter what they do, they can't seem to achieve the phenolic ripeness he's after under 16%, but it's moot because the balance is so impressive he should be teaching a masterclass on the subject. The wine is *reservedly powerful, with the utmost elegance, harmonious acidity and nobly ripe tannins*, which are smooth and fine, conferring a seamless tasting experience. Few and Far Between is Hundred Acre's estate 2 hectare vineyard surrounding the Woodbridge home in Calistoga and shares a fence line with Eisele Vineyard. Planted to Cabernet Sauvignon and one 'Home Block' of Cabernet Franc, which abuts the veranda of the Woodbridge home, the final blend includes some of the Franc. Owner-winemaker Jayson Woodbridge ages this wine up to 30 months in French oak barriques.

— Jonathan Cristaldi, *Decanter*, February 7, 2024

2019 HUNDRED ACRE FEW AND FAR BETWEEN CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Deep garnet-purple in color, the 2019 Few and Far Between opens with an incredible array of savory/meaty notes over a core of cassis, black plum preserves, and kirsch with blueberry compote, tar, and rocks plus a waft of black olives. The full-bodied palate is super-concentrated, taut, and tightly wound with *seamless freshness, finishing long and layered with earthy notes*.

— Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *The Wine Independent*, November 30, 2023

2019 HUNDRED ACRE FEW AND FAR BETWEEN CABERNET SAUVIGNON

My favorite of the extensive range of wines presented on this occasion, the 2019 Cabernet Sauvignon Few and Far Between masterfully combines dusty loam notes with hints of sage and dark chocolate, then backs those savory nuances with layers of ripe cherries, black cherries and even something akin to boysenberries. It's a full-bodied, silky effort, tannic yet ripe, with a long, elegant finish. *It's impressively complex, impeccably balanced and just a fantastic drink.*

— Joe Czerwinski, *robertparker.com*, May 4, 2023

2019 HUNDRED ACRE FORTIFICATION – BARREL 4 OF 4

Generous and full, offering up molasses, red currants, walnuts, salted, dark chocolate, and toffee bark. Intensely rich and dense with toasted, crushed walnuts, hazelnuts and roasted espresso beans. Wonderful savoury notes underscore all of this with dried herbs de Provence. You really owe it to yourself to take time with the Fortification wines and let them open in the glass as they will reveal the most extraordinary aromas in flavours over an evening. A rich creaminess builds with air, along with burnt caramel and brown baking spices. *What's so impressive is the balance of concentration and lightness. Just delicious.* The Hundred Acre Fortification wines are generally a blend of barrels, but in 2016, the wine had such a unique character that, for the first time, Jayson Woodbridge chose to bottle each individual barrel. The four single barrel renditions are named on the bottles as 'Barrel One', 'Barrel Two', etc. The base wine is 100% Cabernet Sauvignon, fortified with a ten-to-one fractal distillation of Cabernet Sauvignon distilled in Atlantic copper stills – essentially the heart of the hearts. This was the fourth barrel of Hundred Acre's 2016 Fortification wines. 18.5% abv.

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2019 HUNDRED ACRE WRAITH CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Deep garnet-purple in color, the 2019 Wraith is so floral, with scents of roses and violets over a core of black and red currant jelly, Morello cherries, and wild blueberries plus hints of cardamom, cumin seed, and forest floor. The full-bodied palate is rich and super-concentrated yet bright, elegant, and mineral-sparked, finishing long.

— Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *The Wine Independent*, November 30, 2023

2019 HUNDRED ACRE WRAITH CRYPT CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Deep garnet-purple colored, the nose of the 2019 Wraith Crypt is mind-blowing. Edifying scents of creme de cassis, plums, baked blackberries, and unsmoked cigars are complemented by an undercurrent of tar, Chinese five spice, sandalwood, and cardamom. The full-bodied palate is super-intense with densely layered, shimmering black fruits and minerals, supported by velvety tannins and incredible freshness, finishing with epic length.

— Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *The Wine Independent*, December 18, 2024

2019 HUNDRED ACRE WRAITH CRYPT CABERNET SAUVIGNON

The 2019 Crypt is deep garnet-purple in color. Notes of black cherries, mulberries, blackcurrant preserves, and menthol lead to hints of dark chocolate, licorice, underbrush, and fragrant soil. The full-bodied palate is super-concentrated, rich, intense, electric, velvety, lively, and long. Pure spine-tingling energy.

— Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *The Wine Independent*, November 30, 2023

2018 HUNDRED ACRE DARK ARK CABERNET SAUVIGNON

The 2018 Cabernet Sauvignon Dark Ark is unquestionably cut from the same cloth as the base Ark Vineyard, although, as the name suggests, it is slightly darker and more mineral-laced. Dense purple-hued, with powerful notes of blue fruits, smoked tobacco, violets, and damp earth, it has perfectly integrated background oak, ripe, building, flawless tannins, and a great, great finish, and I love its purity of fruit. This is going to benefit from 3-4 years of bottle age and keep through 2045.

— Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *The Wine Independent*, November 30, 2023

2018 HUNDRED ACRE DEEP TIME CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Deep garnet-purple in color, the 2018 Deep Time explodes with savory/meaty notes over a core of plum preserves and cassis with hints of tar, black olives, blackberries, and smoked meats. The full-bodied palate is rich and bright, with amazing tension, minerals, and black fruits, finishing long. *There's loads of tertiary goodness here!*

— Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *The Wine Independent*, November 30, 2023

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2018 HUNDRED ACRE DEEP TIME CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Aged 48 months in new barrels, never racked, the 2018 Cabernet Sauvignon Deep Time is another singular beauty that tops out my scale. *Showing a touch more classy oak as well as complex cassis, crème brûlée, new leather, and sweet tobacco, it hits the palate with full-bodied richness, a round, seamless, sexy mouthfeel, ultra-fine tannins, and a great finish.* Despite its four years in barrel, it hasn't lost any sense of freshness and has vibrancy, purity, and structure. It too will evolve for 20 years or more.

– Jeb Dunnuck, *JebDunnuck.com*, February 16, 2023

2018 HUNDRED ACRE FEW AND FAR BETWEEN CABERNET SAUVIGNON

The 2018 Cabernet Sauvignon Few And Far Between Vineyard is pure magic and tops out my scale. From a site near Eisele Vineyard, it has a complex bouquet of red, blue, and black fruits as well as new leather, freshly sharpened pencils, bouquet garni, and assorted spices. *Deep, full-bodied, ripe, and sexy, it shows the structured, pure, precise style of the 2018 vintage while bringing classic Hundred Acre depth, richness, and length.* Drink this sensational beauty over the coming 20-25 years.

– Jeb Dunnuck, *JebDunnuck.com*, February 16, 2023

2018 HUNDRED ACRE FEW AND FAR BETWEEN CABERNET SAUVIGNON

The 2018 Cabernet Sauvignon Few and Far Between has a deep garnet-purple color, charging out of the gate with vivacious scents of stewed black cherries, crème de cassis, Indian spices and sandalwood, with touches of menthol, pencil lead and black truffles. Full-bodied, the palate is *built like a brick house, featuring rock-solid, ripe, grainy tannins* and seamless freshness to support the multilayered, shimmering black and blue fruits, finishing with an opulent burst of exotic spices.

– Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *Robert Parker's Wine Advocate* December 2021, Week 2

2018 HUNDRED ACRE KAYLI MORGAN CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Sporting an opaque garnet-purple color, the 2018 Cabernet Sauvignon Kayli Morgan Vineyard needs a fair bit of coaxing to unlock fabulously evocative notions of pure cassis, ripe, juicy black plums and wild blueberries, plus suggestions of candied violets, cinnamon stick and fenugreek, with a touch of fallen leaves. The medium to full-bodied palate is packed with poise and sophistication, shimmering with energetic black and blue fruit layers and a perfectly plush texture, finishing with a dazzling display of minerals and floral fireworks. *A hands-down, jaw-dropping beauty!*

– Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *Robert Parker's Wine Advocate* December 2021, Week 2

2018 HUNDRED ACRE WRAITH CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Deep garnet-purple, the 2018 Cabernet Sauvignon Wraith drifts effortlessly out of the glass with compelling scents of Morello cherries, boysenberry preserves and blackcurrant pastilles, plus hints of unsmoked cigars, wild sage, underbrush and pencil shavings. The taut, tightly packed, muscular, full-bodied palate quakes with energy, supported by beautifully ripe, grainy tannins, finishing incredibly long and provocatively perfumed. So lively and layered, this *Wraith perfectly captures the captivating vibrancy of this great, great vintage!*

– Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *Robert Parker's Wine Advocate* December 2021, Week 2

2018 HUNDRED ACRE WRAITH CRYPT CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Deep garnet-purple in color, the 2018 Crypt flies out with scents of black raspberries, creme de cassis, boysenberry preserves, and blueberries plus hints of sandalwood, Sichuan pepper, earth, and iron ore. The full-bodied palate is rich, earthy, and so, so, fine, with amazing tension and mineral layers galore, finishing long and whispery.

– Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *The Wine Independent*, November 30, 2023

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2016 HUNDRED ACRE ARK CABERNET SAUVIGNON

The 2016 Cabernet Sauvignon Ark Vineyard is largely cut from the same cloth and reveals a purple/ruby hue as well as a deep, profound bouquet of blue fruits, cassis, dried violets, Asian spices, vanilla-laced coffee, and a whiff of new leather. Complex, full-bodied, and magically textured, it packs loads of fruit and opulence yet stays flawlessly balanced, has silky tannins, no hard edges and *a majestic, singular personality*. As with the 2015, drink this thrilling wine any time over the coming 30+ years.

— Jeb Dunnuck, *JebDunnuck.com*, June 2, 2020

2016 HUNDRED ACRE DARK ARK CABERNET SAUVIGNON

The “dark expression of Ark Vineyard” continues with the 2016 Cabernet Sauvignon Dark Ark. Deep garnet-black, the nose is profoundly earthy/meaty, slowly revealing beguiling notes of damp soil, truffles and crushed rocks, before giving way to a core of crème de cassis, black cherry compote and fruitcake with wafts of beef drippings and wild fungi. Full-bodied, rich and oh-so-earthly in the mouth, the palate delivers layers of black fruit preserves, beautifully offset by a lively backbone and velvety tannins, finishing epically long and layered. *There is something hauntingly cerebral and yet satisfyingly visceral about this vintage*—a singular experience!

— Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *Robert Parker's Wine Advocate* December 2021, Week 2

2016 HUNDRED ACRE FEW AND FAR BETWEEN CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Probably my favorite in the entire lineup, the 2016 Cabernet Sauvignon Few and Far Between comes from a tiny site just outside of Calistoga formerly known as the Pickett Road Vineyard. Where the 2015 includes a touch of Cabernet Franc, the 2016 is all Cabernet Sauvignon that spent the usual 32 months in 100% new French oak. This full-bodied, majestic Napa Valley Cabernet reveals a dense purple hue, awesome crème de cassis and kirsch fruit, amazing complexity in its spicy, sandalwood, and floral aromatics, and a massive yet elegant, lengthy personality. The texture is through the roof, *it's as seamless and polished as they come*, perfectly balanced, and while I'd happily drink bottles today, my money is on this evolving for 3-4 decades.

— Jeb Dunnuck, *JebDunnuck.com*, June 2, 2020

2016 HUNDRED ACRE FEW AND FAR BETWEEN CABERNET SAUVIGNON

The 2016 Cabernet Sauvignon Few and Far Between is a blend of 90% Cabernet Sauvignon and 10% Cabernet Franc. Medium garnet in color, it comes bounding out of the glass with exuberant notes of dried cherries, boysenberry preserves, blackcurrant pastilles and charcuterie with hints of chocolate mint, rose oil and licorice, plus a waft of cardamom. The rich, full-bodied palate is tightly knit and youthful, delivering great tension among the layers upon layers of minerals, black fruits and floral notes, finishing very long and incredibly perfumed. *Gorgeous*.

— Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *Robert Parker's Wine Advocate* December 2021, Week 2

2016 HUNDRED ACRE KAYLI MORGAN CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Similarly purple-hued, the 2016 Cabernet Sauvignon Kayli Morgan Vineyard is more backward and closed compared to the 2015, but it's certainly loaded with potential. Giving up *a rock star bouquet* of cedar pencil, cassis, darker currant, white flowers, espresso, and smoke tobacco, it hits the palate with an incredibly sexy, seamless texture that carries ultra-fine tannins, remarkable purity of fruit, subtle oak, and a great, great finish. The 2015 is certainly more showy at this point, but I think the 2016 will surpass it around age 10. I certainly look forward to finding out!

— Jeb Dunnuck, *JebDunnuck.com*, June 2, 2020

2016 HUNDRED ACRE WRAITH CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Pure perfection in red wine, the 2016 Cabernet Sauvignon Wraith tops out on my scale and has everything I look for in wine. Deep purple-hued with a smorgasbord-like array of dark currants, smoked tobacco, new leather, camphor, and graphite, this beauty hits the palate with full-bodied richness, a deep, layered, concentrated mid-palate, ultrafine tannins, and flawless balance. *World class in every way, it already offers pleasure today given its balance and purity, but it will evolve for 30 years if well stored. This is legendary Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon*.

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– Jeb Dunnuck, *JebDunnuck.com*, February 16, 2023

2016 HUNDRED ACRE WRAITH CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Deep garnet colored, the 2016 Cabernet Sauvignon Wraith soars out of the glass with Black Forest cake, Indian spices, tobacco leaf, dried Provence herbs and smoked meats notes, with touches of damp soil, black truffles and fragrant earth. Full-bodied, the palate is jam-packed with layer upon earthy layer of nuanced black fruits, framed by finely grained tannins, finishing with a lifted, bright red fruit burst. *It's like a complex scent puzzle* that only begins to make sense when knitted with the textures in the mouth and then long after the wine has been swallowed. Still incredibly youthful, give it another 5 years in the cellar, at least, and drink it over the next 40 years+.

– Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *Robert Parker's Wine Advocate* December 2021, Week 2

2015 HUNDRED ACRE ARK CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Medium garnet-purple colored, the 2015 Cabernet Sauvignon Ark Vineyard is a total rockstar even at this incredibly youthful stage, strutting the stage with flamboyant freshly crushed red and black currants, black cherries, black raspberries and cassis scents with spectacular lilacs and fragrant earth accents plus sparks of cast iron pan, garrigue and grilled meats. Medium to full-bodied, the palate is *charged with amazing energy*, packing wonderfully vibrant black fruits, red berries and mineral flavors into a firm, finely grained frame, finishing very long and beautifully lifted.

– Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *Robert Parker's Wine Advocate Interim* December 2018, Dec 2018

2015 HUNDRED ACRE FEW AND FAR BETWEEN CABERNET SAUVIGNON

The medium garnet-purple colored 2015 Cabernet Sauvignon Few and Far Between belts out an aria of black cherries, kirsch, black raspberries, roses and lilacs scents with Indian spices, underbrush and cigar box nuances plus a waft of iron ore. The palate is full-bodied and firm yet plushly textured, generating wave after wave of perfumed elegance. It finishes epically long, multilayered and with great freshness, culminating in loads of captivating of minerally sparks. *Wow, just wow.*

– Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *Robert Parker's Wine Advocate Interim* December 2018, Dec 2018

2015 HUNDRED ACRE KAYLI MORGAN CABERNET SAUVIGNON

The 2015 Cabernet Sauvignon Kayli Morgan Vineyard has a medium garnet-purple color and is a little closed to begin, giving up red and black currants, violets, lilacs and spice box plus chocolate-covered coffee beans, menthol, tilled soil and cardamom. The palate is *full-bodied, concentrated and built like a brick house*, with loads of floral sparks and a very long, mineral-laced finish. Through the roof.

– Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *Robert Parker's Wine Advocate Interim* December 2018, Dec 2018

2015 HUNDRED ACRE WRAITH CABERNET SAUVIGNON

The 2015 Cabernet Sauvignon Wraith has a medium garnet-purple color and a hauntingly beautiful nose of kirsch, red roses, fragrant soil and menthol over a core of blueberry compote, raspberry pie and preserved plums plus faint glimpses of crushed rocks, lavender, tapenade and smoked meats. The palate is full-bodied, tightly-knit and super intense with a solid structure of perfectly ripe, fine-grained tannins and tons of freshness, finishing very long and minerally. *This is one of those very rare wines that so beautifully straddles the pinnacles of hedonic and the cerebral experiences*, forever compelling you to take just one more sip.

– Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *Robert Parker's Wine Advocate Interim* December 2018, Dec 2018

HUNDRED ACRE



2014 HUNDRED ACRE WRAITH CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Medium to deep garnet-purple colored, the 2014 Cabernet Sauvignon Wraith opens with compelling crème de cassis, wild blueberries, anise, chocolate mint and black earth scents plus suggestions of candied violets, cinnamon stick, tar, cigar box and smoked meats. Full-bodied, rich, super firm and built like a brick house, the palate offers layer upon layer of very tightly wound, subtly nuanced flavors leading to a very long, very perfumed and minerally finish. *If any Hundred Acre wine can live for 100 years, this is certainly a contender.*

– Lisa Perrotti-Brown, Robert Parker's Wine Advocate Interim December 2018, Dec 2018

2013 HUNDRED ACRE ARK CABERNET SAUVIGNON

The 2013 Cabernet Sauvignon Ark Vineyard has a deep garnet color and nose of crème de cassis, blueberry compote and candied violets with hints of red roses, chocolate mint, stewed tea and yeast extract plus a hint of cumin. *Full-bodied, rich and velvety*, the palate is completely packed with spicy fruit, finishing with lingering earthy notes.

– Lisa Perrotti-Brown, Robert Parker's Wine Advocate Interim December 2018, Dec 2018

2013 HUNDRED ACRE FEW AND FAR BETWEEN CABERNET SAUVIGNON

The medium to deep garnet-purple colored 2013 Cabernet Sauvignon Few and Far Between comes charging out of the gate with intense notes of crushed red and black currants, black cherries and mulberries over a crème de cassis and mincemeat core plus suggestions of baking spices and fragrant earth. Full-bodied, bold and oh-so-decadent, the palate features a very firm, velvety frame with layer upon layer of spiced black berries and a compelling earthy undercurrent, finishing with fantastic length and perfume.

– Lisa Perrotti-Brown, Robert Parker's Wine Advocate, December 7, 2018

2013 HUNDRED ACRE FEW AND FAR BETWEEN CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Obviously, the Eisele Vineyard next door is a first-growth quality vineyard, and so is Jayson Woodbridge's 2013 Cabernet Sauvignon Few and Far Between. This has some Cabernet Franc (5%-15%), and spends 32 months in barrel. It is an absolutely outrageously great wine from the volcanic rocks and white volcanic ash of these soils in this northeast sector of Napa to the south of Calistoga. The finish goes on for over a minute, as this wine has layers and layers of fruit. *If anything, it reminded me of a Château Latour on steroids.* A magnificent example, it is one of the prodigious wines of this great vintage for Bordeaux varietals in Napa. The 2013 Few and Far Between already drinks well, but will still be reveling its purchasers 35-40 years from now. The sad thing about the Few and Far Between Vineyard is that it is only a five-acre parcel.

– Robert Parker, Wine Advocate 227, Oct 2016

2013 HUNDRED ACRE FORTIFICATION

Another perfect wine, the 2013 Fortification is darker and more inward compared to the 2012, with a smoky nose of ripe blackcurrants, plums, dark chocolate, sandalwood, and exotic spices, with a kiss of crushed mint as well. Straight-up massive on the palate, this full-bodied behemoth somehow manages to stay flawlessly balanced and light on its feet while carrying ripe, broad tannins, a dense, powerful mid-palate, and a great finish. It's in a very different style compared to the 2012, yet I find them both to be as compelling as fortified wine can be. Both are 50- to 60-year wines.

– Jeb Dunnuck, JebDunnuck.com, Feb 7, 2023

2013 HUNDRED ACRE KAYLI MORGAN CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Medium garnet colored, the 2013 Cabernet Sauvignon Kayli Morgan Vineyard gives up notes of warm blackcurrants, black cherries, sassafras, earth, smoked meats and tilled soil with wafts of garrigue. Full-bodied, super concentrated and wonderfully powerful, it has a rock-solid frame and grainy texture, finishing very long and boldly spiced.

– Lisa Perrotti-Brown, Robert Parker's Wine Advocate, December 7, 2018

HUNDRED ACRE



2013 HUNDRED ACRE KAYLI MORGAN CABERNET SAUVIGNON

The perfect 2013 Cabernet Sauvignon Kayli Morgan spent 32 months in French oak prior to being bottled unfiltered. Like all of the Woodbridge wines, it can be noted for its inky/bluish purple color, extraordinary fragrance of white flowers, crème de cassis, blackberry and graphite. Totally opulent, I always thought the wine tasted more like the great Pomerols, which are made mostly from Merlot, versus Woodbridge's 100% Cabernet Sauvignon. But this vineyard has a lot of clay in it that seems to provide a silkiness to the tannins. This is a *beautifully balanced, full-throttle and highly extracted wine with no hard edges* and a finish of a good 45-50 seconds. The fruit character is still vibrant and intense, despite the 32 months of oak age. Drink it over the next 30 years.

– Robert Parker, *Wine Advocate* 227, Oct 2016

2013 HUNDRED ACRE KAYLI MORGAN DEEP TIME CABERNET SAUVIGNON

The 2013 Cabernet Sauvignon Kayli Morgan Vineyard Deep Time spent an incredible 60 months in barrel. Medium to deep garnet colored, it bursts from the glass with exuberant notions of Black Forest cake, licorice and espresso over a core of crème de cassis, blackberry pie, raspberry preserves and stewed plums with fragrant accents of red roses, black truffles and tilled earth. The full-bodied palate is powerfully fruited with a veritable layer cake of black and red fruits streaked with licorice and mocha, framed by super-ripe, wonderfully plush tannins and seamless freshness, finishing epically long and heart-thumpingly perfumed. *This is truly one for the hedonists!*

– Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *Robert Parker's Wine Advocate Interim* December 2018, Dec 2018

2013 HUNDRED ACRE WRAITH CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Medium to deep garnet-purple colored, the 2013 Cabernet Sauvignon Wraith leaps from the glass with gregarious black and red cherries, mulberries, black currant cordial, red roses and lavender scents with layers of crushed rocks and earthy sparks. Faint earth and exotic spice nuances unfurl slowly, growing in intensity and depth. The palate is full-bodied and solidly structured with firm, very finely grained, super-ripe tannins and bold freshness. Finishing exquisitely perfumed, jaw-droppingly layered and with bags of sophistication and poise, *this wine totally resets the benchmark for 100 points.*

– Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *Robert Parker's Wine Advocate Interim* December 2018, Dec 2018

2012 HUNDRED ACRE ARK CABERNET SAUVIGNON

The 2012 Cabernet Sauvignon Ark Vineyard sports a deep garnet color and rocks up with a ready-to-party nose of blackcurrant cordial, blueberry pie and freshly baked plums. And yet it also possesses a seriously savory undercurrent of tapenade, chargrill, rosemary-roasted lamb and fried Indian spices plus a waft of fragrant earth. The full-bodied palate has an evocative earthiness interlacing the opulent black fruit preserves with firm, velvety shoulders to support all that generous fruit flesh along with seamless freshness, finishing very long and savory. Truly stunning.

– Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *Robert Parker's Wine Advocate*, December 7, 2018

2012 HUNDRED ACRE ARK CABERNET SAUVIGNON

A perfect wine is the 2012 Cabernet Sauvignon Ark Vineyard from Woodbridge's property on Howell Mountain. This is an amazingly deep, rich, blueberry, blackberry and mulberry scented and flavored wine with skyscraper-like texture, remarkable intensity, again great, great purity, and the new oak completely concealed by the lavish and extravagant amounts of fruit. One hundred percent Cabernet Sauvignon, as are all these wines, the Ark Vineyard is certainly *another blockbuster wine with no hard edges that comes across like a flawlessly constructed dress from an haute couture house in Paris.* It should drink well for 25-30 years as well.

– Robert Parker, *Wine Advocate* 220, Aug 2015

HUNDRED ACRE



2012 HUNDRED ACRE FEW AND FAR BETWEEN CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Medium to deep garnet colored, the 2012 Cabernet Sauvignon Few and Far Between features beautiful red roses, Ceylon tea and sandalwood notions with tar, earth and charcuterie hints in the background plus accents of iron ore, pencil shavings and forest floor. The palate is full-bodied, concentrated and firmly structured with fantastically ripe, grainy tannins and seamless freshness delivering a very long, vibrantly fruited finish.

— Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *Robert Parker's Wine Advocate*, December 7, 2018

2012 HUNDRED ACRE FEW AND FAR BETWEEN CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Woodbridge's vineyard tucked away near the famous Eisele Vineyard, now owned by Château Latour, produces the wine known as the 2012 Cabernet Sauvignon Few and Far Between Vineyard. This is another luxurious, exceptionally concentrated and loaded wine with great intensity, a multi-dimensional mouthfeel, unbelievable amounts of blackberry, cassis and blueberry fruit, crushed rock minerality, and a floral note. It is easily the most backward of the five Cabernet Sauvignons I tasted from Woodbridge in 2012. The wine is super-intense, displays plenty of tannin, but is silky and well-integrated. This wine needs at least 4-5 years of cellaring, and should keep for 30-50 years, as it promises to be *one of the modern-day legends from Napa*.

— Robert Parker, *Wine Advocate* 220, Aug 2015

2012 HUNDRED ACRE FORTIFICATION

A wine that has everything is the 2012 Fortification, a semi-opaque ruby-hued beauty that just about jumps out of the glass with its sexy red plums, smoked cigar, tobacco leaf, mint, and chocolate-laced aromas and flavors. Full-bodied on the palate, it has a round, expansive, seamless mouthfeel, plenty of underlying structure and tannins, flawless balance, and a finish that won't quit. *This is heavenly stuff* and clearly in the same realm as the 2005 and 2007. It has more breadth compared to the 2010 yet has the structure to continue improving over the coming decade, and it should evolve through 2062.

— Jeb Dunnuck, *JebDunnuck.com*, Feb 7, 2023

2010 HUNDRED ACRE FEW AND FAR BETWEEN CABERNET SAUVIGNON

The 2010 Cabernet Sauvignon Few and Far Between has a minerality that is also found in the Howell Mountain cuvee as well as deep, luxurious, beautiful black currant and blackberry fruit intermixed with hints of jammy black cherries, licorice, camphor and charcoal embers. Exceptionally full-bodied with sweet tannin, surreal richness and remarkable purity as well as delineation, this pushes ripeness and intensity to nearly over-the-top levels, but it pulls back to simply create a wine of genius. This 2010 *should age effortlessly for two to three decades, but there is no reason to delay your enjoyment*.

— Robert Parker, *Wine Advocate* 209, Oct 2013

2009 HUNDRED ACRE DEEP TIME CABERNET SAUVIGNON

The 2009 Cabernet Sauvignon Deep Time is another perfect wine. Quintessential elegance, seductiveness and ripeness are all present in this full-bodied, gorgeously rich wine along with intense minerality and abundant, corpulent, cassis, mulberry and boysenberry fruit. It takes a wild ride on the palate with incredible intensity yet a surreal finesse and focus that belie the wine's compelling concentration and intensity. I'll cut off my notes now since so few people will ever get a chance to try this beauty, but if you do, *it takes you deep into the essence of Cabernet Sauvignon as well as the complicated think tank of Woodbridge's brain*. Anticipated maturity: now-2030.

— Robert Parker, *Wine Advocate* 209, Oct 2013

HUNDRED ACRE



2008 HUNDRED ACRE FORTIFICATION

Additional *proof that maverick genius Jayson Woodbridge is at the top of his game*, the 2008 Fortification is another perfect fortified wine. It offers up notes of white flowers, blackberry liqueur, charcoal embers, licorice and chocolate as well as a striking resemblance to one of my favorite dark roast coffees from the Death Wish Coffee Company. Inky, rich and full-bodied with smooth, silky tannins, and gorgeously integrated brandy which does not burn or come across as rough or astringent (even in such a young fortified wine), this utterly profound wine should age for 50 or more years.

– Robert Parker, *Wine Advocate* 213, Jun 2014

2007 HUNDRED ACRE ARK CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Howell Mountain Cabernet Sauvignon doesn't get any more sexy and opulent than the 2007 Cabernet Sauvignon Ark Vineyard, which is 100% Cabernet Sauvignon brought up in new French oak. A massive, opulent wine by any measure, it reveals a deep purple color as well as an insane bouquet of blueberries, cassis, white truffle, forest floor, and Asian spices. These all carry to a perfectly balanced wine that has the extroverted character of the 2007 vintage yet stays perfectly balanced, has a pure, layered, multidimensional texture, sweet tannins, and a finish that just won't quit. This Napa Valley masterpiece is drinking brilliant now at age 12 and will unquestionably keep for another two decades or more.

– Jeb Dunnuck, *JebDunnuck.com*, November 14, 2019

2007 HUNDRED ACRE ARK CABERNET SAUVIGNON

The 2007 Cabernet Sauvignon Ark Vineyard is medium garnet colored and comes bounding out of the glass with exuberant Chinese five spice, dried rose petals, candied violets and cast iron pan scents over a core of kirsch, cassis and blackberry compote with mincemeat pie and tilled soil nuances. The palate is full-bodied, rich, achingly plush and completely packed with nuanced black fruits, delivering wonderfully satiny tannins and freshness throughout the epically long, exquisitely poised finish. *Pure class.*

– Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *Robert Parker's Wine Advocate*, December 7, 2018

2007 HUNDRED ACRE ARK CABERNET SAUVIGNON

A perfect nine, the 2007 Cabernet Sauvignon Ark Vineyard (1,300 - 1,400 cases) from Howell Mountain is one of the great efforts from this high elevation terroir. It offers notes of burning embers, black raspberries, blueberries and flowers, a full-bodied opulence, wonderful intensity, but the wine is not weighty or overripe. Fleshy and voluptuous with terrific floral notes, it should drink well for 15-20 years.

– Robert Parker, *Wine Advocate* 192, Dec 2010

2007 HUNDRED ACRE FORTIFICATION

Reminding me of a great, fully mature vintage port from Fonseca, the 2007 Fortification (100% Cabernet Sauvignon) is unquestionably the most *exotic and extravagant* release in the lineup and one of those wines that needs to be tasted to be believed. Revealing a ruby/plum hue (it's almost opaque), it has an incredible array of ripe red and black fruits, sweet tobacco, cigar, chocolate, and toasted spices, among other nuances. Incredibly complex, it hits the palate with full-bodied richness, a deep, layered mid-palate, sweet tannins, and a great, great finish. Like all the vintages of this cuvée, it has that fabulous ability to bring *tons of richness and power* while staying light on its feet and balanced, with a sense of elegance. This sensational wine can be enjoyed any time over the coming 30-40 years, although there's no need to delay gratification.

– Jeb Dunnuck, *JebDunnuck.com*, Feb 7, 2023

HUNDRED ACRE



2007 HUNDRED ACRE FORTIFICATION

Pale to medium tawny colored, the 2007 Fortification offers up rip-roaring coffee, Black Forest cake, caramel-coated walnuts and raisin cake scents with suggestions of sandalwood, Indian spices and a touch of dates. Full-bodied and full-on rich, unctuous and seductive, it has a plush frame and perfectly knit freshness, lifting the hedonic flavor layers to a very long, luxurious finish. One sip transports you to *a whole other level of decadence!*

– Lisa Perrotti-Brown, Robert Parker's Wine Advocate Interim December 2018, Dec 2018

2007 HUNDRED ACRE FORTIFICATION

Absolutely extraordinary with a blockbuster bouquet of black and blue fruits, smoked meats, camphor, acacia flowers, charcoal and licorice, this unctuously textured, viscous, dense monster is one of the most compelling fortified wines I have ever tasted. It could easily be mistaken for a hypothetical blend of Fonseca, Graham's and Taylor vintage port – just richer. The incredible balance and flawless integration of Jayson Woodbridge's high-quality single vineyard brandy make for *an awesome, once-in-a-lifetime fortified wine*. Its black color is accompanied by tremendous flavors of blackberry liqueur, roasted espresso, chocolate, scorched earth, camphor and flowers. Some peppery meatiness also makes an appearance in this full-bodied, thick, stunningly concentrated and pure fortified wine. Drink: now-2060.

– Robert Parker, Wine Advocate 213, Jun 2014

2007 HUNDRED ACRE KAYLI MORGAN CABERNET SAUVIGNON

The deep garnet colored 2007 Cabernet Sauvignon Kayli Morgan Vineyard features gorgeous crushed plums, spicy blackberries, crème de cassis and Chinese five spice with potpourri and nuances of dried herbs, lavender, black tea and loads of crushed rocks, tilled soil and underbrush accents. Full-bodied and absolutely laden with earth and spice accents, it has a firm and grainy texture with exhilarating yet seamless freshness, finishing very long.

– Lisa Perrotti-Brown, Robert Parker's Wine Advocate, December 7, 2018

2007 HUNDRED ACRE KAYLI MORGAN CABERNET SAUVIGNON

A profound wine from a superb Napa vintage for Bordeaux varietals, the 2007's nose may cause one to overdose on blue, black and red berry fruit. *The extraordinary intensity, purity and depth in this rich, flamboyant, exuberant wine are mindboggling.* This bigger-than-life Cabernet Sauvignon appears set for 20-30 years of aging. It can be drunk now, but because of its sweet, velvety tannins, it will still be offering sensational drinking in 2040.

– Robert Parker, Wine Advocate 201, Jun 2012

2005 HUNDRED ACRE ARK CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Medium garnet colored, the 2005 Cabernet Sauvignon Ark Vineyard gives up seductive notes of black olives, truffles, smoked meats and earth with a core of warm cassis, baked plums and blackberry compote plus wafts of mocha and tar. The palate is full-bodied, rich, concentrated and decadent with a firm frame of grainy tannins and a lively line, finishing long and layered.

– Lisa Perrotti-Brown, Robert Parker's Wine Advocate, December 7, 2018

HUNDRED ACRE



2005 HUNDRED ACRE ARK CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Another extraordinary wine is the 2005 Cabernet Sauvignon Ark Vineyard from Howell Mountain. Woodbridge has always been extraordinarily high on this vineyard. The 2005 Ark, which The Wine Advocate also presented in London at our Master Class (and it blew many a British taster away) is incredibly youthful and tastes more like it's two to three years old rather than ten. It has an extraordinary nose of blueberry, mulberry and blackberry fruit mixed with acacia floral notes, lead pencil shavings (seen to be often a characteristic of Howell Mountain Cabernet Sauvignons) and a full-bodied, multilayered mouthfeel with no sense of heaviness. *The fresh acids, the ripe, well-integrated tannin, and stunning concentration are just magnificent.* The scary thing about the 2005 Ark Vineyard is that it tastes as if it still has a ways to go – and could even get better! Drink it over the next 20-25 years.

– Robert Parker, *Wine Advocate* 219, Jun 2015

2005 HUNDRED ACRE FORTIFICATION

The 2005 Fortification is another incredible fortified wine from Woodbridge that tops out the scale. Revealing a semi-opaque purple hue, it has an intense yet nuanced and incredibly complex bouquet of mulled red and black fruits, sandalwood, dried figs, candied almonds, smoked cigar, and even hints of cured meats. One of those wines that brings remarkable richness and depth yet stays graceful and weightless on the palate, this beauty has a silky, elegant mouthfeel, flawless balance, and a great, great finish. It's *up there with the finest fortified wines I've ever tasted* and should evolve for another 30-40 years. Bravo.

– Jeb Dunnuck, *JebDunnuck.com*, Feb 7, 2023

2005 HUNDRED ACRE FORTIFICATION

Medium tawny colored, the 2005 Fortification hits the ground running with a profoundly scented nose of blueberry compote, plum preserves, baked blackcurrants and black licorice with touches of coffee beans, dark chocolate, mincemeat pie and scorched earth plus a touch of Chinese five spice. Full-bodied, *super concentrated and wonderfully opulent in the mouth*, the unctuous black fruit layers are sparked by a myriad of exotic spices with fantastic harmony and a finish that just goes on and on.

– Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *Robert Parker's Wine Advocate Interim* December 2018, Dec 2018

2005 HUNDRED ACRE FORTIFICATION

Absolutely compelling, and unquestionably one of the finest fortified wines I have ever tasted, the 2005 Fortification boasts a black/purple color as well as a glorious, profound bouquet of scorched earth, charcoal embers, blackberries, blueberries and smoked meats. Full-bodied, unctuously textured, thick and juicy with incredible equilibrium and richness, this young, massive, port-like wine reveals residual sweetness that is neither over-the-top nor cloying. It is beautifully executed, with the brandy component so well-integrated that it must be tasted to be believed. Drink: now- 2050.

– Robert Parker, *Wine Advocate* 213, Jun 2014

2005 HUNDRED ACRE KAYLI MORGAN CABERNET SAUVIGNON

The deep garnet colored 2005 Cabernet Sauvignon Kayli Morgan Vineyard gives up a beautiful savory/meatiness with a core of blackcurrant cordial, red currant jelly, Black Forest cake and chargrill with touches of Indian spices, star anise, cast iron pan and mossy bark with a waft of yeast extract. The palate is full-bodied with a beautiful fine-grained texture and wonderful harmony even at this relatively youthful stage, with loads of layers and a perfumed finish.

– Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *Robert Parker's Wine Advocate*, December 7, 2018

HUNDRED ACRE



2005 HUNDRED ACRE KAYLI MORGAN CABERNET SAUVIGNON

The 2005 Cabernet Sauvignon Kayli Morgan is perfection! It was too easy to deliver the ultimate three-digit score. A sensational nose of pen ink, graphite, forest floor, crème de cassis, a hint of white chocolate, and cedar wood are all present in this *majestic, multi-layered wine built like a skyscraper*. The freshness is still a component part of this full-bodied, stunningly concentrated wine that is pure Napa purity, power and compelling intensity. This is a great wine, still youthful at age ten, and capable of at least another 20-25 years of evolution.

– Robert Parker, *Wine Advocate* 219, Jun 2015s

2002 HUNDRED ACRE KAYLI MORGAN CABERNET SAUVIGNON

The 2002 Cabernet Sauvignon Kayli Morgan Vineyard is medium to deep garnet colored with Black Forest cake, plums preserves and crème de cassis bursting forth from the glass with hints of blueberry compote, hoisin, espresso and star anise with wafts of potpourri and oolong tea. The palate is full-bodied, rich and beautifully plush, with tons of spicy fireworks lifting the sexy black fruit, finishing with amazing length and depth.

– Lisa Perrotti-Brown, *Robert Parker's Wine Advocate*, December 7, 2018

2002 HUNDRED ACRE KAYLI MORGAN CABERNET SAUVIGNON

This fabulous wine from the eastern hillsides of northern Napa Valley, not far from the Eisele Vineyard, boasts an inky/blue/purple color as well as an extraordinary perfume of mulberries, black cherries, cassis, graphite, forest floor and charcoal, an astonishing texture, a full-bodied opulence and extraordinary richness and length. It is a modern-day legend that tastes even younger than it did 7-10 years ago. These wines have an amazing ability to firm up and become even richer and more complex, which is exactly what great winemaking and terroir can do. Kudos to Jason Woodbridge for another sensational wine. For those concerned about alcohol, the label shows 15.9%, but there is not a trace of warmth in this beauty. It will last for at least another 20-25 years, perhaps longer. In each of my tastings of the 2002 Cabernet Sauvignon Kayli Morgan, *the wine has gotten better and better, and that has been true of nearly every vintage of Hundred Acre I have tasted since the debut 2000*. The 2002 was rated 94-96 from barrel, 98 in February 2005 from bottle, and now, the magic three-digit score.

– Robert Parker, *Wine Advocate* 201, Jun 2012