CLIFF LEDE

2019 Cliff Lede Cabernet Sauvignon, Stags Leap District



The fruit was sourced from the hillside terraces of our Poetry Vineyard, our Rhythm Vineyard estate surrounding the winery, and a few neighboring vineyards in the Stags Leap District. The wine is composed of small lots from our best blocks, representing a diverse range of carefully selected clones and rootstocks. From Poetry's exposed, rocky terraces boasting volcanic origins, to the ancient riverbed alluvial soils of Rhythm, the breadth of contributing sites translates into a wine of impressive complexity.

"The essence of our proud Stags Leap District terroir in a glass, the 2019 vintage produced a delicious wine of purity, warmth, and grace. Built on a foundation of lush cassis, blackberry, and dark cherry aromas, this long and full-bodied wine is apportioned with a perfume of cardamom, clove, and ancho chile. Graphite, chocolate cake, crushed mulberries, and grilled steak notes make an appearance along the way and add to a long and complex finish." – Christopher Tynan, Director of Winemaking

Accolades: 95pts - Wine Enthusiast, 92pts - Wine Advocate

SRP: \$82 | **Case Production:** 6,812 cases

Composition: 82% Cabernet Sauvignon, 8% Merlot, 7% Cabernet Franc, 3% Petit Verdot