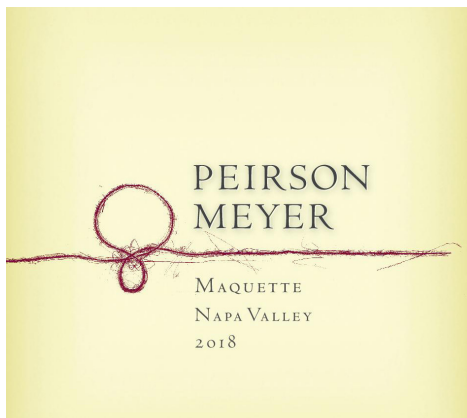


PEIRSON MEYER

Maquette
Napa Valley
2018

Our 2018 Maquette, is a beautiful "Right-Bank" blend with 20% Cabernet Franc. With this addition the wine hits the palate with deep blackberry, and intense currant flavors, wrapped around bright layers of sweet spice, clove and mint. Beautifully structured and well balanced with an exceptional mid-palate, this wine is ready to enjoy in its youth, but will age wonderfully.



"Maquette"

A term familiar to Alan Peirson in his work as a sculptor; "maquette" is the name given to a small three dimensional model made for a larger scale sculpture.

Wine Advocate Review *by Robert Parker*

The 2018 Maquette is made up of 40% Cabernet Sauvignon, 40% Merlot and 20% Cabernet Franc. The nose offers up graphite-laced blackcurrant with notes of aniseed, dark chocolate, blue flowers and savory spices. The palate is full and grainy, its ripe fruits checked by mineral character, and it finishes very long and spicy. Only 90 cases were made. **94 points**

Artwork by Yasuhiro Esaki

Production/Vineyard Notes

Winemaker - Robbie Meyer

Production: 90 cases

Napa Valley Appellation

Kenefick Ranch, Calistoga

35% Merlot

45% Cabernet Sauvignon

20% Cabernet Franc

Harvested in October 2018

25 Day Maceration

75% New French Oak Barrels

Barrel Aged 20 Months

Bottled in June 2020

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