

## **FIVE VINTNERS WINES**

**2021 SAUVIGNON BLANC, ADMIRAL'S VINEYARD, NAPA VALLEY.** We just love our **ORGANICALLY FARMED** one-acre vineyard, planted in front of a friend's house in '02. This is our **16th** vintage from the Admiral's Vineyard, and it continues to impress! The 2021 Sauvignon Blanc was harvested on September 1<sup>st</sup> and was a little bit riper than more recent vintages! This vintage is full of bright citrus flavors, with a refreshing crispness and nice minerality. This is my "go to" wine while prepping dinner! Only 316 Cases Produced.

**2019** CABERNET SAUVIGNON, NAPA VALLEY. Like a broken record, another small but mighty vintage - Mother Nature strikes again! The 2019 Cabernet Sauvignon is structured, bright and fruit forward, with earthy aromas of cassis and dark cherry. Lucious ripe berry juiciness and a hint of anise linger on the finish. Balanced oak, tannins and acidity are achieved once again. After 18 months of aging in 40% new French oak barrels, this wine was bottled in the midst of Harvest 2021 and is tasting amazing right now. Only 448 Cases Produced.

## THE HISTORY OF FIVE VINTNERS WINES

## **CONTINUING THE FAMILY TRADITION**

Krisi Raymond represents the fifth generation in her family to grow grapes and make wine in the Napa Valley. Her family roots run deep, dating back to 1876 when her great-greatgrandfather Jacob Beringer, together with his brother Frederick, established Beringer Brothers Winery just north of St. Helena. The next generation continued to produce wine through Prohibition for medicinal and sacramental purposes. It was in 1933 with the repeal of Prohibition that Roy Raymond began his career in the wine industry at Beringer Brothers Winery and in 1936 married Martha Jane Beringer, grand-daughter of Jacob Beringer. Their two sons, Roy Jr. and Walter, continued the family's winemaking tradition at Beringer Brothers Winery after attending college. With the sale of Beringer to Nestle Corporation in 1970, the Raymond family purchased 90 acres of prime vineyard land south of St. Helena on Zinfandel Lane and founded Raymond Vineyard & Cellar. They planted a variety of wine grapes on the property and crushed their first vintage in 1974. In 2001, Krisi Raymond stepped out on her own as a grape grower and winemaker. With just one acre of her own organically grown Sauvignon Blanc and a handful of select grape growers she produces fine Napa Valley wines. Krisi focuses on her favorite varietals: Cabernet Sauvignon, Zinfandel and Sauvignon Blanc.