

Keenan



Napa Valley
Spring Mountain District

2016 Cabernet Sauvignon, Reserve Napa Valley, Spring Mountain District

TASTING NOTES

2016 marks the 40th vintage for the Robert Keenan Winery and the 16th consecutive vintage of Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon. This year's blend consists of 31% each of the Cabernet Sauvignon clones 337, 7 and 412 along with 7% Cabernet Franc. Deep aromatics, piercing and precise, a full rich saturated mouth feel, and a long lasting multi-layered finish define this exemplary blend. Enjoy now or decades from now. Cheers!

Michael Keenan

REVIEWS

Robert M. Parker, Jr.'s, *The Wine Advocate*, December 2018

94 Points "Containing 7% Cabernet Franc, the deep garnet-purple colored 2016 Cabernet Sauvignon Reserve Spring Mountain offers up cassis, cedar, toast and earth on the nose with bay leaves, mint and chocolate nuances. Medium-bodied and elegant, it has firm, chewy tannins and is vibrant in the mouth, finishing with a minty lift."

Antonio Galloni, *Vinous*, March 2018

96 Points "...The 2016 brings together dense, unctuous fruit and terrific freshness. A classically built medium-bodied wine of the style that are seldom found in Napa Valley today. Hints of sage, lavender, espresso and menthol add aromatic intrigue, but it is the wine's balance and sense of proportion that I find most alluring today. This is a fabulous showing from Robert Keenan."

WINE DATA

Alcohol:	14.3%
Total Acidity:	0.68 grams/100 ml
pH:	3.75
Residual Sugar:	Dry
Bottling Date:	August 21, 2018
Production:	900 cases
Blend:	31% each Cabernet Sauvignon Estate Clone 337, 7 and 412 with 7% Cabernet Franc Estate