

CALATHUS

Cabernet Franc 2019



Calathus: Wines are produced by Finca Don Carlos winery, where winemaker Gustavo Silvestri and viticulturist Patricia Conte work together in growing some of the finest grapes from the 50 hectares planted on the property, creating outstanding and expressive wines that are true to their varietal and reflect the unique characteristics of their terroir. With a total capacity of 116,000 liters, the winery is equipped with temperature-controlled stainless-steel tanks and stateof-the-art equipment.

Tasting notes: Concentrated purplish-red color. A complex nose with red fruits and aromatic herbs. Touch of balsamic releases after a moment in the glass along with spices, chocolate, and coconut from the combination of American and French oak. Intense but with refreshing acidity that makes it smooth and supple. Juicy with firm tannins and a long fruity finish.

Appellation: Tupungato, Uco Valley, Mendoza, Argentina

Grapes: 100% Cabernet Franc

Soil: Sand Elevation: 2,952 feet (900 meters)

Vineyard practice: North/South facing vines with bilateral double cordon trellising. Winter pruning and Summer green harvest to ensure optimum

balance between foliage and fruit

Vine Age: 15 yr Yield: 2 tons per acre

Harvest Dates: 2nd week of April

Winemaking notes: Controlled temperature fermentation in steel tanks Ageing: 8 months in second year used 50% French Oak barrels, 50% America

Production: 7,000 btls

Alc: 14.2 % PH: 3.79 UPC: 856150007112

Tupungato Region: This prized wine region is regarded by most experts as the best in the world to produce Malbec. Dry summers, followed by harsh winters and a wide temperature range between day and night allow the vines to produce low yields, resulting in an outstanding quality of grapes.



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