



Beckstoffer Dr. Crane Vineyard

Myriad Cellars

2017 Cabernet Sauvignon Beckstoffer Dr. Crane Vineyard Elysian

97-99 Points

Jeb Dunnick – January 2019

The 2017 Cabernet Sauvignon Beckstoffer Dr. Crane Vineyard Elysian was harvested 10 days later than the straight Dr. Crane release and is a barrel selection made by winemaker Mike Smith. Despite a later pick date, you wouldn't know it. The wine offers thrilling purity as well as more concentration and a slightly tighter, more backward, focused style. Possessing a fabulous nose of blueberry and blackberry fruits, charcoal, graphite, and smoke tobacco, it too develops a beautiful sense of minerality with time in the glass, is full-bodied, concentrated, and structured, with nothing out of place. It's another brilliant Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon from a great winemaker. 150 cases.

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