

Beckstoffer Georges III Vineyard

Schrader Cellars

2017 Cabernet Sauvignon Beckstoffer Georges III Vineyard GIII

95-97 Points

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Moving to the barrel samples, winemaker Thomas Rivers Brown commented that how an estate handled the Labor Day heat wave was more important than the fires, and I can certainly say they've succeeded admirably. Starting with the 2017 Cabernet Sauvignon GIII Beckstoffer Georges III Vineyard, it offers a full-bodied, ripe, sweetly fruited, even flamboyant style as well as loads of spice-laced red and blue fruits, incense, and subtle floral notes. It's balanced, with fine tannins and a great finish. -JD