

GOVERNMENT WARNING: (1) ACCORDING TO THE SURGEON GENERAL, WOMEN SHOULD NOT DRINK ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES DURING PREGNANCY BECAUSE OF THE RISK OF BIRTH DEFECTS. (2) CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES IMPAIRS YOUR ABILITY TO DRIVE A CAR OR OPERATE MACHINERY, AND MAY CAUSE HEALTH PROBLEMS. CONTAINS SULFITES
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Vineyard Production
Yields, Monte Bello Parcels:
78.7 tons from 57 acres

2018 Monte Bello, bottled June 2020

December brought intense rains but they ended by January. Drenching spring storms saved the growing season. Though summer was foggy and cold, the vines received abundant sunshine and warmth that ripened the grapes by early October. Reduced pump-overs during fermentation helped moderate tannin extraction. Assembled by blind-taste, twenty-two lots came together to make this superb vintage. Sensuous and showing great complexity, it will be enjoyable over the next thirty years. EB (4/20)

Ingredients: Hand-harvested, organically grown grapes; indigenous yeasts; calcium carbonate; naturally occurring malolactic bacteria; oak from barrel aging; SO₂.

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750mL

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RIDGE 2018

MONTE BELLO

**MONTE BELLO VINEYARD 74% CABERNET SAUVIGNON,
17% MERLOT, 7% PETIT VERDOT, 2% CABERNET FRANC
SANTA CRUZ MOUNTAINS 13.7% ALCOHOL BY VOLUME
GROWN, PRODUCED & BOTTLED BY RIDGE VINEYARDS
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