

2012 CABERNET SAUVIGNON

To craft Liberty School Cabernet Sauvignon, we work closely with over fifty family farmers whose sole aim is to grow grapes of superior quality. In Paso Robles, Cabernet Sauvignon is known for its ripe fruit flavors and supple tannins. A diversity of microclimates throughout the various vineyards contributes to excellent depth and complex flavors in the glass.

HARVEST NOTES

The 2012 growing season in California's Central Coast was a welcome surprise after two years of moderate harvests. 2012 was a record crop across the state, not only from a quantity standpoint, but quality as well. Ideal weather conditions -- just the right amount of rainfall and no major frost events -- allowed a wonderful fruit to set, enjoy a long growing season, and produced a bountiful crop. Cabernet was harvested throughout the month of October and into early November.

WINEMAKING NOTES

Our Cabernet Sauvignon is harvested and fermented individually by vineyard lots and then barreled into a combination of French and American oak barrels, 10% of which are new. The wine is racked twice during barrel-aging and gently filtered just prior to bottling. The 2012 Liberty School Cabernet Sauvignon was aged 18 months.

TASTING NOTES

The 2012 Liberty School Cabernet Sauvignon has a deep ruby color. In the glass, the wine exudes aromas of plum, black currants, blackberry, smoke, and earth. Soft tannins and bright acidity add a sense of balance and substance to this full-bodied Cabernet. Concentrated flavors of juicy raspberries and black cherries dominate the entry, while refined notes of earth and pepper emerge as the wine unfolds on the palate. The wine leaves lingering hints of cherry on the long and satisfying finish.

TECHNICAL NOTES

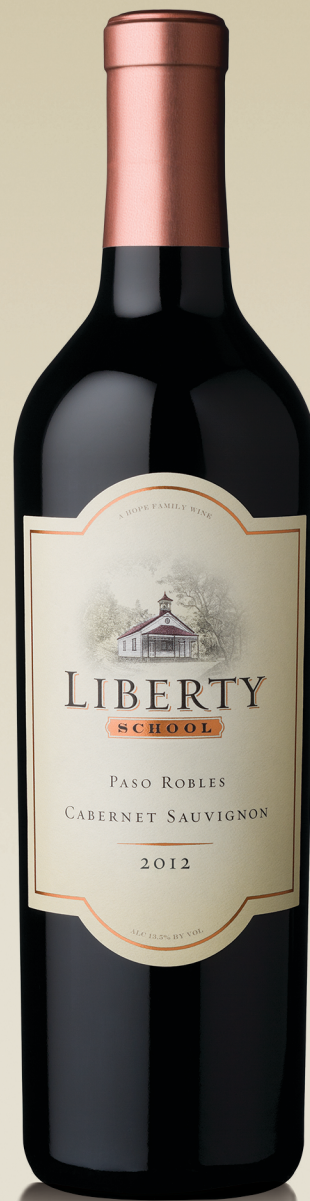
Varietal: Cabernet Sauvignon

Appellation: Paso Robles

Total Acidity: 0.64 g/100mL

pH: 3.80

Alcohol: 13.5%



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