

# Amici Cabernet Sauvignon Napa

## THE FACTS

**COUNTRY:** USA - CA

**REGION:** Napa County

**APPELLATION:** Napa County

**CEPAGE:** 80% Cabernet Sauvignon, 7% Merlot, 7% Malbec, 4% Petit Verdot, 2% Cabernet Franc

**WINEMAKING:** 100% stainless steel fermentation. Aged 16 months in 55% new French oak.

**ALCOHOL BY VOLUME:** 14.6%

**AGING:** Aged 16 months in 55% new French oak

**ANNUAL PRODUCTION:** 18000 cases

## THE STORY

Amici Cellars (pronounced ah-ME-chee) is a family-owned winery just outside Calistoga, Napa Valley dedicated to producing true-to-varietal wines from exceptional vineyard sources.

They have a talented winemaking team, led by seasoned winemaker Tony Biagi, a Napa veteran with more than 30-years-experience at wineries such as Duckhorn, Plumpjack and Hourglass.

**PHILOSOPHY:** Amici is committed to quality in all its wines. The goal of the winery is to deliver the best bottle of wine at a given price point and is known for over-delivering on quality.

**BIOGRAPHY:** Started in the 1990's as a passion project among a group of friends it has blossomed into a very successful brand. Preserving its legacy and producing wines of exceptional character is the unwavering commitment of proprietors John Harris and Bob Shepard.

## THE ADJECTIVES

**OVERALL:** Bold and Rich

**AROMAS / FLAVORS:** Blackberry jam and dark chocolate are laced with hints of baking spice and tobacco leaf

**MOUTHFEEL:** Bold and Lush

## THE SELLING POINTS

A lot of wine for \$50 - great value!

**AWARDS:** 93pts James Suckling

**SUSTAINABILITY:** Vegan, Green Practicing

**PAIRINGS:** Red Pasta Sauce and Red Meats

