

2017 DUCKHORN VINEYARDS

NAPA VALLEY MERLOT

THREE PALMS VINEYARD

Key Accolades

v16 93 Pts., *Wine Spectator*. v16 94 Pts., *James Suckling*.
v16 94 Pts., *Wine Enthusiast*.

Tasting Notes

Once again, the famed Three Palms Vineyard has yielded a fascinating and full-bodied Merlot. Luxurious aromas of black cherry, plum, raspberry, cedar and wet slate rise from the glass where they mingle with hints of chocolate and sweet baking spices. On the palate, dusty tannins add nuance and sophistication to a round, fleshy texture, with flavors of black and red fruit, fig and iron-rich earthy notes drawing the wine to a long, resonant finish.

SRP: \$110

Production & Technical Data

Varieties: 91% Merlot, 5% Cabernet Sauvignon, 2% Malbec, 1% Cabernet Franc, 1% Petit Verdot

UPC: 669576 018521

Appellation: Calistoga, Napa Valley
100% Estate fruit

Aging & Oak: 100% French Oak |
75% New Oak | 25% Neutral |
18 months

Inaugural Vintage: 1978

pH: 3.67 TA : 5.6 g/L

Formats Available: 750 mL, 1.5L, 3L

Alcohol: 14.5%

