

# JOSEPH PHELPS

V I N E Y A R D S

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## Cabernet Sauvignon

NAPA VALLEY

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### 1984 Vintage

**ORIGINAL NOTES** It's hard to remember a vintage that's generated as much enthusiasm as 1984, but both the trade and press appear to be in complete agreement that it may be one of the best of the century. Since the inception of the Insignia label in 1974, we've produced a succession of wines considered at or near the top of the vintage every year, but none has created as much pre-release interest as this current offering.

### WINEMAKING NOTES

#### VARIETAL BREAKDOWN VINEYARD SELECTIONS

60% Cabernet Sauvignon  
30% Merlot  
10% Cabernet Franc

10% Home Ranch — St. Helena AVA  
10% Backus — Oakville AVA  
10% Las Rocas — Stags Leap AVA  
70% Trusted Grower fruit  
including Stanton and Tench Vineyards

### BARREL AGING

The wine was aged for twelve months in 100% new French oak barrels before bottling.