

## DESTINY BAY

## Destinae 2019

Estate Bottled
Wine of New Zealand
43% Cabernet Sauvignon, 39% Merlot,
9% Malbec, 6% Cabernet Franc,
3% Perit Verdot

Grown, Produced and Bottled By Destiny Bay Wines 379 Gordons Road, Waiheke Island

Vintage Detail: Warm spring with moderate rainfall, hot & dry through to veraison, above average temperatures & sunshine and below average rain post-veraison.

Vinified Tonnage/Acre: 1.3 - 2.0 tonnes

Maturation: ~12 months in 55% French Oak &

45% American Oak

Cooperage: 35% new barrels, 65% 1-2 year barrels

Cases Produced: ~700 Alcohol: 13.9%

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## WINEMAKER'S TASTING NOTES:

A lovely deep, red, colour in the glass gives this wine a classic Claret appearance. The aromatics are expressive of the bright, sunny conditions of the 2019 vintage with a diverse composition of berry fruits that cross the spectrum from black, to blue, to red fruits. Underneath the inviting fruit notes is a touch of lavender and cinnamon before the Cabernet Sauvignon lifts out of the background. The palate is highly polished and bright while remaining generous and mouth-coating before it leaves a long finish that is reminiscent of Cherries Jubilee. A classic Destinae upon release, it promises a long life in the cellar and truly captures the essence of the stunning 2019 vintage.

ENJOY FROM: 4-12+ years from vintage.