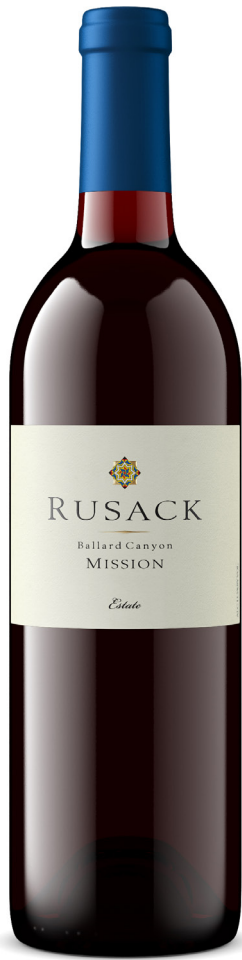




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2022 MISSION
BALLARD CANYON ESTATE



VINTAGE: 2022

VARIETAL: 100% MISSION

AVA: BALLARD CANYON

GROWER/RANCH: RUSACK VINEYARDS ESTATE

PRODUCED & BOTTLED BY: RUSACK VINEYARDS, SOLVANG, CA

BOTTLING DATE: JANUARY 2023

CASES PRODUCED: 50 CASES

RETAIL PRICE: \$28.00

RELEASE DATE: SPRING 2023

FERMENTATION: TEN DAY FERMENTATION FOLLOWED BY A 25 DAY EXTENDED MACERATION IN 1 TON OPEN BINS WITH REGULAR HAND PUNCH DOWNS 4 MONTHS

AGING: 100% FRENCH OAK (100% NEUTRAL)

BOTTLE ANALYSIS: ALCOHOL: 11.5%

pH: 3.53

TA: 0.601g/100ml

TASTING NOTES: OUR 2022 MISSION TRULY BREAKS THE MOLD ON STEREOTYPICAL ASSOCIATIONS OF MISSION WINE STYLES IN CALIFORNIA. OVERFLOWING WITH AROMAS & FLAVORS OF RHUBARB, RED PLUM, AND RASPBERRY, THIS LIGHT RUBY WINE IS PERFECT ANY TIME OF DAY. SERVE CHILLED TO ENHANCE THE UNEXPECTED NATURE OF THIS BOTTLING.

History in a bottle! The grapes for our Ballard Canyon Estate Mission come from one of our estate vineyards - grown from cuttings from the very few remaining vines on Santa Cruz Island off Santa Barbara's coast. There, almost a century ago, a vineyard and winery thrived. While most of the vines were destroyed after Prohibition, we gathered some survivors, and planted this historic varietal in Ballard Canyon. The result is an utterly unique bottling of one of the very few Mission wines to be found in California.

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