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2019 Baldacci Family Vineyards Cabernet Sauvignon Brenda's Vineyard

I loved the 2019 Cabernet Sauvignon Brenda's Vineyard. This Stags Leap beauty offers a pure, medium to full-bodied, incredibly elegant style as well as great aromatics of cassis, spring flowers, and violets. It's not massive, has spot-on balance, nicely integrated oak, and silky tannins. It's one gorgeous Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon to enjoy over the coming two decades.

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2019 Baldacci Family Vineyards Cabernet Sauvignon Oakville

Another wine that's a step up over its 2018 counterpart, the 2019 Cabernet Sauvignon Oakville is a dense purple-hued, concentrated, incredibly impressive Cabernet Sauvignon. Giving up an awesome bouquet of ripe blackcurrants, cassis, spicy ook, chocolate, and tobacco, as well as some classic Oakville olive and iron nuances, it hits the palate with full-bodied richness, remarkable purity, and ripe yet integrated tannins. It shows the sexy, opulent style of the vintage and should continue drinking brilliantly for another 10-15 years.

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2019 Baldacci Family Vineyards Cabernet Sauvignon Black Label

I was able to taste two wines from Baldacci Family Vineyards. Starting with 2019 Cabernet Sauvignon Black Label, a 100% Cabernet Sauvignon, it reveals a ruby/purple color to go with medium to full-bodied aromas and flavors of ripe red and black currants, tobacco, and graphite. This sumptuous, forward, delicious 2019 is ideal for drinking over the coming 10-12 years. 1200 cases.

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2019 Baldacci Family Vineyards Cabernet Sauvignon Ruppert

From the cooler southern region of Napa Valley (Coombsville), the 2019 Cabernet Sauvignon Ruppert shows lots of textbook Cabernet notes of darker, subtly blue fruits, green tobacco, coffee, and floral nuances. Nicely concentrated, medium to full-bodied, and textured, it has a kiss of chocolaty oak, ripe tannins, and nicely integrated acidity. It's another impeccably put together Cabernet Sauvignon from this team with a classic, cooler varietal character, and I suspect it will evolve for 20 years or more in cold cellars.

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2019 Baldacci Family Vineyards Cabernet Sauvignon Stella Knight Vineyard

The 2019 Cabernet Sauvignon Stella Knight Vineyard is in the same qualitative ballpark yet has a more exotic, complex nose of blue fruits, violets, sappy flowers, and subtle herbal notes. It's medium to full-bodied, has good acidity, beautiful balance, and a great finish. It's another wine I'd love to drink any time over the coming 10-15 years or so. 750 cases.

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