

THE  
BRANDER  
VINEYARD



## 2019 F/RED, Red Wine Blend, Los Olivos District

This red blend is both approachable and curiously deep. It features a red ruby red color and an aroma of ripe berries. Soft tannins with piquant acidity work to create a structure that allows this wine to pair nicely with a wide range of dishes.

**Technical Information:**

Cases Produced: 673

Composition: 50% Cabernet Sauvignon, 22% Merlot, 21% Cabernet Franc, 6% Syrah, 1% Malbec

Vineyard Sources: Brander Vineyard, Mesa Verde Vineyard

Harvest Dates: 09/20-10/28

Chemistry at Harvest: 22.5-24.6° Brix, pH=3.55-3.80

Alcohol by Volume: 13.5%

Winemaking: Organic Practices in the vineyard (not certified). All grapes were hand harvested from Brander Estate Vineyard and Mesa Verde Vineyard. Fruit was destemmed and lightly crushed before fermenting in 1.5 ton bins. Wine was then allowed to age in neutral French and American oak barrels for 18 months followed by 2 months in stainless steel.

Bottling Date: 06/25/21