



2005 Cabernet Sycamore

Freemark Abbey, Napa Valley, USA

Product details

Vintage:	2005	Drinking:	Now 2025
Producer:	Freemark Abbey	Alcohol:	
Region:	Napa Valley	Variety:	
Country:	USA		

Tasting notes

Intense black currant with a spicy blueberry compote, cinnamon, aromatic cedar, black pepper and clove. Dark chocolate permeates the aroma with a hint of Moroccan olives. Good depth of flavor with dark cherry, chocolate and integrated oak spice. Full-flavored with a very long, clean and fruitful finish with modest tannins

About the producer

The estate that is known today as Freemark Abbey was established in 1886 in St Helena by one of the first female winegrowers on record. The name came later in 1939 by combining the names of the three owners at that time, namely Charles Freeman, Markquand Foster and Abbey Ahem.

Another takeover by seven partners in 1967 marked a new era of creativity and innovation, and the winery was responsible for training up some of the country's finest winemakers.

Freemark Abbey was one of the 12 American wineries that were chosen to compete in the famous 1976 Judgement of Paris blind tasting, and the Californian victory placed Freemark Abbey firmly on the world wine map.

The grapes are sourced from five different vineyards, two of which are on the much-prized Rutherford Bench. With such a glowing history and a legacy of winemaking innovation, premium vineyard sites and the expertise of winemaker Ted Edwards, the Freemark Abbey wines are simply some of the finest wines California has to offer.