



Famiglia Bianchi Cabernet Sauvignon “Highlights”

2014

• **92 – WINE & SPIRITS**, *Feb. 2017*

“From the chalky, sandy soils of Rama Caida in San Rafael, south of Mendoza, this is an exuberant cabernet. The sunny area makes for a warm, sweet and tender wine brimming with spice, the tamed tannins covering the palate with their velvety texture. This is a gentle cabernet for a rib eye.”

• **91 – JAMES SUCKLING**, *June 21, 2017*

“A juicy and fruity wine with berries, light vanilla and hints of flowers. Medium to full body and soft tannins. Drink now”

2012

• **89 – WINE SPECTATOR**, *Nov. 30, 2015*

“A lithe red, with plenty of hot stone accents to the dried raspberry and cherry flavors. Hints of smoke and plenty of Asian spice details emerge on the well-structured finish. Drink now through 2019.”

***88 – WINE ENTHUSIAST**, *Feb. 2016*

“Currant and spice aromas are subdued and solid. A strapping tight palate with strong tannins delivers roasted plum, cassis, spice and chocolate flavors prior to a dry spicy finish that holds its own.

2010

• **89 – VINOUS**, *Mar. 2013*

“Silky and pliant in the mouth, with a nicely layered texture to the expressive flavors of currant, plum, truffle, herbs and menthol.”

2009

• **90 – WINE ADVOCATE #203**, *Oct. 2013*

“The 2009 Famiglia Bianchi Cabernet Sauvignon sees ten months aging in French oak of which 33% is new. It has an agreeable nose that takes coaxing from the glass: blackberry, boysenberry, a dash of peppermint and cedar. The palate is medium-bodied with sweet, sappy ripe tannins. There are crisp black cherries and red currant fruit at its core, a taut citric thread of acidity and a well-defined, elegant finish that is pleasingly fleshy and long.”

2008

• **90 – WINE ADVOCATE**, *Oct. 2010*

“Purple/black, brooding, round, structured, lengthy.”

• **89 – VINOUS**, *Jan. 2011*

2006

• **90 – WINEREVIEWONLINE.COM**, *Nov. 2009*

• **90 – WINE NEWS**, *Aug. 2008*

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