Pott Wine

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Name: Space&Time

Vintage: 2022

Varietal: Cabernet Franc, Sauvignon, Merlot

Source: Pott Art! Vineyard

Appellation: Mount Veeder, Napa Valley

Retail (Strict!): \$195 Production: 140 cases

Merlot is **Space**: vast quantities of velvet, black, rich space and an endless universe of red fruits, violets and iris. Cabernet Franc is **Time**: the father of both Cabernet Sauvignon and Merlot and Cabernet Sauvignon is the **Dark Matter** pushing both Cabernet Franc and Merlot up on its mighty, youthful shoulders.

Violet, black cherry, cocoa, bright blueberry, cigar box, porcini mushroom and raspberry in the nose. In the attack the three varieties Cabernet Franc, Merlot and Cabernet Sauvignon play off each other perfectly mixing fruit and floral in a soft, rich, round package. The midpalate tannins are already melted into the expansive flavor of cherries, iris, blueberry, nutmeg and violet. The wine finishes with great length blueberry, plum, cherry and smoked duck.

Vineyards

- At an altitude of about 1500 feet the vineyards get the most out of Mt. Veeder's natural air-conditioning (fog and onshore breeze).
- The soils are seafloor uplift; a well-drained crumbly layer cake of sandstones and shale.
- Vineyard faces east to avoid the ferocious late afternoon sun.
- The vineyard is farmed organically and teams with beneficial biodiversity above and below the ground, we even brew our own "compost teas" to give the soil microbiome a refreshing boost of nutrients.
- Great for Franc. Cool soil, porous rock that doesn't give off heat at night.

"surrounded by redwoods, mountain lions and wildflowers, the vineyard speaks through the wine."

JamesSuckling

2021 vintage: JamesSuckling.com. 97pts

Inspired by working in St. Emilion years ago, Aaron Pott blends this wine from his own mountain top property, with 63% cabernet franc, 32% merlot and 5% cabernet sauvignon. A bright, perfumed aroma and lively energized flavors give this wine a dazzling entry and keep it humming across the palate and finish.

2021 vintage: Antonio Galloni 97pts

The 2021 Space&Time is fabulous. Rich, dark and hedonistic, with tons of intensity, the 2021 offers up a compelling mélange or dark fruit laced with strong savory/earthy undertones. Rode petals, tobacco, dried mountain herbs and licorice add complexity. Readers will find a wine of tremendous stature and personality. I loved it!"