

Wine	Score
2018 TOR Beckstoffer To Kalon Vineyard BFD	
Based on 55% Cabernet Franc and 45% Cabernet Sauvignon, the 2018 Beckstoffer To Kalon BFD is more ethereal and complex, with a stunning bouquet of cassis, spring flowers, violets, damp underbrush, dark chocolate, and graphite. With incredible purity, full-bodied richness, ultra-fine tannins, and thrilling length, it's another magical Cabernet Franc-dominated blend from this site that's up with the crème de la crème of the vintage.	96-99
2018 TOR Black Magic	
The 2018 Black Magic will be a selection from the top vineyards, but I'm not sure of the blend. (It can change dramatically from vintage to vintage.) It has a full-bodied, ripe, powerful style as well as notes of blackcurrants, chocolate, and smoke tobacco, a deep, layered mid-palate, ripe tannins, and a terrific, almost Graves-like sense of minerality. It has the vintage's pure, classic style as well as ample power and richness.	97-99
2018 TOR Cabernet Sauvignon Beckstoffer To Kalon Vineyard	
The 100% Cabernet Sauvignon 2018 Cabernet Sauvignon Beckstoffer To Kalon comes from one of the valley's greatest sites and is all Cabernet Sauvignon still aging in new French oak. It has an ethereal yet powerful style that carries awesome crème de cassis, liquid violets, lavender, and flowery incense aromas and flavors. With a massive core of fruit, ripe, polished tannins, no hard edges, and a heavenly finish, this is Napa Valley magic all the way.	97-100
2018 TOR Cabernet Sauvignon Vine Hill Ranch Vineyard	
Deep inky colored, the 100% Cabernet Sauvignon 2018 Cabernet Sauvignon Vine Hill Ranch Vineyard comes from incredibly gravelly soils and is still aging in new French oak. It offers powerful notes of crème de cassis and blackcurrant fruits intermixed with lots of gravelly minerality, graphite, chocolate, and lead pencil shavings. It's a powerhouse on the palate and packs beautiful tannins, full-bodied richness, and no hard edges.	96-99
2018 TOR Proprietary Red Oakville	
Tasted out of barrel, the 2018 Proprietary Red Oakville checks in as a mix of 60% Cabernet Sauvignon and 40% Petit Verdot that as all co-fermented and spent an extended period on skins. It has beautiful purity in its crème de cassis, crushed rocks, earth, and tobacco and leafy herbs. Deep, medium to full-bodied, beautifully balanced, and seamless, it's a brilliant, elegant, classic wine that's going to benefit from just short-term cellaring and evolve beautifully.	94-97

Wine**Score****2018 TOR Vine Hill Ranch Vineyard**

The similarly hued 2018 Vine Hill Ranch Vineyard checks in as 52% Cabernet Sauvignon and 48% Petite Sirah. Blackcurrants, licorice, scorched earth, dark chocolate, and again, this incredible sense of minerality all emerge from this powerful, structured, tannic 2018 that has incredible purity as well as length.

96-99**2018 TOR Chardonnay Beresini Vineyard Torchiana**

The 2018 Chardonnay Beresini Vineyard Torchiana offers more orange blossom, toasted bread, and caramelized citrus notes as well as medium to full body, good acidity, and a dense, concentrated style. It's a little less showy at this point, but stunning, nonetheless.

93-95+**2018 TOR Chardonnay Carneros**

There's not much of the 2018 Chardonnay Carneros, but it's a rocking effort loaded with notions of ripe peach, brioche, honeysuckle, and white flowers. With a medium to full-bodied style, bright acidity, and terrific balance, it's one of the ripe, powerful Chardonnays that Napa does so well paired with the vibrant, pure style of a seemingly cooler climate. Count me in as a fan.

94**2018 TOR Chardonnay Durell Vineyard**

This site always yields wines with terrific aromatics, and the 2018 Chardonnay Durell Vineyard doesn't disappoint, showing perfume notes of white peach, pineapple, sappy herbs, and spring flowers. These carry to a medium-bodied Chardonnay that has a light, ethereal style, nicely integrated acidity, and a great finish. This cuvée is all from the Wente clone and was fermented and aged in barrel.

92-94**2018 TOR Chardonnay Hyde Vineyard Cuvée Susan**

Not yet bottled, the 2018 Chardonnay Hyde Vineyard Cuvée Susan has a ripe, lush bouquet of pineapple, peach, honeysuckle, and toasted spices that just jumps from the glass. This carries to a rich, textured, beautifully layered Chardonnay that has good acidity, no hard edges, and a great finish. It's another impressive Chardonnay from this team.

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