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2013 Dana Estates Cabernet Sauvignon Helms Vineyard, Rutherford

Unique aromas of citrus fruit such as tangerines and oranges with plum, black cherry, and black currants. Lemon rind too. Full-bodied with ultra-fine tannins that give the wine a precise and focused finish that lasts for minutes. It really is laser-guided. Savory and subtle, minerally finish. This redefines the greatness of Napa Valley wine and California.

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2013 Dana Estates Cabernet Sauvignon Lotus Vineyard, Napa Valley

Here is a perfect wine with incredible aromatics showing lilacs, violets and roses. Slate, blueberry and blackberry undertones. Full-bodied, powerful and intense. Blueberry and hot stones. Incredible depth and intensity. This needs at least three to five years to come together. The mountain fruit delivers such structure and richness.

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2013 Dana Estates Cabernet Sauvignon Hershey Vineyard, Howell Mountain

The aromas of tar, slate, and graphite with dark fruits such as blackberries are so prevalent here. Licorice too. Smoked meat. Full-bodied, very layered, dense and profound. Mouth-filling and structured. A wine that is fascinating now but even better in 2020.

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2013 Dana Estates Cabernet Sauvignon Onda, Napa Valley

This is the best Onda ever. Subtle and perfumed aromas of blackberry, sage, and bramble berry. Plummy. Full-bodied, chewy yet velvety and polished. Layered and delicious. Pretty balance and length. Savory and salty. White pepper too. Wonderful finish. A blend of wines from all the vineyards of Dana with a majority from Crystal Springs and Hershey. So much precision here. Drink or hold.

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