



HOOPES



2013 OAKVILLE CABERNET SAUVIGNON  
OAKVILLE, NAPA VALLEY, CALIFORNIA



**95 POINTS, DECANTER** (*February 2017*)

“True elegance. Intense floral aromas with a lovely purity of cassis fruit. It is lean, sleek and lifted with great poise. There is an impeccable balance here, with no element in excess.” *SB 95*

“Deliciously intense nose and palate full of violets and blackcurrant pastilles. This wine has generous body and alcohol but is holding in a ripe Napa Style that will certainly see out the next few years.” *RS 96*



**93 POINTS, WINE ENTHUSIAST** (*August 1, 2016*)

“This is sophisticated stuff that lives up to Oakville's reputation. It tastes rich and alluring from the first whiff of black currant and espresso to the ultrasmooth mouthfeel and elegant finish. Think extra-fine tannins, opulent currant, dark chocolate and black cherry flavors. Enjoy it now or save through 2023 to encourage even more bouquet.”



**92 POINTS, WWW.JAMESUCKLING.COM** (*December 31, 2015*)

“A rich style for a Napa cab with lots of currant and chocolate character, yet there's an underlying freshness and form to this with fine tannins.”



**90 POINTS, WINE ADVOCATE - ISSUE 222** (*December 31, 2015*)

“The 2013 Cabernet Sauvignon Oakville, which spent more time in French oak, and is more expensive, has an inky ruby/purple color, slightly more fruitcake, spice box, juicy blackcurrant fruit, a medium to full body, excellent purity, subtle new oak and an attractive lushness and velvety character. It should drink well for at least 10 to 15 years.”



**DOUBLE GOLD, AMERICAN FINE WINE COMPETITION** (*January, 2017*)