Tasting Notes

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Black Pearl Cabernet Sauvignon 2021

- Appearance: The wine has a dark violet color to it with a ruby red rim variation. No bubbles or sediment. It has long slow legs which indicates high alcohol or residual sugar, but based

on the grape I'd say it's alcohol driven.

- Nose: The nose intensity is high, the ripe dark fruit aromas jump out of the glass before you can get your nose close to it. Nice aromas of black cherry, blackberry, black currant, fig, bramble, plum. After the fruit there are the oak influence aromas of ground black pepper, cinnamon, grated nutmeg, and cedar. There is a hint of peppermint, dried lavender, and graphite to finish it off.
- Palate: This is a lush full-bodied wine with a structure that consist of chewy medium plus tannins, medium acidity, and high alcohol percentage. The flavors are similar to the aromas but with a long smooth tobacco smoke finish.



- Conclusion: This is a very good wine with potential for aging, but you should drink now. I believe it can become an outstanding wine, but it's too young to tell how it will mature over the years.
- B.L.I.C: The Cabernet Sauvignon is balanced. It also has a nice long finish on the length with good aroma and flavor intensity. The wine is complex with layers of primary and secondary aromas and flavors, but have yet to show and tertiary influence.
- Food Pairing: Barbecue GOAT with lightly salted homemade crispy potato chips