

RdV VINEYARDS



While 2020 is not a year any of us will soon forget, it was a year where we found great comfort in the rhythm of farming. Mother Nature gifted us a notably long growing season, often the essential backbone to complex, age-worthy wines.

A season devoid of excesses produced wines of charm and elegance, with an underlying current of freshness below crunchy, rounded fruit profiles. They are neither showy nor timid but display confidence that delivers immediate and lasting pleasure.

Vintage:	2020
Brand:	RdV Vineyards
Appellation:	Delaplane, Virginia
Sub-Region:	Delaplane
Country:	USA
Varietal:	63% Cabernet Sauvignon 36% Cabernet Franc 1% Merlot
Color:	Red
Size:	750ml
Harvest Technique:	Hand harvested
Soil:	Rocky soils
Vineyard Size:	16 acres
Winemaker Name:	Rutger de Vink

TASTING NOTES: Nicely balanced, red fruit, plums, smoke, graphite. Good mouthfeel. Clearly all the stops are pulled out to make this. Impressive given Virginia has otherwise been short notable wine for quite a few centuries.