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Top 100 Wines of 2024

#1 Wine in the World



2021 Lail Vineyards Cabernet Sauvignon J. Daniel Cuvee

One of the finest wines in the vintage, the 2021 Cabernet Sauvignon J. Daniel Cuvee is 100% Cabernet Sauvignon from the Dutch Henry Canyon area in Calistoga, Vine Hill Ranch in Oakville, and Stelzner in Stags Leap (which was added in 2018). It spent 20 months in 75% new French oak. Still tight and forward, it has sensational purity in its currant, mulberry, truffle earth, graphite, and leather aromatics. These carry to a full-bodied, rich, incredibly concentrated 2021 that has the vintage's fresher, focused style, ripe tannins, flawless balance, and a great finish. It's going to benefit from 4-5 years of bottle age and evolve for a quarter of a century.

RANK	WINE	SCORE
1	2021 Lail Vineyards Cabernet Sauvignon J. Daniel Cuvee	98+

Dear Subscribers,

We're excited to share the **Top 100 Wines of 2024**, a selection of the most notable wines we've reviewed at JebDunnuck.com over the past year. This list reflects a balance of **quality, value, availability**, and a touch of **Wow Factor**.

Our team carefully reviewed thousands of wines to compile this lineup. While the **2021 vintage from Napa Valley** takes a leading role – showcasing a strong year for the West Coast – the list includes standout wines from **Washington, Oregon, California, Bordeaux, the Rhône Valley, Piedmont, Tuscany, South America, Spain**, and more.

This is not just a ranking of the highest-scoring wines. Instead, it highlights wines and producers that deserve attention. **If a specific wine isn't available, we recommend trying other wines from the same producer.** Every producer featured is worth exploring, now or in the future.

Prices are based on estate release figures or average U.S. retail prices. While we've prioritized wines currently in the market, some may be harder to find.

As always, creating a Top 100 list is subjective, and many other wines could easily have made the cut. That said, these are the wines that stood out most to us in 2024, and we hope they inspire your next bottle.

Cheers,
The JebDunnuck.com Team

