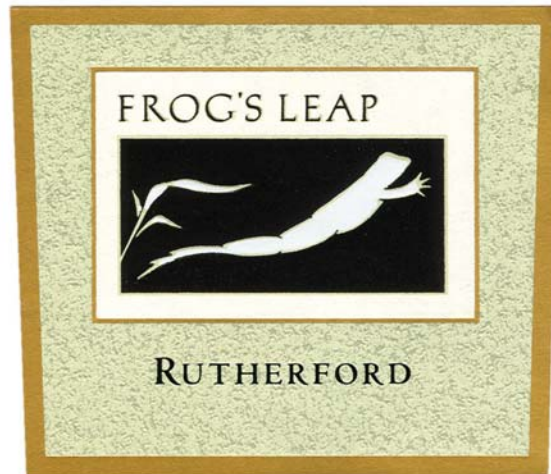


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Cabernet Sauvignon Over \$50 — Napa Valley Sub-Appellations

Frog's Leap 2004 Rutherford Winemakers John Williams and Paula Moschetti eschew new oak barrels, instead focusing on Rutherford fruit that expresses with an understated and more elegant character. There's ripe black fruit, cassis and licorice plus oil-cured olive and dried herb aromas and flavors. The famed "Rutherford dust" presents as an overarching dusty minerality, with round, velvety tannins on the lengthy finish.

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