

DELECTUS

N A P A V A L L E Y

2002 Cuvée Julia

What's the best secret in Napa Valley? It's the fact that no one but winemaker Gerhard Reisacher knows the exact blend components of this amazing wine. Whispered only to five-year old daughter Julia while deep asleep, the secret blend melts away into her dreams. This is Cuvée Julia, the crown jewel in the Delectus portfolio of wines.

This 8-barrel reserve blend continues to turn heads each year, the artwork for this vintage is a photograph of Julia's now retired hiking boots of 2002, which now serve a new role as planters in Linda's garden.

Vineyards:	To remain a secret
Appellation:	Napa Valley
Composition:	Cab driven
Case Production:	200
Release Date:	3/05

Winemaker notes: An explosive nose of black cherry, cardamom, jalapeño, plum stew, and some caramel leads to a mouth full of black liquorice and bitter chocolate. Huge volume, chewy, and a very long finish – yet incredibly smooth for its youth. (GR 2/05)