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VINEYARDS

2013 Lot 1
Family Estate Red Wine
NAPA VALLEY

Vintage

The 2013 vintage delivered one of the most ideal growing seasons to date. The year began with a warm, dry spring that laid the foundation for an exceptional fruit set. Despite one heat spike in late June, the vines had perfect conditions to move through each growth stage with ease. The vines were a picture-perfect representation of health, as the grapes moved through veraison. The long, dry summer gave way to one of the earliest harvests to date in the history of Napa Valley. With no inclement weather in sight, vineyard managers had time on their side to pick at the optimal moment of balance and ripeness to create the best expression of their terroir. The wines from this vintage will represent the best of what Napa Valley can do and will be sought after the world over.

Vineyard

Our family vineyard is located on 40 acres of Napa Valley floor just north of St. Helena on the Silverado Trail. It has well-drained, sandy, alluvial soils and is characterized by its ability to produce complex wines with well-defined fruit flavors, gentle acids and naturally balanced tannins.

Wine Profile

The 2013 Lot is composed of predominately Petite Sirah (52 %). Petit Verdot (24 %), Malbec (16 %) and Zinfandel (8 %) complete the blend. The wine has dark aromas of fresh blueberry, espresso, dark chocolate and hints of violets. The palate excites with flavors of blackberry, ripe plum, mocha and coffee. The developed and layered tannins fill the mouth and give-way to a smooth finish, highlighted by notes of cracked pepper and black licorice. Enjoy for this wine for the next 10-15 years.

Technical Information

Vineyard Manager:	Eric Titus	Cases Produced:	300
Winemaker:	Phillip Titus	Release:	May 2016
Appellation:	Napa Valley	Barrel Aging:	20 Months
Blend:	52% Petite Sirah		100% French Oak,
	24% Petit Verdot	Alcohol:	15.5%
	16% Malbec	Total Acidity:	.55 g/100 ml
	8% Zinfandel	pH:	3.94