



## 2014 CABERNET SAUVIGNON HILLSIDE VINEYARDS, NAPA VALLEY

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### VARIETAL %

79% Cabernet Sauvignon | 14% Merlot  
7% Petit Verdot

### WINE CHEMISTRY

pH 3.77 TA 5.8 g/L Alc 14.5%

### HARVEST NOTES

The 2014 growing season was marked by kind weather, a few curveballs and an abundant crop. The winter was one of the driest on record, but heavy rains before bud break gave the vines a well timed drink. The dry winter produced berries smaller in size, but more concentrated with flavors, and an earlier than normal harvest showed immediate promise of high quality.

### VINEYARDS

**1880 Estate** - Located at the winery, faces west from the side of Howell Mountain and has a slope averaging 22%. The soil is composed of "Tuff" a volcanic ash, allowing the vineyard to drain very well.

**Haymaker** - An eastern-facing Howell Mountain vineyard, located in a frost free zone between the valley floor and mountain top with ancient marine sedimentary soils.

### WINE DESCRIPTION

Gorgeous black fruit, gravel, violets, black cherry and anise provide a juicy palate with nice structure and velvety tannins along with chocolate flavors. Finishes with very elegant bittersweet tannins.

CASES PRODUCED 5,801

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RELEASE DATE Spring 2018

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WINERY PRICE \$60

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