

PETIT VERDOT

NAPA VALLEY

2014

OUR 2014 PETIT VERDOT COMES FROM STAGECOACH VINEYARD ON ATLAS PEAK IN THE EASTERN HILLS OF NAPA ALONG THE SILVERADO TRAIL, AT MID ELEVATION, STARTING AT 1200 FEET AND RANGING TO 1600 FEET. THE SITE IS KNOWN FOR CREATING WINES THAT HAVE STRUCTURE, TEXTURE AND ELEGANCE.

IN NAPA VALLEY, 2014 WAS A DREAM VINTAGE, AMONG THE BEST IN THE LAST DECADE. THE DROUGHT WAS IN FULL EFFECT IN THE VALLEY, BUT OUR VINEYARD HAS ACCESS TO WATER WITHOUT USING IRRIGATION. THE PETIT VERDOT IS STRUCTURED, EXOTIC AND SPICED. TEXTURALLY, THIS PETIT VERDOT STANDS OUT IN THE CROWD WITH ELEGANCE.

THIS WINE IS DRINKING BEAUTIFULLY NOW, AND WILL CONTINUE TO DEVELOP AND EXPRESS MORE OF ITS SECONDARY NUANCES OVER THE COMING TWO DECADES.

WE TREATED THIS WINE WITH 80% NEW FRENCH OAK, AND BOTTLED IN JUNE OF 2016. ALCOHOL 13.8%.



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