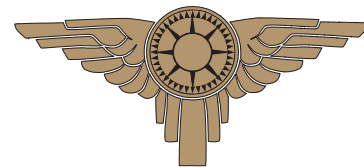


2012

MALBEC

NAPA VALLEY



MINER
FAMILY WINERY



This Malbec shows off characteristic notes of plum and tobacco followed by a slight rustic earthiness on the finish with plenty of fine tannins. This is a versatile food wine with a distinctive acid structure that matches up nicely with rare red meat, and tomato-based sauces of Indian and Italian cuisine. Try with hard cheeses such as Gruyere, Manchego and aged Goudas. Aged in French Oak for 21 months before bottling, this wine will benefit from a few years in the cellar.

APPELLATION

Napa Valley

BLEND

87% Malbec

13% Merlot

HARVEST

October 3, 2012

Picked at 26.8 Brix

VINEYARD

Stagecoach Vineyard

BARREL AGING

21 months

50% New French Oak

ANALYSIS

Alcohol 14.4%

pH 3.65

TA .64

PRODUCTION

174 cases

BOTTLED

August 28, 2014

RELEASE DATE

Fall 2015

SUGGESTED RETAIL

\$50

HISTORY

Miner is a dynamic family-owned winery tucked along the eastern hills of the Oakville appellation in the heart of Napa Valley. Founded in 1998 by Dave and Emily Miner, Miner Family Winery crafts reserve-style wines by sourcing fruit from Napa Valley and other specially selected California vineyards.

Winemaker Stacy Vogel uses a combination of old world winemaking techniques and modern technology to make wines that reflect the unique characteristics of individual vineyards or “terroir” where specific varietals grow best. This fusion of superb vineyard sites and thoughtful winemaking allows Miner to deliver elegant, expressive wines.