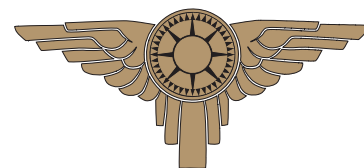


2013

THE ORACLE

NAPA VALLEY RED WINE



MINER
FAMILY WINERY



Our flagship wine, a full-bodied, single vineyard red blend, grants a nod toward elegance for the 2013 vintage. This Bordeaux-style blend is silky, reserved and supremely balanced.

Lush aromatics of raspberry and dark cherry with a hint of eucalyptus, The Oracle is decadent, but with finesse. Earthiness and layers of dried flowers and cocoa integrate harmoniously into a finely balanced marriage between tannin and acid, providing the structure that ensures, like all impeccable beauties, this wine is sure to age gracefully.

APPELLATION

100% Napa Valley

VINEYARD

95% Stagecoach Vineyard

5% Oakville Vineyard

BLEND

57% Cabernet Sauvignon

22% Cabernet Franc

17% Merlot

2% Petit Verdot

2% Malbec

HARVEST

September 14 - October 16, 2013

Picked at 25.8 - 28.8 Brix

FERMENTATION

20 Months

60% New French Oak

ANALYSIS

Alcohol 14.5%

pH 3.61

TA .66

PRODUCTION

5,000 6-packs

BOTTLED

August 2015

RELEASE DATE

Spring 2017

SUGGESTED RETAIL

\$100

VINTAGE NOTES

“Early, even and excellent” are three words being used to describe this year’s growing season. A warm, dry spring brought early bud break, helped with canopy vigor and berry size and created ideal conditions for flowering and fruit set under sunny skies. With the exception of one heat spike in late June/early July, temperatures were consistently in the zone for optimal vine activity, resulting in notably healthy vines as fruit went through veraison and started ripening. Yields were above average for 2013, and the vintage was described as another “nearly perfect” year.