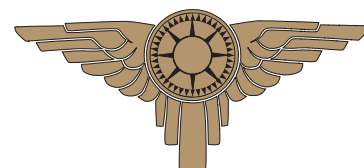


# 2016

## 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

80% Malbec  
19% Cabernet Sauvignon  
1% Petit Verdot

### HARVEST

September 26, 2016  
Picked at 26.3 Brix

### VINEYARD

Stagecoach Vineyard

### BARREL AGING

21 months  
50% New French Oak

### ANALYSIS

Alcohol 14.2%  
pH 3.63  
TA .61

### PRODUCTION

242 cases

### BOTTLED

August 23, 2018

### RELEASE DATE

Spring 2020

### SUGGESTED RETAIL

\$60

## 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.