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HERB LAMB VINEYARDS



2014 Two Old Dogs Cabernet Sauvignon

Winemaking Notes:

The 2014 Two Old Dogs Cabernet Sauvignon reminds us of the earlier vintages of this wine, reflecting more of the cooler sections of the north-east facing Herb Lamb vineyard. It shows a little of the typical herbal/menthol, chocolate mint character, but with a deep rich nose. Winemaker Michael Trujillo says "This wine has a great entry with lots of blue and red fruits of cherry, currant and raspberry, and a tea leaf and blueberry character in the fruit which highlights the lushness of the wine. This wine is well balanced and very approachable and expressive, silky smooth, plush and elegant in the mouth, with no edges."

Vintage Notes:

Reflecting the continued drought, the 2013/2014 winter was one of the driest on record in California and rainfall totals in the Napa Valley were approximately half of normal. But we were blessed with abundant spring rains in February and March just at bud-break, bringing our annual total rainfall to almost normal. This was followed by a long, moderately warm spring, with even flowering, good fruit set and few heat spikes throughout the summer season, all helping to produce the third extraordinary vintage, in both quality and quantity, in a row.

Technical Data:

Alcohol: 14.4%

Composition: 100 % Cabernet Sauvignon

Cases Produced: 440

Barrels: 70% French Oak

Appellation: Napa

Vineyard: Herb Lamb Vineyards