



# TRUJILLO

*Napa Valley Wines*

## 2013 Trujillo Cabernet Sauvignon

### Vintage Notes

The 2013 Trujillo Cabernet is made from a stunning vintage that definitely exceeded our expectations. A nearly perfect season that brought forward perfect weather, steady ripening and exceptional fruit quality. The grape harvest went smooth and steady with no rush or panic upon us. All grapes were in the winery early and well before any threats of the fall rains. An exceptional season for sure.

The 2013 Cabernet is full, well rounded and giving with a broad expression of aromas and flavors. Bold dark fruits are ample and plush coming forth black cherry, plum, dark chocolate and a hint of sweet cedar spice. Rich, smooth and refined on the palate continuously unfolding with each swirl and sip. The generous flavors come up boldly, but are silky and mouth filling. Generous with black fruit flavors, hints of dark chocolate and a touch of toasty caramel and spice. Seamless balance of oak, tannins and alcohol all give way to a long lingering, complex finish on this beautiful 2013 Cabernet. A wine to enjoy now and well into the next several years.

This Trujillo Cabernet Sauvignon is crafted from the fruit of select, family-owned vineyards in Napa Valley, and I work closely with each grower, utilizing farming practices that yield notable fruit each year. Gary Morisoli vineyard, located just west of Rutherford, delivers bold, rich red and black fruit. Herb Lamb Vineyard, on Napa's eastern slope, evokes black cherry and currants with bold spices and soft tannins. Healy Vineyard in St. Helena offers soft, silky mocha characters, and Henry Brothers Ranch, high on Howell Mountain, brings wonderfully dense and black fruit flavors with dark chocolate notes. We enjoy the hands-on-vine aspects of teasing out, and ultimately tasting, the characteristics of each site.

— *Michael Trujillo*

### VINTAGE FACTS

#### Origin

100% Napa Valley:  
Rutherford  
Howell Mountain  
St. Helena

#### Blend Composition

91% Cabernet Sauvignon  
5% Cab Franc  
3% Merlot  
1% Petit Verdot

#### Technical Notes

pH 3.80  
TA 5.5 g/L  
RS 0.4 g/L  
Alc. 14.36% by volume

#### Maturation;

Aged 21 months 100% French Oak (85% new barrels)

#### Bottled;

June 26, 2015

#### Cases Produced

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