



2012 ELODIAN NAPA VALLEY CABERNET SAUVIGNON ..TOM AND KERRY EDDY'S BLEND..

Harvest Information:

Grapes: Cabernet Sauvignon 76%, Syrah 21%, Malbec 3%

Vintage: 2012

Appellation: Napa Valley

Harvest Dates: 9/24-10/19

Vineyards:

Bella Vista Vineyard - Diamond Mountain District

Stagecoach Vineyard - Atlas Peak

Kerry's Vineyard - Calistoga

Elkington - Atlas Peak

Kate's Vineyard - Oak Knoll District

Ithaca - Rutherford

The Arbor - Knight's Valley

Winemaking Information:

Fermentation: @ 82-84F

Barrel ageing: 28 months in French Oak

Finished Wine:

Bottled: February 2015

Alcohol: 14.5%

Production: 1002 cases (750ml - 12)

Harvest Notes:

Despite below average rainfall for the year, there was enough moisture in the soils coupled with well-timed irrigation to steadily ripen the fruit throughout the growing season. June rains caused a little shatter to occur during bloom slightly lowering yields in some vineyards. A mild to warm summer in 2012 led to even ripening with an early October heat spell that brought the fruit to an exquisite level of ripening. With no pressure to pick from looming rainstorms, the 2012 Elodian Cabernet was harvested at its peak level of maturity from vineyards spanning the entirety of Napa Valley.

Tasting Notes:

The 2012 Elodian Cabernet Sauvignon erupts from the glass with aromas of black cherry, black olive and a kiss of vanilla with subtle hints of red raspberry and tobacco leaf that add complexity. This classic Napa Valley mountain cab perfectly balances power and elegance with a richness on the palate that leads to a velvety and long-lasting finish. Our signature acidity leaves a clean finish and lends itself to be enjoyed with a variety of foods. A juicy steak or some pasta with marinara are just begging to be washed down with a glass of Elodian...so sit back, sip it up and enjoy!