

# Girard

### 2014 CABERNET SAUVIGNON

## Mountain Cuvee Napa Valley

#### VINTAGE NOTES

In spite of the drought and the South Napa earthquake, we consider the 2014 vintage in Napa Valley a recent favorite vintage of high quality with depth of flavor and excellent character. Even with drought concerns the weather was near perfect and we were fortunate to have a decent size crop. Mountain fruit specifically came in at an even pace and with well developed fruit character and bright acidity.

#### VINEYARD NOTES

Our Mountain Cuvee Cabernet Sauvignon blend is our opportunity to showcase the varied mountain sources located within Napa Valley that make it such a unique growing region. Fruit for our 2014 vintage was sourced from Atlas Peak, Diamond Mountain and Howell Mountain.

#### Tasting Notes

On the nose we find red and dark fruits with hints of herb, tobacco and graphite. The palate unfolds with black currant, raspberry and plum skins intertwined with French oak spices and structured tannins. The wine finishes with lingering fruit, spice and structured tannins.