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NAPA VALLEY CABERNET SAUVIGNON

## L E O N A R D I N I E S T A T E

#### VINTAGE

Similar to the 2013 growing conditions, 2014 provided many sunny and warm days with cool nights throughout spring and summer. September and October also brought warm weather, which allowed the fruit to fully ripen with outstanding flavors. The Cabernet grapes were harvested between September 16th and September 28th when the flavors were at their peak.

### WINE

The Leonardini Estate Cabernet Sauvignon comes from hand-selected blocks in Whitehall Lane's Estate Vineyards. This 2014 wine was made from grapes grown in three of the Leonardini Family's seven Estate Vineyard properties. It included select vineyard rows of Cabernet Sauvignon from the Oak Glen Vineyard, Millennium MM Vineyard, and Leonardini Vineyard. The wine was aged in 65% new French oak barrels and 35% neutral French oak barrels for 27 months.

#### NOTES

This is a classic Cabernet Sauvignon. The wine has a deep and intense color with a distinct fruit center. It begins with rich black currants, cedar, mixed berry crumble, chocolate, and a touch of licorice on the nose. Its balance and mid-palate are most notable, providing long, plush tannins alongside its dense fruit character. On the palate, it delivers blackberries, toasted brioche, black olives, walnuts, and a mélange of baking spices with vanilla on the finish. The beautiful underlying tannin structure, complexity, and ample fruit guarantees rewards to the patient collector.

WINEMAKER: Jason Moulton
APPELLATION: Napa Valley

COMPOSITION: 100% Cabernet Sauvignon

ALCOHOL: 14.8%

CASE PACK: 6/750mL

SRP: \$85

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ACCOLADES: 90-93 Points - Robert Parker,

92 Points - Jeb Dunnuck

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