



HILLIARD BRUCE

2014 Chardonnay - Estate

Sourced from both a south facing, sandy slope and a very steep north facing hillside replete with gravel and sand. Clones 76 and 96. Barrel fermented with moderate new oak to complement the citrus notes and precise acidity resulting from the extreme ocean influence and marine soils of the Sta. Rita Hills.

Clean, classy and pure elements result harmonizing the linear nature of sandy soil with the elongated upbringing in cooperage to round out the finished wine.

"..beautifully pure, focused and vibrant. Lemon confit, white pepper, mint and and chalk are some of the signatures. One of the most distinctive Chardonnays in California."
-Antonio Galloni, *Vinous*

"..citrus spice, underbrush and white flower bouquet.. medium bodied, classy and elegant, with impeccable balance." -Jeb Dunnuck, *The Wine Advocate*

2014 Pinot Noir - Earth

Selected from each of our Pinot Noir blocks and representing all five clones planted. The most comprehensive example of our entire estate. Sand and sandy loam soils throughout with a variety of aspects collectively deliver this ambassadorial offering.

Unmistakable Sta. Rita Hills in character with floral, spice and intense fruit elements. Diversity of aspect, row orientation, soil profile and clonal selection contribute unique and complementary components through their isolated small lot fermentations.

"..crushed flowers, sweet red cherries, mint and tobacco are laced together with rose petal, dried cherries, mint and licorice adding the closing shades of nuance."
-Antonio Galloni, *Vinous*

"Notes of earth, underbrush, ripe black cherries and some herbs all emerge.."
-Jeb Dunnuck, *The Wine Advocate*



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