

# 2016 pureCoz Red Wine Napa Valley

Composition: 55% Cabernet Sauvignon, 18% Cabernet Franc, 18% Sangiovese, 9% Merlot

# Winemaking:

Punched cap fermented following de-stemming. Each lot was aged in French oak barrels 40 months prior to blending and bottling.

# Tasting Notes:

Ripe currants and black cherries with rhubarb, spice and mineral subtexts in the aromatics. pureCoz is a rich, intense and complex proprietary red wine blend dominated by grapes of Bordeaux origin. In the mouth it is expansive with black fruits, some cherry and clove accented with ripe well integrated tannins and a complex yet subtle oak frame. A finely structured wine of elegance and depth. It is not heavy nor sweet. There is a broadness across the palate with an exacting balance. It has a bright, refined and polished finish. Stylistically it shows familiar elements of Meritage and Super Tuscan wines.

### Special Note:

Since its inception with the 2006 vintage this wine was designed to be more versatile when it comes to food matchups as Meritage wines tend to be. This may be the single most versatile red wine I have made in my 40 years of winemaking. It also includes the rarest of Cabernet Sauvignon clones in this country, which is the Secret Clone, which migrated from Italy.

Enjoy!

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