Joseph Deorge
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Mascot 2014 Cabernet Sauvignon Napa Valley Retail - \$140

The Mascot is a Napa Valley cabernet sauvignon blended from distinct hillside vineyards, specifically the younger vines of BOND, Harlan Estate, and Promontory. It started out as a small project championed by Will Harlan and shared among the family, winemaking team, and close friends. Drawing fruit from blocks of recently replanted vineyards, this exciting new wine shares a unique glimpse into the evolution and pedigree of its parent wines.

As a longtime fan of the Harlan Family, I'm thrilled to carry on the spirit of this small production with you, my friends! The 2012 mascot was such a huge hit with our club 70 members... hope you like this one too!

The 2014 Cabernet Sauvignon is vibrant in its lift and flow across the palate, with its quality ringing true to the pedigree of its parent sites. Red fruit and baking spice intermingle on the nose, while on entry, the wine is soft, gently accelerating as it reveals athletic structure and shape, culminating in transparency and poise.

Joseph George Sauvignon Blanc 2018 Retail - \$25

Our Sauvignon Blanc has been featured in some of the finest restaurants in Napa, San Francisco and Los Angeles and each year we have sold out too early because our little vineyard could only produce so much.

Now, finally after the generous rainfall, the acquisition of some of our neighbors property and the addition of 2,500 more vines, we have an abundance of our wine to share!

2018 yielded a great vintage for us and this Yountville Sauvignon Blanc shows it. Perfect ripeness, passionfruit and fig with a wonderful crisp acidity.

Winemaker: Randy Mason

100% Stainless Steel

-Bert



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Lewis Cabernet Sauvignon Reserve 2016 Napa Valley Retail - \$180

Randy Lewis and his winemaking team source their fruit from some of the finest regions in Napa Valley including Calistoga, St. Helena, Rutherford and Oak Knoll. With many vineyards planted particularly for Lewis wines, the annual results have been balanced vines and modest yields, producing maximum flavors.

There is distinct power and complexity to our 2016 Reserve Cabernet. Navy blue-black yet brilliant in color the wine is front-loaded with ripe fruit of crushed currants and berries. Secondary notes bring mineral and earth aromas laced with sweet anise and oak spice. Packed with fruit on entry, a dusty, sinewy character develops on the palate with fine-grained tannins tailing to the finish.

Lateral 2016 Retail - \$39

Very deep dark royal purple color. Classic Bordeaux style nose with tobacco leaf herb notes and dark brooding black berry aromas plus hints of cherry cream candies. Ideal amounts of subtle creamy oak barrel influences. Soft ripe plums, vanilla cream and loamy earth notes are complex and very inviting. Fresh but rich in the mouth (like so many wines of 2016), lithe and elegant mouth-feel leads to cranberry, minerals and dark cocoa flavors. Tannins are still youthful and acid balance portends well for cellar development; This is a bigger style of LATERAL to be enjoyed now and over a longer period of years.

Lateral Red Blend has been our best selling red wine here at the shop since 1997!! Incredible!

Wine Maker: Marty Mathis & Chis Condos

Composition: 67% Merlot, 33% Cabernet Franc,

Vineyards: Robert Sinskey, Yount Mill & Pat Garvey (Napa Valley)

Made with CCOF certified organic grapes

-Bert