



2014 Cabernet Sauvignon, Ruth's Vineyard, Alexander Valley

Varietal:	100% Cabernet Sauvignon
Appellation:	Alexander Valley
Harvest:	October 2014
Fermentation:	Tank fermented
Barrel Aging:	22 months on 100 % French Oak, 40% new
Cases Prod:	581
Alcohol:	15.5%
Retail Price:	\$44

Vineyard Description:

This 100 acre vineyard, owned by Timber Crest Farms and named for Ruth Waltenspiel, is located in Alexander Valley and shares the western bank of the Russian River. Grower, Randy Peters, planted clones 2, 7 & 337 in this vineyard. The 30 year old vines grow in Cortina soil, a gravely sandy loam, which forces the vines to work hard for water creating small berries and intense flavors.

Winemaker Notes:

The 2014 Cabernet is a beautiful mix of brightness and depth right from the beginning with tantalizing aromas of Boysenberry and layers of earthy Eucalyptus. Flavors of Boysenberry and pomegranate are interwoven with subtle notes of black currant. Velvety tannins and juicy acidity make for a luscious mouthfeel that gives way to a pleasantly lingering finish of cassis and coffee.

Winemaker's Quote:

"Kokomo winery was started with a Cabernet Sauvignon and it still remains a fixture in our cellar. It is the only fruit that we get from Alexander Valley and we feel blessed to have this vineyard in our portfolio."