

## TITUS VINEYARDS

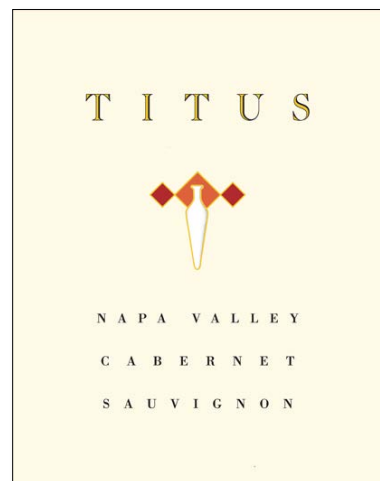
Located among 45 acres of historic vineyard in St. Helena, Napa Valley along the Silverado Trail, Titus Vineyards is a 2nd generation, family-owned and farmed estate that produces high quality grapes for limited production Napa Valley wines. A partnership between the vineyard and the surrounding environment, Titus Vineyards is also a partnership between the generation of the family that planted the estate and the generation that now farms it, a philosophy that is epitomized by the hard work of two men, brothers Eric (grape grower) and Phillip Titus (winemaker).



The Titus wine style focuses on creating robust reds that complement the Titus brothers' down-home character. Placing equal importance on viticultural and winemaking practices, Eric avoids pesticides, biocides and unnecessary fertilization in the vineyard, while Philip strives to extract as much color, flavor and structure from the grapes, without over-extracting tannins.

Believing that it takes great grapes to make great wines, the brothers aim to create red wines that reflect the family's personal sense of taste and style—full bodied and well balanced. By blending complementary varieties, Titus Vineyards creates wines that are distinctive and balanced, fusing the classic varietal characteristics with the vineyard location.

## CABERNET SAUVIGNON



**Varietal/Blend:** 84.5% Cabernet Sauvignon / 6.6% Malbec / 8.9% Petit Verdot / 6.6% Merlot

**Farming:** low-intensity farming techniques / no pesticides or biocides, and no unnecessary fertilization

**Soil:** well-drained, sandy, alluvial soils

**Vine Age:** late 80's-early 90's

**Yeast:** cultured

**Fermentation:** 48 hour cold soak / 10 day fermentation in new to two-year old oak barrels

**Aging:** 18 months / 60% new oak (French, Hungarian, and American)

**Alcohol:** 14.9%

**Acidity:** pH 3.82

**Fined:** none

**Filtered:** none

**Production #s:** 3,445 cases

**Country:** United States

**Region:** Napa Valley

**Sub Region:** St. Helena

**Vineyard:** Titus Ranch Estate Vineyard

**Vineyard Size:** 40 acres

“The wine pops out of the glass with dried cherry, plum, cigar box and ground coffee aromas. The palate is rich with concentrated pomegranate, French plum, mocha, fresh herbs and spice that holds through the round mid-palate. The fine-grained tannins and fresh acid deliver a bright fresh body that finishes with long notes of dark chocolate, baking spices and currant.” Winemakers Notes