

CARTE BLANCHE



2016 Proprietary Red Wine Napa Valley

AVA:	Napa Valley
Components:	46% Cabernet Sauvignon, 29% Merlot, 20% Cabernet Franc, 5% Petite Verdot
Vineyards:	Beckstoffer Missouri Hopper Cabernet Sauvignon: Oakville, Napa Valley Beckstoffer Orchard Vineyard Merlot: Napa Valley Sage Canyon Vineyard Cabernet Franc: Sage Canyon, Napa Valley Sage Canyon Vineyard Petite Verdot: Sage Canyon, Napa Valley
Clone:	Hopper is 337. Merlot is proprietary field selection. Franc is 1.
Soil:	Variety of soils; red volcanic of Sage Canyon, clayish-loamy soils of Hopper and Orchard.
Alcohol %:	14.9%
Vineyard yields:	2.5 tons per acre average
Barrel Aging:	22 months
Cooperage:	100% French oak barrels from selected coopers Darnajou & Taransaud
Tasting Note:	The 2016 Proprietary Red shows blackberry, ripe plum, blueberry, cacao and cedar on the nose. The palate is silky and focused, showcasing red and black currant, crushed blackberries, tobacco, and hint of graphite through an enduring finish.
Cases:	150 Cases Produced.
Reviews:	Jeb Dunnuck: 95