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MALBEC

**BEST OF APPELLATION**

2019 CA STATE FAIR COMMERCIAL WINE COMPETITION

**93 POINTS**

2019 ANTHONY DIAS BLUE

*“FRESH, BRIGHT AND BURSTING WITH BERRY FRUIT; DEEP, LUSCIOUS AND LAYERED, COMPLEX AND AMIABLE; RICH AND NICELY STRUCTURED WITH FLAVORS THAT LAST.”*

VINTAGE: 2014

APPELLATION:

OAK KNOLL DISTRICT, NAPA VALLEY

COMPOSITION: 98% MALBEC, 2% CABERNET SAUVIGNON

WINEMAKER COMMENTS:

A DEEP CRIMSON COLOR USHERS IN A NOSE EXHIBITING TOUCHES OF WILD SPICE, BLACK AND RED CHERRIES ALONG WITH CRANBERRY AND AN UNDERLYING TONE OF EARTH AND FOREST FLOOR. THE PALATE IS AN EXTENSION OF THE NOSE WITH ADDED NOTES OF RED CURRANT, YELLOW PLUM AND A HINT OF CITRUS TO EXTEND THE BRIGHT FRUIT IMPRESSIONS. A NUANCE OF MINERALITY ADDS COMPLEXITY AND CONTRIBUTES TO THE UNIQUE PERSONALITY OF THIS WINE. SUPPLE TANNINS FORM A RICH MOUTHFEEL AND ADD TO AN INTEGRATED FINISH BALANCED BY BRIGHT ACIDITY, DEPTH, BREADTH AND LENGTH. (219 CASES 12/PK PRODUCED)

ALCOHOL: 14.1%

pH: 3.49

RS: 0.2%

TA: .59%

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