



# ◊THE◊ LOST CHAPTERS

*Lost from Record not from Legend*

THE LOST CHAPTERS represents the culmination of 5th generation Winemaker Paul Scotto's dream. Each year Paul sources and crafts dozens of brands, varietals and blends for the Scotto Family's extensive wine portfolio. In his relentless search for just the right barrel lots to fit the profile of each bottling, Paul occasionally encounters something very special that deserves its own place. While these select and limited lots may enhance a given blend, they would also present themselves far better as a stand-alone that most likely would not be repeated in future vintages.



*Mitch Cosentino, Winemaker*

THE LOST CHAPTERS wines are intended to offer our valued followers something special originating from an outstanding vineyard or vineyard block exhibiting a layer of excellence and individual character regardless of vintage, growing area or varietal.

When one release sells out, another will appear offering its own allure and charm. THE LOST CHAPTERS is Paul's opportunity to break away from the norm in winemaking and provide you the opportunity to continue reading "the book" with each release standing on its own while complementing the whole.

Join us in traversing Paul's adventurous path along with co-Winemaker Mitch Cosentino to THE LOST CHAPTERS and discover an ever-changing palette of enticing wines that promise to reward the search and broaden your senses.



# PAUL SCOTTO

## *Wine is in My Blood*

Each day, Paul brings his free spirit and renaissance state of mind to every aspect of his winemaking role. Representing the 5th generation of his family's winemaking history (dating from 1883 in Isichia, Italy) is not only a measure his inherited skills but even more importantly the foundation of his passion. Both are exhibited in his enduring focus to ensure doing everything possible in the vineyard and winery to draw the best expression of each grape to the finished wine.

Paul first learned about winemaking as a youngster from his grandfather and polished his skills at UC Davis. After graduation in 2002, Paul's independent streak took him outside the traditional winemaker's training grounds to the fringes of the vineyard spreading his wings in sales of heavy equipment, green waste and other winery production work. When the family called in 2009, Paul returned to the cellar and has been crafting the Scotto family's far-reaching portfolio of fine wines ever since.

Paul refers to himself as a "blendologist" with an approach to winemaking much like that of a Master Chef creating mouthwatering dishes from a multitude of natural ingredients. At any given time Paul is sourcing fruit from more than 25 growers throughout California and is vinifying scores of individual lots for the complete range of labels under the Scotto banner.

And now by fulfilling his dream of THE LOST CHAPTERS Paul, working alongside celebrated and highly acclaimed winemaker Mitch Cosentino, is now able to complete his vinous circle by releasing a single wine that alone stands head and shoulders above the crowd.



*Paul Scotto, Winemaker*

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🍷 Some of life's greatest joys come when finding a Lost Chapter and reliving its magic.

🍷 In the early 20th century, Paul's great-grandfather and his sons began making wine in Brooklyn selling it in five-gallon crocks from the family's horse-drawn wagon. A chapter of our family's history not lost and forever remembered!

🍷 Paul and Mitch continue to espouse that true winemaking skills come from experience and tradition rather than textbooks alone.



We are proud to announce the addition of The Lost Chapters to the **JMC Circle** alongside J. McClelland Cellars and 50 Harvests, where each brand brings its own personality to our family of fine Napa Valley wines.

Founder John McClelland along with winemakers Paul Scotto and Mitch Cosentino invite you to join us as a Charter Member of the **JMC Circle**. We are dedicated to bringing you prestigious Napa Valley wines backed by five generations of winemaking experience and a broad range of exclusive member only benefits. Enjoy the full range of J. McClelland, 50 Harvests and The Lost Chapters wines delivered to your door twice a year along with special member pricing, exclusive offerings, Club member-only events and so much more. Let us welcome you to the **JMC Circle** to broaden your vinous horizons and enhance your personal experiences with the **JMC Luxury Portfolio** of fine Napa Valley wines. Visit our website for more information and sign-up at:

[JMcClellandCellars.com](http://JMcClellandCellars.com).