

MOUNTAIN VIEW WINERY & TASTING ROOM



Winemaker Angelo Pera

Angelo Pera's winemaking career started in 1993, fresh out of Business School. "Learning the business aspects of running a winery was fairly easy for me" says Angelo – "It was 7 years of schooling (4 years of undergraduate and 3 years for MBA). The winemaking, however, took much more time". Angelo has been making wines since 1993. He has an incredible fascination with old world winemaking techniques, but is inspired to utilize cutting edge new-age winemaking techniques to master his craft. "Winemaking has come a long way, and it makes sense to keep up with modern winemaking techniques." In today's wine business, there is little room for mediocrity. The push for better wines is insatiable.

Angelo's preferred winemaking style allows for ample aromas, derived naturally from the vineyard and grapes. Not overusing oak barrels is essential in producing an aromatic wine. Angelo's style requires much of the work to be done in the vineyard, before the grapes are even brought into the winery. The use of both modern and old world winemaking techniques allows for the best of both worlds. The end-goal is to produce the best wine possible.

Angelo took over the reigns of Mountain View Winery in 2010. He now produces wines of distinct varietal character and quality. The majority of Angelo's wines are single-vineyard and single varietal. As far as his winemaking, Angelo says he will never be done learning – it is a true passion that has been developed over the last 20 years.

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