



## FIVE VINTNERS WINES

**2016 SAUVIGNON BLANC, ADMIRAL'S VINEYARD, NAPA VALLEY.** We just love our **ORGANICALLY FARMED** one acre vineyard, planted in front of a friend's house in '02. This is our **11th** vintage from the Admiral's Vineyard, and it continues to improve! We returned to picking earlier while acids are still super bright and sugars are not as sweet, then pressed whole cluster and fermented cold in stainless steel. The 2016 vintage is crisp and bright, with flavors of pink grapefruit and aromas of citrus blossom. This is the wine to enjoy while prepping dinner! Only 490 Cases Produced.

**2015 ZINFANDEL, DRY CREEK VALLEY.** Bigger is better, right? This is riper, juicier and has more pepper spice than prior vintages while maintaining balance. The 2015 vintage was a great one for Zinfandel from Dry Creek Valley, demonstrating a depth of character, big mouth feel and bold flavors! Aging for 18 months in 20% new French Oak barrels adds richness and hint of toasty caramel flavors and aromas. Enjoy with your hearty pasta dishes, grilled sausages and pork tenderloin. Only 340 Cases Produced.

**2015 CABERNET SAUVIGNON, NAPA VALLEY.** The 2015 vintage was an early ripening one and you can taste the fruit in the bottle. This 100% Cabernet is rich, round and lush, with plenty of earthy and dark berry flavors and aromas. While bigger than prior vintages, the oak, tannins and acidity are perfectly balanced to enjoy now or to cellar for future enjoyment! After 18 months of aging in 45% new French oak barrels, this wine was bottled in late Spring of 2017. Only 586 Cases Produced.

## THE HISTORY OF FIVE VINTNERS WINES

### CONTINUING THE FAMILY TRADITION

Krisi Raymond represents the fifth generation in her family to grow grapes and make wine in the Napa Valley. Her family roots run deep, dating back to 1876 when her great-great-grandfather Jacob Beringer, together with his brother Frederick, established Beringer Brothers Winery just north of St. Helena. The next generation continued to produce wine through Prohibition for medicinal and sacramental purposes. It was in 1933 with the repeal of Prohibition that Roy Raymond began his career in the wine industry at Beringer Brothers Winery and in 1936 married Martha Jane Beringer, grand-daughter of Jacob Beringer. Their two sons, Roy Jr. and Walter, continued the family's winemaking tradition at Beringer Brothers Winery after attending college. With the sale of Beringer to Nestle Corporation in 1970, the Raymond family purchased 90 acres of prime vineyard land south of St. Helena on Zinfandel Lane and founded Raymond Vineyard & Cellar. They planted a variety of wine grapes on the property and crushed their first vintage in 1974. Now, over 30 years later, Krisi Raymond has stepped out on her own as a grape grower and winemaker. With just one acre of her own organically grown Sauvignon Blanc and a handful of select grape growers she produces fine Napa Valley wines. Krisi focus' on her favorite varietals: Cabernet Sauvignon, Zinfandel and Sauvignon Blanc.