

2016 Syrah NAPA VALLEY



175 CASES PRODUCED

Variety: 100% Syrah

Vineyards: Stagecoach Vineyards

Appellation: Napa Valley

Aging: 20 Months in 65% New French Oak

Winemaker: Jay Buoncristiani

WINEMAKER'S NOTES:

As in vintages past, this Syrah is full of umami flavors. The wine is so expressive on the nose; you'll immediately pick out aromas of purple plum, boysenberry and grape jelly. On the palate you'll taste fruit leather and muddled blackberries. This is not the sort of wine you'd expect in an overly sunny year. No, rather this wine comes off lean and refined. Soft tannins take you through a finish of coffee, anise and graphite. Truly a unique and multi-faceted expression of Napa Valley Syrah.

OUR STORY:

As young children born in the Soviet Union, the life Henry and Olga would once have together was unimaginable. They traveled halfway across the world to find each other, and here in the states they started a family. For years, they would come to the Napa Valley with the best of friends and family, celebrating all the wonder that life had to offer. Slowly, the allure of wine country overtook them. They had a dream...

In 2007, Henry and Olga stumbled upon a place called Terra Del Cuore, and they knew that it would be the home for their vineyard. Together with their three sons, they founded Patland Estate Vineyards. Combining their estate fruit with that of renown Stagecoach Vineyard, Patland is producing some of the finest wine to come out of the Napa Valley today.

