

# TURNBULL

2013

OAKVILLE  
CABERNET SAUVIGNON



“A TRUE EXPRESSION OF PLACE, OUR OAKVILLE CABERNET SAUVIGNON DETAILS THE SPECTACULAR NATURE OF THE OAKVILLE APPELLATION. OUR WORLD-CLASS ESTATE VINEYARDS, FORTUNA AND LEOPOLDINA, PROVIDE THE PERFECT BALANCE, EACH WITH SIGNATURE NOTES. A STRUCTURED COMPOSITION OF FINE TEXTURE AND RICH DENSITY, IT DELIGHTS WITH ELEGANCE AND PURITY NOW, AND IS ALSO BUILT TO AGE.”

- WINEMAKER PETER HEITZ

## OUR STORY

Turnbull has been rooted in the culture and history of the Napa Valley, making wine of exceptional quality since 1979. Operating our small, family business from the original estate winery in Oakville, we pay tribute to our heritage while rooted in the present. It starts with our estate-grown fruit, which we carefully tend to from the ground up through to the winery. Turnbull wines are crafted with integrity and without compromise. Our signature is a balanced wine of structure and depth, with an intensity of fruit and polished, elegant texture.

## THE PROCESS

Sourced from our acclaimed Fortuna and Leopoldina Vineyards. Here, red volcanic soils on the eastern bedrock and alluvial soils of the world famous Oakville appellation provide for stunning fruit purity. The soil type in each of our vineyards contributes its individual character to our final estate blend. Hand picked, and crafted using age old traditional techniques; we elevated this wine in French oak barrels for 20 months, before Estate bottling this gem.

## THE RESULTS

This wine is remarkably refined and elegant, with an expansive bouquet and splendid perfume. Notes of red cherry fruit and cassis throughout. Add to that a focused, super fine-grained tannin for a harmonious and complete wine that shows great poised and presence.

## VINTAGE NOTES

In 2013 we experienced pretty ideal growing conditions for our four estate vineyards. It was a vintage that allowed us the opportunity to make the right decisions for harvesting at the right times, for peak maturity and flavor development. The Eastern edge, Westward exposure of our Oakville properties gave us fruit with an optimal combination of purity and ripeness for very juicy fruit backed with delicate, fine-textured tannins. It's one of those rare years where the wines express both width (by that, we mean power) and focus; both purity and depth.

## APPELLATION

Oakville, Napa Valley

## ALCOHOL

14.5% by volume

## VINEYARD SOURCING

57% Fortuna Vineyard  
43% Leopoldina Vineyard

## VARIETAL BREAKDOWN

83% Cabernet Sauvignon  
12% Cabernet Franc  
3% Petit Verdot  
1% Merlot  
1% Malbec

95 POINTS - THE WINE ADVOCATE, ROBERT PARKER

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