



2012 METISSE
JUMPING GOAT VINEYARD
NAPA VALLEY

With the 2012 harvest being nothing short of spectacular, the resultant Jumping Goat is clearly the most robust wine we've produced from this river bench vineyard. The aromatics exhibit dark fruit with cassis and black cherry, crushed rocks, anise along with hints of sweet oak. This well-structured wine expresses the vineyard marvelously with more overall minerality and great acidity. The length and finesse that show through the finish are a clear example of how a superbly crafted wine can demonstrate dark fruit expression, structure, brightness and still retain its elegance.

62% CABERNET SAUVIGNON, 27% MERLOT AND 11% PETIT VERDOT
100% NAPA VALLEY

Production: 400 cases

Bottling: July, 2014

Ageing: 20 months in French oak barrels, 80% new

Release: March 17, 2015

Maturity: 10-15 years

Suggested Retail: \$165.00

"This is a classic Philippe Melka wine built on texture. Effortless, seamless and flat-out delicious, the 2012 hits all the right notes."

– Antonio Galloni, Vinous

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