

CORLEY FAMILY NAPA VALLEY



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RESERVE

Pinot Noir

OAK KNOLL DISTRICT OF NAPA VALLEY

VINTAGE 2011

TASTING NOTES

Winemaker, Chris Corley

The glass bursts with aromas of cherries and cranberries mixed with secondary aromas of cola, curry and cinnamon. The oak interlaces a pleasing resemblance of vanilla and cedar plank on a barbeque. On the palate, the attack is full yet rich, a golden hand in a velvet glove with a finish that just keeps going. This wine will benefit from gentle decanting in its youth and will age gracefully for 8-10 years. Drink Now through 2023.

VINEYARDS, VINTAGE AND VINIFICATION

Vintage 2011 was a fantastic year for Pinot Noir on our Home Ranch. The grapes expressed ripe fruit characteristics yet with low brix levels resulting in lower alcohols. Blending our clones result in the best expression of Pinot Noir from our ranch. This wine was aged in oak barrels for 22 months prior to bottling. Alcohol 14.1%

100% Pinot Noir

PRODUCTION

200 Cases 750mL



Small Winery, Big Reputation

The allure of winegrowing led Jay Corley to Napa Valley in 1969 to purchase land for our first vineyard. Today, we farm five Napa Valley vineyards in the Oak Knoll, Yountville, Rutherford and St. Helena appellations within Napa Valley.

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