



ARDORE
2005
NAPA VALLEY

MARK HEROLD (WINE MAKER) REALLY RAISED THE BAR WHEN HE MADE THIS 100% CABERNET SAUVIGNON. ARDORE EXPLODES ON THE PALATE LAYERED WITH SWEET CASSIS AND LIQUORICE, RICH AND POLISHED WITH A COMPLEX MIX OF SPICY OAK, RIPE CURRANT, BLACK CHERRY AND BLACKBERRY AND TOUCHES OF HERB, CEDAR AND NUTMEG, VEERING INTO EARTHINESS. SPICY ACIDITY AND HINTS OF DECADENT CHOCOLATES NOTE ON THE MID AND BACK PALATE. EXULTANTLY SAVORY WITH A HUGE, MINUTE AND A HALF PLUS FINISH.