

Rockpile AVA Cabernet Sauvignon



2011

Gloeckner-Turner Rockpile AVA

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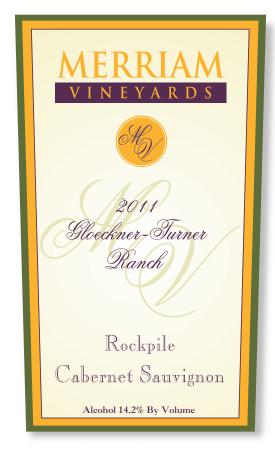
Gloeckner-Turner Vineyard

The Gloeckner-Turner vineyard is located at 1,300 feet, high above Lake Sonoma. Wine makers consider this Rockpile AVA to be the perfect area for growing sturdy reds, and is in high demand as there are only a dozen growers in this region.

The combination of elevation requirements, extreme terrain and a unique climate, results in clusters with small berries and more intense fruit. Aged 24 months in French oak barrels. Unfiltered and unfined. 215 cases produced. Enjoy!!!

Tasting Notes

Dark, rich purple hues with bright edges. Tight red berry fruit, dark bing cherry, light vanilla tunes, and a hint of floral violets. Rich round mouth feel, red cherries and semi sweet chocolate. Bright acid and firm young tannins with a long lingering finish. Drinks well now, but will pay dividends with patience. Enjoy!





Varietal Composition:

100% Cabernet Sauvignon

Appellation: Rockpile

Alcohol: 14.2%

pH: 3.80

TA: 6.4

Brix (at harvest): 25.5°

Barrel Program: Aged 24 months

100% French Oak

55% New

Production: 215 cases

