

2014 CALERA MT. HARLAN PINOT NOIR *DE VILLIERS VINEYARD*

“...one of the most compelling Pinot Noir specialists of not only the New World, but of Planet Earth.” - Robert Parker



Composition: 100% Pinot Noir	Market Trends/Opportunity: Pinot Noir luxury category is +21% vs. PY.
Winemaker: Mike Waller	Availability: Limited
Appellation: Mt. Harlan San Benito County	SRP: \$52
Winemaking & Sourcing: Planted in 1997, and located at an elevation of 2,200 feet, De Villier Vineyard is 15.6-acres. Vintage after vintage, this organically certified vineyard produces a vibrant and juicy expression of Pinot Noir with a lush and supple mouthfeel. The wine was aged without racking in 30% new French oak, for 20 months.	Tasting Notes: Intensely wrapped blackberry, briar, caraway and crème de cassis jump from this 2014 de Villiers vineyard Pinot Noir. Beautiful mouth-filling rich dark fruit flavors complement the broad, deep, taut, tart structure. This wine is complex, tight and nervy with a large personality and lots of flavor.
Key Accolades: v13 94 Pts., <i>Robert Parker</i> . v13 92 Pts., <i>Wine Enthusiast</i> . v13 91 Pts., <i>Wine Spectator</i> . v12 95 Pts., <i>Robert Parker</i> . v12 93 Pts., <i>Wine Enthusiast</i> . v12 91 Pts., <i>Wine Spectator</i> .	Recommended Pairings: Duck Breast with Pomegranate Glaze, Fennel-Garlic Pork Roast, Smoky Glazed Ham, Stir-Fried Five-Spice Pork Lettuce Cups
UPC: 745067070046 SCC/Case Code: 40745067070044 TTB Approval: 11201-001-000174	Marquee Accounts: TBD
Alcohol: 14.2%	Formats Available: 750ml