

2015 CALERA MT. HARLAN PINOT NOIR *JENSEN 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: \$90
Winemaking & Sourcing: Planted in 1975, Jensen Vineyard features some of the oldest Pinot Noir vines on the Central Coast. With average yields of less than 1.5 tons per acre, this celebrated winegrowing site produces a complex and impeccably balanced expression of Pinot Noir that is famed for its uncommon age-worthiness. The wine was aged in 100% French oak, 30% new oak, 10% second vintage and 60% neutral oak for 17 months	Tasting Notes: This gorgeous Pinot Noir effortlessly straddles the line between power and elegance, displaying silky, harmonious tannins and remarkable concentration and complexity. Layers of cherry, cola, violets, vanilla and fresh-cracked pepper linger long on the palate, supported by subtle oak and an elegant framework of acidity, which adds poise and definition to a long, complex finish.
Key Accolades: v14 93 Pts., <i>Wine Enthusiast</i> . v13 96 Pts., <i>Wine Enthusiast</i> . v13 95 Pts., <i>Robert Parker</i> . v13 93 Pts., <i>Wine Spectator</i> . v12 96 Pts., <i>Robert Parker</i> .	Recommended Pairings: Duck Breast with Pomegranate Glaze, Fennel-Garlic Pork Roast, Smoky Glazed Ham, Stir-Fried Five-Spice Pork Lettuce Cups
UPC: 745067000043 SCC/Case Code: 40745067000041 TTB Approval: 18012-001-000941	Marquee Accounts: TBD
Alcohol: 13.8%	Formats Available: 750ml