

# Dakota Shy

## 2012 Dakota Shy 'Napa Valley' Cabernet Sauvignon

The 2012 Napa Valley Cabernet is a masterful blend of Cabernet from five exceptional vineyards. The wine shows the hallmark power, finesse and concentration of fruit which we expect from this exceptional vintage. The 2012 vintage is one you will hear of for many years to come. Parallels to the great years of 1997 and 2007 will ring throughout the valley. We believe it's the artistic expression of each year that make the wines special in their own right; but there is no denying that the 2012 vintage is special.

*"Violet and lavender perfumes entice immediately on the nose. A sensuous texture methodically envelopes the entire palette. Plush explosions of blackberry, dark chocolate, mocha and cherry flavors dominate immediately followed by harmonious layers of cocoa, cedar-spiced tobacco and crushed cherry blossoms. The finish is stunning; hints of liquid-silk tannins wrap around the long sophisticated finish."*

-Tom Garrett, Winemaker

