



2012 Outpost True Vineyard Immigrant Red Blend

<i>Release Date</i>	January 21 st , 2014
<i>Appellation</i>	Howell Mountain
<i>Winemaker</i>	Thomas Rivers Brown
<i>Varietal composition</i>	39% Cabernet Sauvignon, 33% Cabernet Franc, 28% Merlot
<i>Production</i>	175 Cases
<i>Cooperage</i>	60% new French oak

Winemaker Tasting Notes

From Robert Parker "The Wine Advocate"

The 2012 True Vineyard Immigrant, a blend of 39% Cabernet Sauvignon, 33% Cabernet Franc, and 28% Merlot aged 20 months in two-thirds new French oak, offers notes of forest floor, mulberries, black cherries, blackcurrants and unsmoked cigar tobacco. With sweet tannin, and a deep, broad, savory, medium to full-bodied style, this pure, sexy red can be enjoyed over the next 5-8 years.

This is a fabulous source of terrific wines from owners Kathy and Frank Dotzler and their multi-talented winemaker, Thomas Rivers Brown. Not only are the wines outstanding, but their pricing policy is among the less ego-driven in Napa Valley. That is to be applauded.