

Wine	Score
2015 Tor Kenward Family Wines Cabernet Sauvignon Black Magic	
A selection of the best barrels, the 2015 Cabernet Sauvignon Black Magic is indeed magical stuff. Tasting like the blood of Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon, it offers extraordinary notes of blackcurrants, blueberries, tobacco leaf, scorched earth, chocolate and graphite that develop and change in the glass. It's not jammy and has true Cabernet character. With full-bodied richness, impeccable balance, integrated acidity and a pure, focused, classic style, give bottles 7-8 years of bottle age and it's going to keep for three decades. Bravo!	99
2015 TOR Cabernet Sauvignon Oakville Hillside	
The 2015 Cabernet Sauvignon Oakville Hillside is a tour de force! Coming from a site just below Dalla Valle and blended with 5% Cabernet Franc, its deep purple color is followed by a deep, sensational bouquet of blackcurrants, black cherries, scorched earth, flowers, and loads of rock minerality. Possessing full-bodied richness, impeccable balance, and plenty of depth, it's the purity, nuance, and elegance that set this beauty apart. With building tannin, integrated acidity and big finish, give it 4-5 years of bottle age and it's going to cruise in the cellar for 20+ years.	98
2015 Tor Kenward Family Wines Oakville Proprietary Red	
A blend of 44% Cabernet Franc, 44% Petit Verdot, and the rest Cabernet Sauvignon that's from two sites in Oakville, the 2015 Oakville Proprietary Red boasts a deep ruby/purple color as well as locked and loaded notes of black raspberries, blackcurrants, toasty oak, white flowers, underbrush, and incense. This incredibly concentrated, deep, unctuous, and seamlessly textured 2015 has moderate acidity, ripe, sweet tannin, fabulous purity of fruit, and a huge finish. It will be better with short-term cellaring and keep for two decades.	98
2015 Tor Kenward Family Wines Cabernet Sauvignon Beckstoffer To Kalon	
The 2015 Cabernet Sauvignon Beckstoffer To Kalon is another incredible 2015 that shows the richness, depth, and opulence of the vintage. It's loaded with notions of blackberry liqueur, crème de cassis, licorice, spice-box, incense and flowers. Super concentrated, opulent and unctuous, yet never heavy, over the top, or cumbersome, it has a terrific sense of purity as well as solid underlying structure. Give bottles 3-4 years and it should keep for 2-3 decades.	97
2015 TOR Chardonnay Reserve Cuvée Susan	
There's four barrels of the 2015 Chardonnay Reserve Cuvée Susan and it's a selection of the top barrels in the vintage. It's a serious Chardonnay that has real depth and concentration, as well as classic notes of buttered stone fruits, toasted nuts, brioche, and white flowers. With vibrant acidity and a great finish, it a beauty that will keep for 10-15 years.	96

Wine**Score****2015 TOR Chardonnay Torchiana, Beresini Vineyard**

The 2015 Chardonnay Torchiana is brilliant, and every bit as good as the Cuvee Susan. With a bright yellow color and vibrant notes of buttered citrus, toasted bread, honeysuckle and liquid minerality, it's medium to full-bodied, chiseled, concentrated, and seriously impressive. It's a blockbuster Chardonnay to drink over the coming decade or more.

96**2015 TOR Cabernet Sauvignon Melanson Vineyard**

From the rocky soils high up on Pritchard Hill, the 2015 Cabernet Sauvignon Melanson Vineyard is another sensational, singular wine from this estate. With a deep purple color and heavenly notes of plums, mulberries, blueberries, exotic flowers, graphite, and dark chocolate, it flows onto the palate with full-bodied richness, a deep, concentrated mid-palate, sweet, moderate tannin, and a great finish. It's one of the most singular Cabernets in the lineup, and will keep for 20+ years.

96**2015 TOR Petite Sirah Palisades Vineyard Old Vine**

The 2015 Petite Sirah Palisades Vineyard Old Vine is a big, rich (I wouldn't argue if you called it massive), yet pure and polished expression of the variety that does everything right. Blackcurrants, blackberries, charcoal and crushed rock notes all give way to a full-bodied, beautifully concentrated, rich, powerful, seamless red that has velvety tannin and a great finish. It will keep for 15+ years.

94**2015 TOR Cabernet Sauvignon Herb Lamb Vineyard**

There's nine barrels of the 2015 Cabernet Sauvignon Herb Lamb Vineyard and it comes from a cool, northeast facing site at the bottom of Howell Mountain. It sports a deep purple color as well as a complex bouquet of plums and blackcurrants as well as loads of spice, incense, violets, and tobacco. It's a rich, full-bodied, nicely concentrated 2015 and has sweet tannin, a full, layered mid-palate and plenty of length, and it's already drinking nicely today, albeit benefits from a decade. It should keep nicely for 15-20 years.

94**2015 TOR Cabernet Sauvignon Tierra Roja Vineyard**

The 2015 Cabernet Sauvignon Tierra Roja is one of the more forward, plush, soft Cabernets in the lineup. It boasts a deep purple color as well as loads of plum and blueberry fruit, supple, soft tannin, a sumptuous texture, and no hard edges. Like all these 2015 from Tor, it stays light and graceful on the palate and is a joy to drink.

94**2015 TOR Cabernet Sauvignon Napa Valley**

There's 14 barrels of the 2015 Cabernet Sauvignon Napa Valley and it's a perfect introduction to the style of the vintage. Blueberry, blackberry jam, incense, and Asian spice notes all emerge from this plump, full-bodied, sexy 2015 that has sweet tannin and loads of character. Drink it anytime over the coming 15 years.

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