

# CAMBRIDGE & Sunset



## California

### 2014 MERLOT

*The Cambridge story begins with our founders, Bruce and Kim Cunningham who named the brand for their home, their heart, on Cambridge Street in their early years in California. The corner of Cambridge and Sunset is the cross roads to a new beginning and a new entrepreneurial ambition. Cambridge & Sunset wines are varietal-focused selections at a great value.*

#### REGION

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Grapes for this Merlot were selected from among the best coastal growing regions in California's Sacramento River Delta Region. In these areas, warm sunny days provide optimum grape ripening, while Pacific Ocean fog creates cool nights and maintains the acidity in the grapes.

#### WINEMAKING/VITICULTURE:

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The 2014 harvest is known to be the earliest and third in a string of great vintages this decade. Significant rain in late February and early March relieved most of the stress and set up the vines for a vigorous start. Careful selection of each parcel of Merlot followed by traditional winemaking techniques and oak maturation give this wine its unique balance of flavors.

#### TASTING NOTES:

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On the nose, aromas of black tea, strawberry, and plum blend with a hint of vanilla. A lush palate with notes of strawberry, sweet raspberry, and fig give way to dark chocolate and coffee on the finish.

FOOD PAIRNG: Sicilian pizza topped with fennel sausage

VINTAGE: 2014

ALCOHOL: 13.2% by vol.

TOTAL ACIDITY: 5.2 g/L

PH LEVEL: 3.56

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