



ABOUT TESS

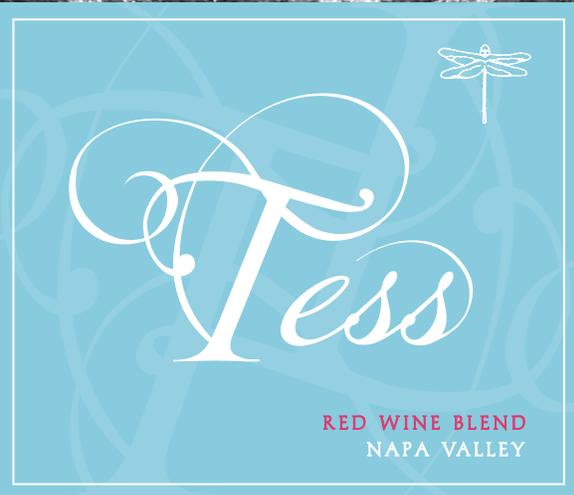
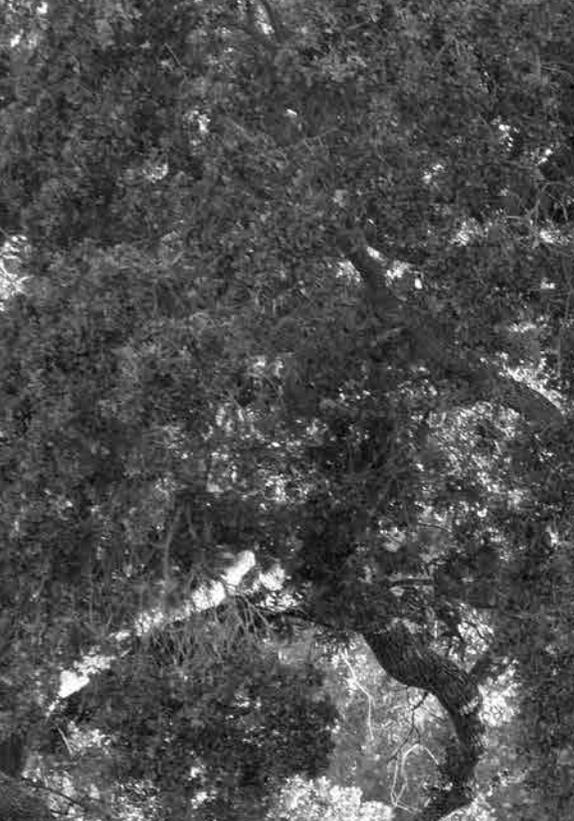
Tess means harvest and we chose this name for our winery because it invokes our earliest memories of farming grapes and making wine as a family. Tess is also the realization of our family's dream to unite two parcels of vineyards and to create a wine from meticulously farmed grapes grown on our home estate in the Napa Valley.

OUR STORY

We are sisters and second-generation Napa Valley natives. In 2012 we founded Tess, a winery dedicated to and focused on producing one exceptional wine from estate vineyards in the northeastern wilds of Napa Valley. As kids, our parents let us experiment with blending wine at the kitchen table. Now 25 years later we're still experimenting with fresh and unexpected blends—and Tess is still the wine that we like to enjoy when relaxing, laughing, talking and working together.

TASTING NOTES

At Tess we ascribe to the belief that winemaking excellence is less about technique or numbers and more about preserving the essential taste of the vineyard. We also think that exceptional wines are crafted when we spend as much time as possible in the vineyards. Tess is a delightful, refreshing wine that showcases the bright fruit of strawberry, raspberry and watermelon. A lovely aromatic nose displays pomegranate, cranberry and orange peel with light floral notes and hints of spice. This wine is surprisingly rich with soft tannins and balanced with bright acidity. *Serve Tess chilled to 45°!*



<i>Appellation</i> Napa Valley		
<i>Composition</i> Cabernet Sauvignon; Merlot; Zinfandel; Cabernet Franc; Sauvignon Blanc; Chardonnay; Petit Verdot		
<i>Cooperage</i> 20% Neutral French Oak		
<i>Barrel Aging</i> 10 months	<i>Alcohol</i> 13.9%	<i>pH</i> 3.63
<i>TA</i> 5.9 g/L	<i>RS</i> 11.7 g/L	<i>SRP</i> \$20
<i>Serving Temperature</i> 45°		
<i>Bottling Date</i> July, 2013	<i>Release Date</i> February, 2014	
<i>Awards</i> Gold Medal, SF Chronicle Wine Competition, 2014		
Gold Medal, Houston Rodeo Wine Competition, 2014		
Gold Medal, CA State Fair Commercial Wine Competition, 2014		