## THE CALLING - GOLD SERIES Difference









### Origin

California

#### **Appellations**

Alexander Valley Russian River Valley Monterey County Sonoma Coast

#### **Year Founded**

2011

#### Winemakers

James MacPhail Wayne Donaldson

#### **With Deutsch Family**

Since inception (2011)

# **Sustainable Agriculture Practiced** Yes

#### **Tagline**

Sonoma Is Calling

#### Website

thecallingwines.com





## **The Calling Facts**

- The Calling is a joint venture between Deutsch Family Wine & Spirits CEO Peter Deutsch and Sports Commentator Jim Nantz.
- Choosing to work exclusively with the grape varieties that thrive best in the cool maritime climate of Sonoma County, we created a selection of twelve different wines in two tiers.
  - The Gold Tier consists of a Russian River Valley Chardonnay, a Sonoma Coast Chardonnay, a Monterey County Pinot Noir, a Pinot Noir from the Russian River Valley and an Alexander Valley Cabernet Sauvignon.
- The Calling's Chardonnays are 100% French oak barrel fermented. Grapes are
  hand picked and hand sorted before undergoing full maloactic fermentation
  using native yeasts and are aged sur lie with frequent stirring of the fine lees,
  imparting additional flavor and complexity.
- The Calling's Pinot Noirs are small lot fermented. Grapes are hand picked and hand sorted before undergoing a five day pre-fermentation cold soak to maximize flavor and color extraction. Each of The Calling's Pinot Noirs is aged exclusively in French oak.
- The Calling Cabernet Sauvignon and Our Tribute are both wild yeast fermented, and after extended macerations malolactic fermentation is allowed to take place in barrel. A combination of French, Eastern European, and American oak barrels are used in the production of these two wines.
- With a combined 40+ vintages crafting world-class Sonoma wines, winemaker James MacPhail is involved with every aspect of winemaking for The Calling's Chardonnays and Pinot Noirs.
- A leader in the international wine industry for over 27 years, Wayne Donaldson brings a track record of success to The Calling and meticulously handcrafts the Cabernet Sauvignon wines.
- Today, we celebrate over 55+ 90+ scores awarded to The Calling wines.



Sonoma Coast Chardonnay Sonoma Coast



Dutton Ranch Chardonnay Russian River Valley



Russian River Valley Pinot Noir **Russian River Valley** 



Alexander Valley
Cabernet Sauvignon
Alexander Valley



Monterey County Pinot Noir **Monterey County** On Premise Only











