

**1998 Dyer Vineyard Diamond Mountain District
Cabernet Sauvignon**

Vineyard: Dyer Vineyard

Surface Area: 2.2 acres

Appellation: Diamond Mountain District
Napa Valley, CA

Blend: 78% Cabernet Sauvignon
12% Cabernet Franc
5% Merlot
5% Petite Verdot

Harvest: October 18, 1998

Winemaking: Harvested as a field blend
and fermented with native yeast. Total maceration time
- 15 days. Pressed directly
to French oak barrels. Racked quarterly.
Bottled without fining or filtering.

pH: 3.75

Total Acidity: 6.11g/l

Alcohol: 13.35%

Bottling: August 14, 2000

Total Production: 150 cases

Release: April 2002

Winemakers: Bill and Dawnine Dyer

Tasting Notes: Aromas of chocolate and black
currents with overtones of cedar and licorice.
Balance and tannins are firm with a fresh flavor
profile that lingers on the palate. This wine is hitting
it's stride and will age beautiful. Should be decanted.