

The Juice

FRIENDS OF BELLA

ERIN EDWARDS When I became Bella's hospitality manager in 2017, I fell in love with Lily Hill. There is an inclusive, intimate vibe to Bella, where the goal is to make people happy, to teach them about the land we love, and to share our wines. This is why I love it when people book our Ultimate Tour. The Ultimate Tour is a big name to live up to—and ours does. It starts off by our cave, where guests are greeted with a taste of our beautiful Sauvignon Blanc, before we gather into our vintage all-terrain truck for an unforgettable trip up the vine-covered slopes of Lily Hill. Once atop, guests disembark for a "tasting in the clouds," where we explore some of our most sought-after wines, while savoring breathtaking 360-degree views of Dry Creek Valley. It's the view that first inspired Lynn and Scott to acquire Lily Hill, and when you see it, you'll know why!

The Ultimate Tour is our premiere experience, and a fantastic way to learn more about Bella as you touch the vines, taste the wines, and breathe in the sweet air. It's also a tour that speaks to our passion for the land, and the magic of this remarkable place. To experience this amazing tour for yourself, give us a call.

Until then, we are happy to enclose several exciting wines, including our September add-on, the delicious **2014 Maple Vineyard zinfandel**—a supple and velvety wine, with lush flavors of black cherry, licorice and plum. We are also happy to share our **2015 Sonoma County petite sirah**, a gorgeous inky-purple petite with layers of huckleberry, campfire smoke and savory spice. Also from the exceptional 2015 vintage, we have the wonderfully aromatic **2015 Belle Canyon zinfandel** with its lovely layers of blueberry, Bing cherry and lavender, and our Rocky Ridge zinfandel, a voluptuous expression of Rockpile zin with lush notes of cherry compote, plum and figs—a perfect wine for the cool autumn nights ahead!



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