



# HIGHWAY 12

VINEYARDS AND WINERY



## Friendly owned winery

In 2004 long-time friends Paul Giusto and Michael Sebastiani joined forces to create their own wine company called Generations of Sonoma.



## Stewards of the Wine Highway

Paul and Michael have dedicated themselves as stewards of the rich tradition and quality of the growing regions along Highway 12.



## Iconic vineyards at the core

Our wines are crafted from California's most iconic vineyards adjacent to Highway 12, California's wine highway.



## Sonoma Valley lifestyle

We pride ourselves in our non-pretentious approach about wine's role in everyday life. "Clean Jeans" are the attire for those special events where other brands prefer a suit and tie.

## Highway 12 Pinot Noir Rosé



Highway 12 Pinot Noir Rosé is produced from fruit grown on vineyards adjacent to Highway 12 in California's North Coast region in Solano County. This wine delivers bright acidity and soft yet subtle characteristics of strawberry, watermelon and a touch of wet riverstone with a bright, crisp, dry finish.

**Appellation:** North Coast

**Varietal:** 100% Pinot Noir

**Aging:** Stainless steel

**Alc:** 13.5%

**PH:** 3.38

**TA:** 6.3 g/l

## Highway 12 Sauvignon Blanc



Our Sauvignon Blanc is a true expression of the quality fruit grown by our long time partners at the MacLeod Vineyard near Kenwood in the Sonoma Valley. The result is a wine that exhibits vibrant tropical citrus flavors of Meyer lemon, guava and pineapple with a shiny bright finish.

**Appellation:** Sonoma County

**Varietal:** 100% Sauvignon Blanc

**Alc:** 13.9%

**Aging:** 4 months in stainless steel

**PH:** 3.48

**TA:** 5.3 g/l

## Highway 12 Chardonnay



Sourced from the La Prenda vineyard located adjacent to Highway 12 just south of Clarksburg, our Chardonnay offers floral highlights with light citrus and stone fruit aromas. Flavors of crisp Asian pear, stone fruit and floral notes are balanced with light hints of toasted oak.

**Appellation:** California

**Varietal:** 100% Chardonnay

**Aging:** 6 months barrel aging

**Alc:** 13.5%

**PH:** 3.61

**TA:** 5.3 g/l

## Highway 12 Pinot Noir



Sourced from the same vineyard as our Chardonnay just south of Clarksburg, our Pinot Noir is a true reflection of the quality of Pinot grown in this region. Think Bing cherry compote with allspice meets cranberry relish with subtle green tea leaf on the bright, rich finish.

**Appellation:** California

**Varietal:** 100% Pinot Noir

**Alc:** 13.5%

**Aging:** 10 months barrel aging

**PH:** 3.87

**TA:** 5.4 g/l

## Highway 12 Sonoma Red Blend



Sourced from the warmest area of Sonoma Valley that is locally called "The banana belt" this Merlot based Red Blend is a true expression of the powerfully elegant wines crafted in Sonoma County. Hefty bright notes of ripe plum, currant jelly and a tinge of sweet tobacco fill your senses with the first sip.

**Appellation:** Sonoma County

**Varietal:** Merlot, Syrah, Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc, Petite Verdot, and Malbec

**Alc:**

**Aging:** 15 months barrel aging

**PH:** 3.72

**TA:** 6.6 g/l

## Highway 12 Cabernet Sauvignon



Crafted from vineyards adjacent to Highway 12 from Sonoma Valley to Lodi our Cabernet Sauvignon showcases when depth, strength and elegance meet. This wine is beautifully balanced with rich dark blackberry and cherry fruit flavors with light cedary overtones on the long rich and smooth finish.

**Appellation:** California

**Alc:** 13.9%

**Varietal:** 75% Cabernet Sauvignon, 25% Merlot

**Aging:** 16 months barrel aging

**PH:** 3.36

**TA:** 5.9 g/l

## Highway 12 Merlot



Definitely not your mom's soft Merlot from the 80's. Crafted from fruit grown on the Serres Vineyard in Sonoma Valley, this big and juicy Merlot is loaded with rich flavors of blueberry pie, bittersweet chocolate with hints of cedar on the long lush finish.

**Appellation:** Sonoma County

**Varietal:** 100% Merlot

**Alc:** 13.9%

**Aging:** 14 months barrel aging

**PH:** 3.68

**TA:** 5.69 g/l

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Long time friends Michael Sebastiani and Paul Giusto

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## Our Vineyard Partners



**Serres Ranch Sonoma Valley**

Serres Ranch was established in 1924 in Sonoma, CA. The ranch is nestled in the Valley of the Moon, where surrounding mountains narrow down to the smallest part of the valley, creating its own unique micro climate suitable for growing world class red wines.

**Wines produced from this vineyard:**

Highway 12 Sonoma Red Blend  
Highway 12 Merlot  
Highway 12 Cabernet Sauvignon  
Highwayman Trailblazer  
Highwayman Proprietary Red



**Sangiaco Kiser Vineyard  
Sonoma/Carneros**

With 170 planted acres, Kiser is one of the largest of the Sangiacomos' vineyards. It was the first existing vineyard purchased by the Sangiacomo family and played a key role during the critical expansion of their grape growing business in the 1980s. First planted in 1974, Kiser is set on a rolling slope, with Zamora and Huichica soils. Both Rodgers and Fowler Creeks run through the vineyard. There are more than twenty combinations of clone and rootstocks

**Wines Produced from this vineyard:**

Carneros Highway Chardonnay



**Sangiaco Vella Vineyard  
Sonoma/Carneros**

Planted in 1997, Vella Vineyard is one of the Sangiacomo's biggest vineyards and was the first of their vineyards to be planted with newer French clones and rootstocks. Soils are Zamora silty loam and Wright loam. The vineyard is planted with fifteen combinations of clones and rootstock.

We also source Chardonnay from the Sangiacomo's Green Acres and Home Ranch Vineyards

**Wines Produced from this vineyard:**

Carneros Highway Pinot Noir  
Carneros Highway Chardonnay



**MacLeod Family Vineyard  
Kenwood, Sonoma Valley**

Our vineyard partner for our Sauvignon blanc program is the MacLeod Family and their vineyard located by the town of Kenwood in Sonoma Valley. This vineyard produces Sauvignon Blanc that has intense fruit forward qualities and is blended in with delicate cooler climate grapes from Southern Sonoma Valley.

**Wines produced from this vineyard:**

Highway 12 Sauvignon Blanc



**La Prenda Vineyard  
Clarksburg**

Our vineyard partners, local Sonoma boys Ned Hill and Matt Stornetta of La Prenda Vineyards Management came to us with a new vineyard they developed in the cool Delta-Clarksburg region. This vineyard South of Clarksburg is the perfect location to grow bright crisp Chardonnay

**Wines produced from this vineyard:**

Highway 12 Chardonnay  
Highway 12 Pinot Noir