

# TURLEY

## 2016 Turley "Mead Ranch," Zinfandel, Atlas Peak

Mead Ranch is planted at about 1600 feet on Atlas Peak, on the south-eastern side of Napa Valley. The vineyard was originally planted in the 1880s, though our block is primarily from the 1970s. This vineyard is head-trained, planted in red volcanic soil. On a clear day you can see San Francisco; though those are few and far between, and thus this vineyard sees plenty of fog from the bay.

*With wild, uplifted aromatics that bound out of the glass, simply smelling the Mead Ranch is enough to improve even the most disheartening of days. Floral red fruits, rosewater, brambly blackberries, and a healthy dose of peppers & spices flood the senses. Bolstered by the constant fog & winds found in this vineyard, the well-integrated mountain tannins are balanced by a lovely high-toned edginess that extends out on the finish. Enjoyable now with a quick decanting!*



Mead Ranch Vineyard, Atlas Peak, Napa