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*Donati*

**Donati Family Vineyard  
2012 Merlot**

**Winemaking**

100% Stainless Steel Fermented  
Twice daily punch-downs and pump overs

**Aging**

100% Barrel Aged; 19 months  
31% New French Oak, 3% New American Oak

**Tasting Notes**

Aroma: Aromas of dark cherry with hints of cocoa  
Palate: Dark fruit notes with a lush midpalate and soft tannin finish

**Bottling Notes**

Blend: 86% Merlot  
8% Cabernet Franc  
3% Malbec  
3% Petit Verdot

Appellation: Paicines

Bottling Date: 5/7/14

Alcohol: 13.8% ABV

Cases Produced: 1562 (12x750ml)

**Accolades**

90 Points

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