



# CALERA 2000 PINOT NOIR

## Mills Vineyard

### 91 Points

### WINE ENTHUSIAST

My preference over Calera's Selleck. It's more typical and not as eccentric, with lush cherry, coffee, cocoa and spice flavors balanced with vital acidity. Turns astringently tannic in the finish, but this is a classically structured Pinot that should mature. Drink now through 2008.

-- Steve Heimoff  
*Wine Enthusiast, December 15, 2004*

### 90 Points



The least expensive of the Calera trio reviewed in this issue but our clear favorite among them, it is wonderfully endowed with deep and convincingly succulent smells of ripe red cherries and sweet oak...

It is full of character and is destined to improve in the cellar with three to five years.

--Connoisseurs' Guide to California Wine, October 2004

### 90+ Points

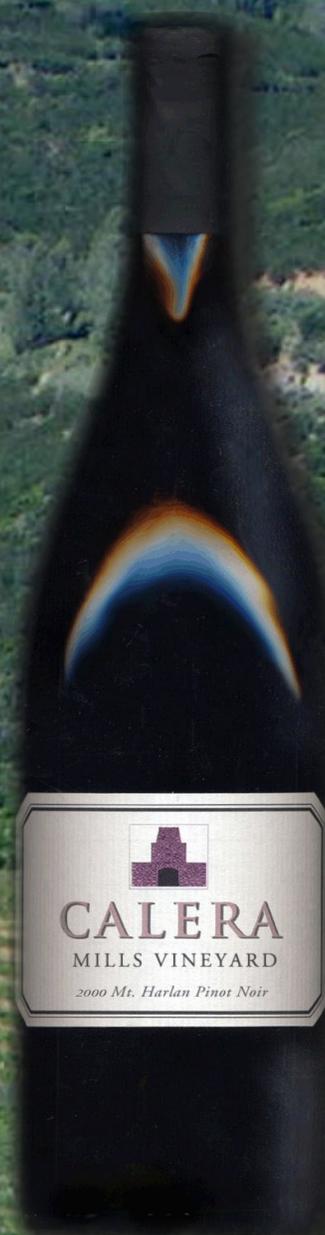
### RobertParker.com

Low Yields of 1.1 tons of fruit per acre resulted in a medium ruby-colored Pinot offering a big, sweet nose of strawberries, cherries, spice box, and cloves.

Medium to full-bodied, with moderate tannin, this pure, earthy, concentrated effort needs another 1-2 years of cellaring.

It should drink well for 10 - 15 years.

-- Robert M. Parker, Jr.  
*RobertParker.com, November 2003*



Mt. Harlan AVA  
Established 1990  
2200 feet elevation