

Donelan

DONELAN FAMILY WINES

“The common thread is incredibly high quality and beautifully made wines. These need to be on any wine lover’s radar.”
~Jeb Dunnuck, *The Rhone Report*



Tripp, Joe and Cushing Donelan

OUR STORY

We are a small, boutique winery founded in 2009, with a focus on Rhone and Burgundian varietals that come from dynamic cooler climate vineyard sites throughout Sonoma County. We have elected to prize quality over all other factors. Simply put, we think wine should taste great.

WINE

Our family believes that everyone deserves to experience a great bottle of wine, whether you’re an enthusiast with an extensive cellar collection, food and wine lover seeking out unforgettable epicurean delights, or entirely new to the world of wine. Fueling the efforts of every member of our team is a genuine desire to guide others on their discovery of great wine.



Current release wines

PHILOSOPHY

We are pursuing the philosophy that the best wines come from unique sites, and to produce inimitable wines, one must understand what it is that creates the unique, governing characters we enjoy imbibing. We are not interested in making the average of any single vineyard—even if it’s very good—we want to parse out and discover only the best of every place.



Obsidian Estate Vineyard, Knights Valley

*“...exceptionally elegant portfolio
...Syrah flirting with perfection.”*
~Robert Parker, *The Wine Advocate*

*“...all excellent to outstanding
wines that merit serious attention.”*
~Antonio Galloni, *Vinous*