



Galil Mountain
Winery

GALIL MOUNTAIN WINERY

Yiron

ABOUT GALIL MOUNTAIN

Located in a breathtaking spot atop the Upper Galilee mountain range, the innovatively designed Galil Mountain Winery is committed to revitalizing the region's rich history of winemaking. Galil Mountain was established as a joint venture in 2000 between world-renowned Golan Heights Winery and Kibbutz Yiron.

Galil Mountain cultivates six vineyards with varying topography and climate conditions that all contribute to high-quality winemaking. Planted at elevations up to 2,800 feet, the vines enjoy warm summer days and cool nights, and snow and frost in winter. Soils vary from limestone to flint, terra rossa and basalt. Like Golan Heights Winery, the vineyards of Galil Mountain Winery were among the first to receive accredited sustainable certification under the rigorous and renowned LODI RULES program.

THE WINE

Galil Mountain's flagship wine, Yiron, is a blend of Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Syrah and Cabernet Franc that showcases the special character of Upper Galilee. Complex fruit aromas of berries, cherries and plum jam mingle with vanilla, clove and toasted oak unique to this singular blend. Aged for 16 months in French oak barrels, this well-balanced, full-bodied wine has a long, lingering finish. Pair with grilled steak, roasted venison or beef pot roast.

ACCOLADES

Beverage Tasting Institute **93 pts, Gold Medal (2018)** | Wine Enthusiast **92 pts, Editor's Choice (2016)** | Wine Enthusiast **91 pts, (2017, 2014, 2013)** | Wine Spectator **91 pts (2020)** | Sommeliers Choice Awards **87 pts, Silver Medal (2017)** | Teksom **Bronze Medal (2016)**

THE APPELLATION

More than 2,000 years ago, the Upper Galilee mountain range in northwestern Israel – one of Israel's highest at more than 3,300 feet above sea level – was a choice location for the cultivation of quality grapevines. Today, the area's varied topography, soil and climate make it an ideal home for the vibrant Galil Mountain Winery.

