

ARTERRA WINES CANADA ACQUIRES ANGELS GATE AND KEW WINERIES

These two respected wineries will mark Arterra's first entry into the Beamsville Bench.

Mississauga, ON (May, 5 2023) – <u>Arterra Wines Canada, Inc. (AWC)</u> announced today it has acquired Angels Gate Winery and Kew Vineyards Estate Winery, two beautiful wineries located in the Beamsville Bench, the westernmost part of the Niagara Peninsula wine-growing area and home to some of the best vineyards in Ontario.

"The Beamsville Bench is recognized worldwide for the quality of its wines, and I am honored to welcome these two respected wineries in our family of Niagara wineries," says John Boynton, President of Arterra Wines Canada. "These acquisitions reflect the company's mission to grow amazing VQA premium offerings while leveraging Arterra's winemaking excellence".

Angels Gate has a total of 110 acres, with grape varieties including Chardonnay, Riesling, Merlot, Pinot Noir and Cabernet Sauvignon, to name a few. Five minutes down the road you'll find Kew Vineyards Estate Winery, a hidden gem in Niagara's wine country. With over 80 acres, the vineyard's 1975 plantings are among the oldest in the region.

"We are excited about the future of Angels Gate and Kew now that they are part of Arterra Wines Canada. We are confident Arterra will continue the development of both wineries as producers of premium quality wines while maintaining the values that have always been at the heart of our culture," said John Young, President of Angels Gate and Kew Vineyards.

Arterra is a respected leader in the wine industry, bringing a passion and dedication to quality that is highly revered. With a presence now in the Beamsville Bench, Arterra will draw new visitors and support to the region.

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About Arterra Wines Canada, Inc.

Arterra Wines Canada, Inc. is the country's leading producer and marketer of award-winning, globally recognized Canadian and imported wines.

With roots dating back to the original Niagara Falls Wine Company in 1874, Arterra's family of wines has grown to include over 100 wine brands, including seven of the top 20 brands in Canada: *Jackson-Triggs*,



Inniskillin, Sawmill Creek, Wallaroo Trail, Woodbridge by Robert Mondavi, Ruffino and Kim Crawford. In the last five years, the company's portfolio has received over 1,500 accolades and awards in national and international wine competitions.

Headquartered in Mississauga, Ontario, Arterra operates eight wineries across the country, with over 1,700 acres of premium vineyards in Canada's wine regions. Arterra also owns the Wine Rack stores in Ontario and sells wine kits for winemaking through its RJS Craft Winemaking brand. It employs approximately 2,000 full-time and part-time staff across the country.

For more information about Arterra Wines Canada, Inc., visit <u>www.arterracanada.com</u>.

To know more our Angel's Gate and Kew Wineries, visit:

www.angelsgatewinery.com

www.kewvineyards.com

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