

## 2008 CABERNET SAUVIGNON - MOUNTAIN ROAD RESERVE

The fruit for the Vina Robles Mountain Road Reserve grows on Adelaida Springs Ranch, located at 1,700 feet elevation only 12 miles inland from the Pacific Coast. Situated in the rugged coastal mountains west of Paso Robles, this unique site, with its rocky limestone soils and western exposure, is producing stunning wines. It is here that the grapes for our award winning Meritage, Suendero, are grown.

This special selection focuses on Cabernet Sauvignon. To achieve a style with more delicate and elegant traits, the wine has been aged for 30 months in 80% new French oak. 20% Petit Verdot from the same vineyard completes the varietal blend.

This complex wine showcases layers of spice and ripe, lingering tannins, giving it the capability for further development of character and finesse with proper cellaring.

### TASTING NOTES

**Color:** Bright garnet

**Aroma:** Noble wood, dried herbs with hints of spice and almond

**Taste:** A complex, well integrated Cabernet; good structure with an elegant oak finish

### RECOMMENDATIONS

Serve at: 62° – 65° F

Enjoy now through: 2018

Store in dark dry place at 55° – 65° F

Pairing suggestions: Rack of lamb, filet of beef, and dried cheese

### TECHNICAL NOTES

Harvest date	Brix <sup>0</sup>	Vineyard	Blend	
09.30.08– 10.02.08	26.2	Adelaida Springs Ranch	Cabernet Sauvignon	80%
	26.2	Adelaida Springs Ranch	Petit Verdot	20%

**Aging:** 30 months in French oak barrels

**Bottling date:** 03.09.11

**Release date:** 09.05.11

**Cases produced:** 234

**Alcohol:** 15.2%

**pH:** 3.46

**Total acidity:** 6.8 g/L



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Matthias Gubler, Winemaker

*A very elegant Cabernet exclusively for our Signature Club Members,  
which displays the versatility of the Paso Robles AVA.*