

the DREAMING TREE



CABERNET SAUVIGNON

2009 North Coast

When Steve Reeder and Dave Matthews first met, they realized they had a few things in common, like a passion for making wine at least as strong as their passion for drinking it. For The Dreaming Tree wines, they set out to create an approachable Cabernet Sauvignon, Chardonnay, and Red Blend, finding inspiration in the down-to-earth characters and unforgettable flavors that give California's wine country its rare charm.

When Steve and Dave pop a cork with a few of the locals, they realize there's more to making a soulful Cabernet Sauvignon than just the grapes.

"WHEN YOU'RE WORKING WITH DAVE, YOU WANT TO MAKE SURE WHATEVER YOU'RE DOING HAS SOUL. THE RHYTHM OF OUR NORTH COAST DREAMING TREE CABERNET SAUVIGNON HIGHLIGHTS CLASSIC AROMAS OF BLACKBERRY, CHERRY, AND HERBAL NOTES WRAPPED BY TOASTED VANILLA. IT'S AN EASY-DRINKING WINE WITH A LOT OF CHARACTER." – Steve Reeder

"IF IT TASTES GOOD TO YOU THEN IT'S GOOD WINE." – Dave Matthews' wine philosophy

2009 Vintage

Moderate temperatures throughout the spring and summer made 2009 a very good growing season. The lack of extreme temperatures resulted in higher acidity and aromatic concentration in the white grapes and higher color and tannin development in the reds.

Winemaking

The wines were aged in oak for 19 months and then carefully blended to bring out the true character of the varietal.

Tasting Notes

Classic aromas of blackberry, cherry, and dry herb notes are wrapped by toasted vanilla and soft, mouth-filling tannins. It's elegant and supple.

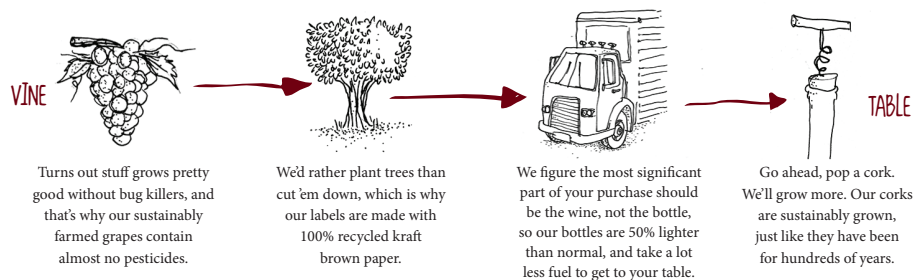
Food Pairing

A fun start or end to any meal or gathering. Also enjoyed with grilled rack of lamb or rich lentil salad.

SUSTAINABILITY

The environment's important to us, and we're pretty sure you feel the same.

From the day we pick the grapes to the night you pop the cork, we're making changes that add up along the way:



Varieties: 80% Cabernet Sauvignon, 20% Merlot

Vintage: 2009

Appellation/AVA: North Coast (65% Sonoma County)

Aging: 19 months in oak

Total Acidity: 5.5g/L

pH: 3.63

RS: 3.0g/L

Alcohol: 13.5%

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