

## 2009 Oak Knoll “Single Vineyard” Cabernet Sauvignon

<b>RELEASE DATE</b>	April 2013
<b>PRODUCTION</b>	500 cases
<b>APPELLATION</b>	100% Single Vineyard, Oak Knoll District, Napa Valley
<b>BLEND</b>	100% Cabernet Sauvignon
<b>ANALYSIS</b>	13.8% Alcohol 0.66 g/100mL TA 3.80 pH



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### *The Wine*

This wine was made from grapes grown on a single vineyard in the southeast section of the Oak Knoll District of Napa Valley. The combination of warm days with cooler evenings at this end of the valley creates grapes that ripen fully but also maintain a nice balanced acidity. These grapes were picked on October 24, 2009. The maceration time was 16 days on the skins before pressing. The wine was barrel aged for 27 months in small oak barrels. The oak was 2/3 French and 1/3 American to promote some diversity in the flavors and aromas being contributed from the oak.

### *The Story...*

This wine has dark fruit aromas and also a beam of spicy fruit on the nose. The texture is medium bodied with well balanced acidity and a medium length finish. With the nice balanced acidity, this wine should age gracefully for the next 5+ years.

### *The Bottom Line*

*Drink Upon Release through 2018.*