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Wine Specs:

Vintage:

2008

Appellation:

Russian River Valley

Acid:

6.42 g/L

PH:

3.48

Residual Sugar:

23.2° Brix

Alcohol:

13.8 %

Awards:

2012 - BEST OF CLASS - Pacific Rim

2012 - DOUBLE GOLD - Indy Int'l

2012 - GOLD - Orange County

2012 - GOLD - Pacific Rim Int'l

2012 - GOLD - San Diego Int'l

2012 - GOLD - Dallas Int'l

2011 - GOLD - Long Beach Grand Cru

2011 - GOLD - Riverside Int'l



Russian River Valley Merlot

This wine's character is understated with a tremendous amount of depth and complexity coming through with just a short time in the glass. Approximately one year after bottling, the wine is still showing lots of signs of youth. Upon opening, the aromas are quite subdued but after several minutes of swirling, the fruit starts delivering with black cherry, raspberry and cassis fighting for position in the glass. There are background notes of baking spices, oven-baked bread, a touch of vanilla and a fine core of minerality. The palate is seamless with a bright, yet coating entry following through the back of the palate with bursts of fruit. The finish is gentle but persistent with notes of dark fruits, espresso and chocolate.