



2008 CABERNET SAUVIGNON

DR II

NAPA VALLEY

Release Date Spring 2011

Winemaking Team Don and Trish Stephens, Proprietors
Justin Hunnicutt Stephens, Proprietor
Mike Hirby, Winemaker
Mike Wolf, Vineyard Manager
Debbie Daniels, Director of Operations
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Varietal Composition 100% Cabernet Sauvignon

Cooperage 100% French oak from a selection of premier tonnelleries

75% New

Vinification The grapes were double-sorted – before and after being destemmed, then whole-berry fermented for approximately 35 days of maceration. The wine was aged for 20 months, then bottled unfinned and unfiltered.

Tasting Notes *The D.R Stephens Estate DR II Cabernet Sauvignon shows deep, expressive aromas of raspberry, mocha, cinnamon and hot stones. The wine hits the palate with a blast of rich fruit and well-integrated tannin, yet remains elegant and flavorful through the long, blossoming finish, ending with a splash of chocolate and black cherry.*
