

# 2007 Cabernet Sauvignon, Spring Mountain District, Napa Valley

#### **TASTING NOTES**

The 2007 Cabernet Sauvignon is composed primarily of grapes grown on Keenan's Spring Mountain District Estate; the remainder of the fruit was harvested from Pope Valley, a grape growing region located in the eastern portion on the Napa Valley.

Keenan's Estate Cabernet Sauvignon grapes were harvested beginning on September 24th, with the final lot being picked on October 9th. After harvest, the fruit clusters were de-stemmed, then fermented for ten to fourteen days. The wine was barrel aged in thirty-three percent new French and American oak for twenty months.

The blend was assembled just before bottling. The Estate grown Cabernet imparts amazing concentration and remarkable structure, while the portion of Cabernet harvested from Pope Valley adds complex aromas and a balanced mid-palate.

Cheers! Michael Keenan

### **REVIEWS**

Robert M. Parker, Jr.'s, The Wine Advocate, Issue #186 December 23, 2009

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**92 Points** "... a dense ruby/purple hue along with plenty of crushed rock, black currant, black raspberry, white chocolate, and earth characteristics. A supple texture, beautiful concentration, and a long finish suggests it will continue to drink well for 15-16 years."

### **WINE DATA**

**Alcohol:** 14.3%

**Total Acidity:** 0.58 grams/100 ml

pH: 3.73 Residual Sugar: Dry

**Bottling Date:** August 5, 2009 **Production:** 4,710 cases

**Blend:** 100% Cabernet Sauvignon,

**Vineyard Sources** 86% Estate, Spring Mtn. Dist. Cabernet Sauvignon

14% Pope Valley Cabernet Sauvignon