



2007 Syrah

DRY CREEK
VALLEY

Label Artist:
Claire B. Cotts



Tasting Notes | A delicious, up-front and easy-drinking barbecue wine on the dark fruit side of the spectrum with aromas of blackberry, black currant, cinnamon, beef jerky and leather. The palate offers smooth berry flavors dominated by blackberry and dark raspberry with hints of black pepper, coffee and caramel. Not as structured or tightly wound as many of our Syrah, this one should open up a bit earlier than its two compatriots coming out in the Fall. We hope that our “stimulus-package” price of \$21.50 makes this a perfect house or party wine for any occasion.

Drinking Windows | Prime drinking: late 2009 to late 2012
Graceful ageability: through 2013

Analysis | pH: 3.65
TA: 6.3 g/L
Alcohol: 15.2%
Bottling Date: December 3, 2008
Release Date: Spring 2009
Total Produced: 118 cases

Philosophy | *We prefer to follow the grapes' lead and offer gentle care as the wine emerges from the juice. If a wine asks for help, we provide it. If a wine is happy on its own, we simply let it be and celebrate its unique evolution.*