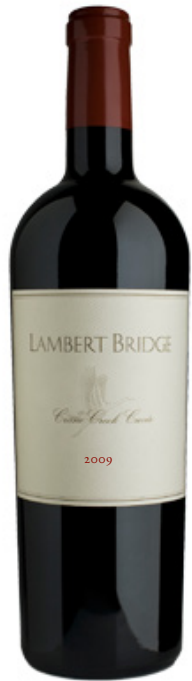


LAMBERT BRIDGE

2009 Crane Creek Cuvée



SPECIFICS

Appellation	Sonoma County
Vintage	2009
Release Date	September 2012
Blend	66% Merlot 29% Cabernet Sauvignon 5% Malbec
Cases Produced	479
Barrel Regime	Barrel aged for 20 months 100% French oak 60% new barrels 35% 1 year barrels 5% 2 year barrels
Alcohol	14.3%
Price	\$110

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Our Crane Creek Cuvée is an exceptional blend of hand-selected vineyard blocks that are farmed to produce a style reminiscent of the famed 'right bank' regions of Pomerol and St-Emilion in Bordeaux. Tireless hours spent in the vineyard throughout the growing season, coupled with meticulous berry sorting at the winery, ensures that only the highest quality fruit makes it past the crush pad.

With a heady mélange of dark fruit and autumnal spice box aromatics that call upon fond memories spent fireside on a brisk harvest evening, the 2009 vintage shows a distinguished balance and elegance that is built to last. Brambly marionberry pie notes waltz with floral elements of rose petals and sweet violets for complex layers of flavor that reveal themselves as the wine continues to breathe. Supple fruit tannins and our winemakers' deft hands with French oak meld beautifully with a vibrant acidity, lending a refined, velvety texture and richness to the finish that begs for another sip...and another...and another...

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