# LAMBERT BRIDGE

### 2008 Limited Selection Cabernet Sauvignon



#### **SPECIFICS**

Appellation Sonoma County

Vintage 2008

Release Date March 2012

Blend 89% Cabernet Sauvignon

6% Malbec 5% Merlot

Cases Produced 189

Barrel Regime Barrel aged for 21 months

100% French oak 93% new barrels 7% 1 year barrels

Alcohol 14.3%

Price \$110

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Going, Going, Gone!

With pitchers and catchers reporting for duty already and opening day just around the corner, we couldn't help but lead off with a famous baseball homerun call. We also think we have hit one out of the ball park with our 2008 Limited Selection Cabernet Sauvignon.

All 189 cases of this very small vintage are allocated to our wine club members, so like a great home run call, this vintage will be "gone" completely upon release. After a Spring filled with frosty mornings left us with only 61% of our normal Cabernet crop, the remaining clusters were very carefully tended and coaxed to perfect maturity.

With an intense red color spreading to hues of blue at the edges of the glass, this wine is densely packed with dark fruits including black cherry and ripe, spicy plum. Traces of clove and cedar result from our winemakers' careful selection of the best barrels. It has a powerful, yet supple finish that will leave you wanting more.

Since there will only be a few bottles of this rare vintage to enjoy, we recommend a special occasion with family and friends and pairing it with a previous vintage of Limited Selection Cabernet Sauvignon for comparison. Open both bottles together, share a few laughs, and pair them with one of our all-time family favorites – a perfectly grilled 3" thick New York strip steak.

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