



# ARBOR CREST

WINE CELLARS

## 2009 CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Five Vineyards || Columbia Valley

### ~ ABOUT THE WINE ~

This complex and full-bodied Cabernet Sauvignon is a delicious blend from five unique vineyard sites in the Columbia Valley. The multiple layers of chocolate, red-currant, and plum explode on the palate, finishing with hints of spices and herbs from the French oak. Barrel-aged for twenty months, this wine displays intense dark berry fruit and a full-bodied character that Cabernet lovers cherish. It is our pleasure to present to you this memorable Cabernet Sauvignon.

### ~ ABOUT THE VINEYARDS ~

This wine was blended from five different vineyards – all unique. The Bacchus Vineyard and the Dionysus Vineyard are both located along the banks of the Columbia River. They are both among the oldest vineyards in WA State. The Bacchus Vineyard yields fruit with more tannin structure than the Dionysus Vineyard but both produce incredible Bing cherry, chocolate and currant notes. The well-renowned Klipsun Vineyard produces some very intense fruit that blends exquisitely. The fruit from the Stillwater Creek Vineyard is some of the finest Cabernet fruit in all of Washington. The Wahluke slope Vineyard is a relatively warm site that is fantastic for producing Cabernet Sauvignon. It yields bright fruit that has concentration and depth.

### ~ FOOD RECOMMENDATIONS ~

Pair this wine with beef tenderloin topped with bleu cheese or gorgonzola. Also, this Cabernet is a great combination with a New York Pepper Steak. If you enjoy pairing wine with cheese, try aged cheddar or a blue cheese! Enjoy!

### ~ PRODUCTION STATISTICS ~

VINTAGE 2009	SUGAR AT HARVEST 24.1 - 24.8 BRIX
VARIETAL COMPOSITION 100% CABERNET SAUVIGNON	WINE ACIDITY 6.5 g/L
APPELLATION COLUMBIA VALLEY	WINE PH 3.65
VINEYARDS BACCHUS BLOCK 6 DIONYSUS BLOCK 16A KLIPSUN VINEYARD STILLWATER CREEK WAHLUKE SLOPE VINEYARD	ALCOHOL 13.9 %
RELEASE DATE SEPTEMBER 2011	BARREL AGING 20 MO. IN FRENCH OAK 40% NEW OAK
OPTIMUM CONSUMPTION NOW UNTIL 2020	CASE PRODUCTION 1500 CASES
HARVEST DATES SEPT. 27 - OCT. 21, 2009	RETAIL PRICING

