

2009 "PICO CREEK" MERLOT



*You will love the 'Legacy of Quality' we
have put in every bottle."*

-Steve Hearst

APPELLATION: Paso Robles, California

COMPOSITION: 100% Merlot

TASTING NOTES:

Garnet in color with astounding clarity and medium intensity, "Pico Creek" showcases classic Merlot aromas of cherry, plum, raspberry, cigar box, black pepper, with a nice inclusion of French oak. The front end of the flavor profile brings pleasing cherry flavors transitioning to a blackberry driven mid palate with incredible acidity and structure, which sets the stage for the finish line. Our 2009 "Pico Creek" Merlot has a lovely finish driven by raspberry, spice, tea, forest floor, and long velvety tannin.

TECHNICAL DATA:

Alcohol: 14.5%

Total Acidity: .59 g/100mL

pH: 3.68

Cooperage: 30% New French Oak

BOTTLED: August 2011

RELEASED: September 2011

NET CONTENTS: 750 mL

PACK SIZE: 12/Case

SUGGESTED RETAIL PRICE: \$30

