

# 2009 Revana Cabernet Sauvignon

# THE WINE

With luxuries such as a world class winemaker, an inspirational vineyard, and a state of the art facility, we are fortunate to have the ability to create wines of precision that rival the best the world has to offer.

Heidi composed the 2009 Cabernet from eight different vineyard blocks on our estate, including small amounts of Cabernet Franc and Petit Verdot. The wine was aged for twenty months in French oak and bottle aged for one year prior to release.

# 2009 GROWING SEASON

The 2009 growing season was a welcome one. Mild and long, with an ideal balance of weather and time for maturity that led to exceptional wines. Late spring rains kept the vines satiated while warm weather in June helped limit vine vigor. We experienced consistent temperatures through the summer with only a handful of days over 100 degrees allowing fruit maturity to progress evenly. The resulting Cabernet Sauvignon is uncommonly complex, concentrated and pure with wonderful balance, plush texture and great finesse.

# TASTING NOTES

The 2009 Revana Cabernet Sauvignon is a beautifully compelling wine with exquisite finesse. Aromatically nuanced with hints of violet-dusted black licorice, cedar-smoked cherries and dark chocolate. Balanced and harmonious on the palate, revealing a plush texture and layers of flavors led by cassis and caramel and wrapped by mineral and graphite notes. The long sophisticated finish echoes delicious fruit and mineral flavors over a frame of supple tannins.



# TECHNICAL DATA

St. Helena, Napa Valley *Appellation* 

93.3% Cabernet Sauvignon, *Varieties* 

> 5.7% Cabernet Franc, 1% Petit Verdot

Alcohol 14.5%

*Maturation* 20 months in French Oak.

12 month bottle aging

Release Date March 6, 2012

Production 1900 cases