

## 2007 Lampyridae Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon

THE LAMPYRIDAE VINEYARD is owned by our long time friends John and Ashley Derr. John Derr has farmed vineyards in Napa Valley for many years and has been the viticulturalist for such properties as Bryant Family, Kapcsandy, Outpost and Pahlmeyer among others. The same meticulous care is taken on their own personal vineyards. We are currently producing Zinfandel from this vineyard and this is our first vintage of Cabernet Sauvignon. The Lampyridae Vineyard is located at the peak of Mount Veeder at nearly 2500 feet above the valley floor. The combination of elevation and volcanic ash soils give us naturally low yields which produce wines with intense and complex flavors.

91 Points - Schulz Lampyridae Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon (Mount Veeder); This is a very good Cabernet that shows its mountain origins in the thick tannins and overall concentration. It's superrich in black-berries, black currants and crème de cassis, with a tangy minerality. There's also a cut of acidity that makes the mouthfeel tart, and will never go away. Seems at its best over the next few years for its youthful beauty. S.H – Wine Enthusiast Magazine

Varietal Make up: 100% Cabernet Sauvignon

**Appellation:** Mount Veeder

Cooperage: 100% French Oak

100% new barrels 26 months in barrel

**Release Date:** September 2010

Bottling Date: December 2009

**Production:** 100 cases