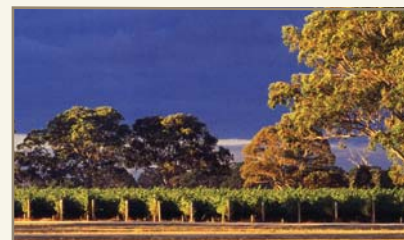


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2009 PENLEY ESTATE CONDOR SHIRAZ CABERNET SAUVIGNON

WINEMAKER: Kym Tolley
REGION: Coonawarra, South Australia
VARIETALS: Shiraz (52%), Cabernet Sauvignon (48%)
MATURATION: 15 months in 50% French and 50% American oak
ANALYSIS: 14.5% alc/vol | TA: 6.5 g/L | pH: 3.38

VINTAGE NOTES:

Warm days and cool nights provided ideal conditions resulting in bright, fragrant fruit and long silky tannins.

WINEMAKING:

This wine is made with 100% estate fruit that was hand-picked and then fermented in headed-down open fermenters. The wine was then transferred to French and American oak barrels for 15 months of maturation prior to bottling at the winery.

TASTING NOTES:

This vintage of the Condor Shiraz Cabernet Sauvignon blend has sweet berry and black cherry notes with touches of mocha spice, smoke and complex vanillin oak characters. The palate has a young but fine tannin structure, good mid palate richness and a sweet cedar finish that will evolve and mellow with age.

CRITICAL ACCLAIM:

90 pts eRobertParker.com, 90 pts/Best Buy Wine & Spirits

ABOUT PENLEY ESTATE:

Penley Estate is located in the heart of Australia's greatest Cabernet wine region: Coonawarra. Owner Kym Tolley, a direct descendant of the pioneering Penfold and Tolley winemaking families, has over 25 years winemaking experience, including tutelage under Grange creator Max Schubert. Continuing a family tradition that spans five generations, Tolley established Penley in 1988 on Coonawarra's famed terra rossa soils, with the aim of producing terroir-driven wines of true regional character. Penley is now regarded as one of the region's leading producers.



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