



# RANCHO SISQUOC WINERY

*Celebrating 30 Years of Fine Wines*

## 2008 Pinot Noir

SANTA BARBARA COUNTY  
ESTATE GROWN AND BOTTLED

### The Winery

Located on the Foxen Canyon Wine trail in Santa Barbara County, California, the winery is part of a 38,000 acre ranch. Rancho Sisquoc Winery is proud to have been hand crafting wines since 1972.

### The Vineyard

Our vineyard is comprised of over 300 acres planted on south facing slopes on the Sisquoc River. Unique microclimates allow us to grow several varieties, and to produce grapes that offer distinct flavor and quality.

### The Philosophy

Our winemaking philosophy is a simple one: We create high quality wines in limited quantities, and offer them at a reasonable price.

### Winemaker's Notes

Red ruby and bright violet hue with long legs invite expectations of a rich, concentrated Pinot and the '08 delivers! This wine opens with vanilla custard, crème brulee and toasty oak supported by red fruits and cola spices. The mouth is full and concentrated with strawberry, black cherry and raspberry fruits leading to sweet caramel and pleasing tannin that bring about a long supple finish.

-Alec Franks

| Wine Facts             |   |
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| Vineyard & Appellation | <i>Flood Family Vineyards, Santa Maria Valley, Santa Barbara County</i> |
| Composition            | <i>100% Pinot Noir</i>  |
| Harvest                | <i>September, 2008</i>  |
| Barrel Notes           | <i>Aged 12 months in French oak, 35% new oak.</i>                       |
| Fermentation           | <i>100% Malolactic Fermentation.</i>                                    |
| Fining & Filtration    | <i>Unfiltered</i>   |
| pH                     | <i>3.62</i>   |
| TA                     | <i>5.8g/L</i>   |
| Alcohol                | <i>14.7%</i>  |
| Production             | <i>1,078 cases.</i>   |
| Bottling Date          | <i>December, 2009</i>   |
| Suggested Retail Price | <i>\$30.00</i>  |