

TAMBER BEY



2008 Deux Chevaux Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon

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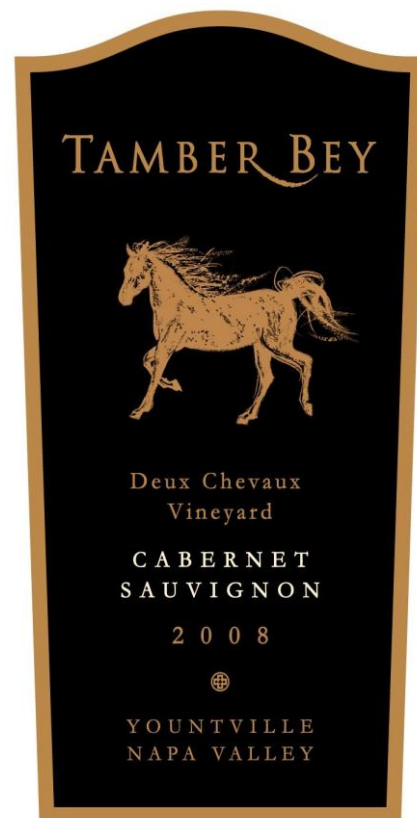
Our old vine Cabernet Sauvignon and Merlot vines from the southern block of the Deux Chevaux Vineyard have produced another classic Yountville Appellation wine. Immediately noticeable in the glass are the soaring aromas of crème de cassis, warm saddle leather, slate-like minerality and subtle notes of tightly grained French oak. True to its vintage roots, the palate is powerful and concentrated yet also displays a measure of grace and an amazing mouthfeel. Blackberry and other briary fruit notes glide across the palate while carrying hints of camphor, dark chocolate, cedar and sandalwood. While this wine can be enjoyed in its youth with hearty fare, look for it to hit its stride in three to four years and comfortably age for over a decade.

Deux Chevaux Vineyard

The Deux Chevaux Vineyard is a 60-acre vineyard situated in the Yountville Appellation, northeast of the town of Yountville. The vineyard is planted with Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Petit Verdot, Cabernet Franc and Chardonnay. Deux Chevaux is French for “two horses,” the namesake of Tamber Bey.

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Tamber Bey is a privately-owned and operated winery that produces wine from its two vineyards at the heart of the Napa Valley, the Estate Vineyard in the Oakville Appellation and the Deux Chevaux Vineyard in the Yountville Appellation. The name Tamber Bey reflects the names of owner Barry Waitte’s first two Arabian endurance horses, Tamborina (Tamber) and Bayamo (Bey).



Varietal:	90% Cabernet Sauvignon 10% Merlot
Alcohol:	14.9%
Harvest:	October 2008
Cooperage:	Darnajou, Bel Aire Saury, Taransaud
Time in Oak:	19 months
Bottled:	June 2010
Released:	October 2010
Production:	1,200 cases